

## POLICIES AND RULES GOVERNING USE OF CAMPUS FACILITIES <u>Policies and Purpose</u>

- 1. Southern Union State Community College has as its primary purpose the provision of quality, postsecondary education to students in its service area. As such, the use of Southern Union State Community College's campus and facilities must be related directly to the furtherance of this purpose.
- 2. Southern Union State Community College will allow the use of its campus and facilities only in accordance with existing policy, these rules and regulations, applicable laws and ordinances and prevailing community standards of conduct and behavior.
- 3. Southern Union State Community College will allow the use of its campus and facilities only when available and when said facilities' use does not conflict with normal, day-to-day activities or other institutional needs of the college.
- 4. Southern Union State Community College will allow individuals and groups the use of its auditorium, classrooms, audio/visual equipment, and the like based on a system of priorities, as follows:
  - a. First priority for use will be given to events sponsored by the college and no charge will be levied.
  - b. Second priority will be given to events co-sponsored by the college. Rental fees will not be levied, but other fees, such as clean up and damage to the property, will be charged to the outside agency.
  - c. Third priority will be given to individuals, governmental agencies, groups or organizations that are non-profit, civic, cultural, charitable in nature, and geographically located in the Southern Union State Community College's service area.
  - d. The last priority will be given to other individuals, groups, religious groups, professional associations, clubs and non-profit organizations not of a charitable nature.
  - e. Profit-making and limited profit individuals, groups, organizations and businesses are not allowed the use of Southern Union State Community College's facilities, except under co-sponsorship by Southern Union State Community College.
  - f. Southern Union reserves the right to refuse the use of facilities to any person, group, entity, organization or agency.