

October 4, 2017

Dear Trustees Education Initiative Counselor Education Research Work Group,

On Tuesday, October 3, 2017, the <u>Trustees Education Initiative Coordinating Council</u> met to discuss Proposal 2017-10: School Counseling and Athletics Partnership. This meeting and the discussion therein followed a detailed review of the proposal by each member of the Council.

Coordinating Council feedback regarding Proposal 2017-10 was:

- The proposal does not have a strong connection to P-12 students.
- The proposal would directly benefit graduate counseling students and UW student athletes.
- The benefit to P-12 students would be limited, as the estimated probability of high school athletes going on to participate in NCAA sports is 5.75% for males and 5.92% for females.¹

The Coordinating Council took the following action on the proposal: **Denied**

We thank you for the expertise, energy, and time you committed to developing this proposal for consideration by the University of Wyoming Trustees Education Initiative.

Please contact me if you have questions. My phone is 307-766-5461 and my email address is <u>rwatts3@uwyo.edu</u>.

With gratitude, Rebecca

¹ http://www.ncaa.org/about/resources/research/estimated-probability-competing-collegeathletics