

Coalition decides not to endorse

by Art Eisenstadt
Staff Writer

The Carolina Coalition did not endorse candidates for any campus office during its convention Sunday night, citing recent criticism of the Coalition and poor attendance as reasons for the decision.

Mark Dearmon, who was elected Coalition chairman at the meeting, specifically referred to an anti-Coalition editorial in last Friday's *Daily Tar Heel* and the fact that only 14 of the organization's members attended the convention as two problems the group encountered.

The Coalition members attending included several candidates for Campus Governing Council (CGC). Three candidates for *DTH* editor — Elliott Warnock, Cole C. Campbell and Bernie Day — also attended.

"In light of the editorial and in light of the turnout, it would be in the best interest of the body to refrain from endorsing candidates," Dearmon said.

Ben Steelman, elected vice-chairman, said, "If we endorse tonight, we would be holding ourselves up to a lot of charges against us."

Steelman recommended taking a "straw poll" of Coalition members by telephone and making the results available to any interested students.

Dearmon said the Executive Board of the Coalition decided not to endorse candidates after the *DTH* editorial had been printed.

After the meeting, Dearmon said he did not feel the decision against endorsements would affect the Coalition's reputation.

He did say that the Coalition's intent "at a very early stage" was to endorse or even nominate candidates, but repeated that its

current purpose is to get students involved in Student Government.

In other action at the convention, party members approved the Coalition constitution and by-laws with virtually no debate, rejecting a resolution to raise graduate student fees from \$7 to \$9 per semester.

It also added two more members to its

executive board, and re-elected all current members, bringing the size of the board to eight. The new board members are John Sawyer and Ed Rodman.

Members retained include Dearmon, Steelman, Tony Wike, Chip Cox, Laura Dickerson (who agreed to serve only until another woman could be found to replace her) and Winston Cavin.

Proposal for beer sales on campus is defeated

by Dirk Wilmoth
Staff Writer

A resolution calling for beer sales on campus was killed Monday in a meeting of the Student Stores Advisory Committee.

After listening to discussion of the resolution, Chairman James Branch, the executive director of Auxiliary Enterprises and Services, said the resolution was out of order and refused to permit additional discussion.

Branch said the resolution was not a matter the committee should consider since it is up to the state legislature to change laws concerning beer sales.

Branch's action came after Gary Thomas, a Student Government representative, spoke about his efforts to get beer sales on state campuses.

Thomas said both Duke University and Davidson College currently have beer sales on campus. He asked, "Why can't state schools sell beer on campus when private schools can?"

He said legislation will be introduced into the N. C. Senate soon which would change three statutes governing the sale of beer on state campuses.

Robert Arundell, who placed the subject of beer sales on the committee's agenda, said he thought the sales would be good for students.

He said the sales would be a convenience. "Maybe students would just go downstairs and buy one (beer) instead of going up town and buying a case."

He said beer sales would not increase student consumption of beer. "I don't think there is going to be a mad rush to the snack bar to consume the beer that is there."

He said the student response he has received concerning beer sales on campus has been positive.

Branch said it is the task of student government to express the wishes of the students to the Chancellor N. Ferebee Taylor. He said, "It is out of our domain."

Final charter revisions will be discussed today

Final plans to incorporate recommended changes in the town charter will be discussed today when the Board of Aldermen meets with Charter Commission members.

The meeting at 4 p.m. in the Municipal Building is open to the public.

The public showed little concern with the Charter Commission's suggestions in January, when only six citizens attended a public hearing on the issue.

The Board may choose from several methods in revising the charter, including calling a referendum, sending the proposed

changes to the General Assembly for approval, or bypassing either and passing a town ordinance to legalize the revised charter.

The referendum would normally have to be held within the next six months.

Alderman Gerry Cohen, however, has suggested that the board ask the General Assembly to waive this requirement and delay the referendum until the November election. This would avoid a referendum in the summer so that more students could vote.

Campus Calendar

Today's Activities

Full Gospel Student Fellowship meets 7:30 tonight, 8th floor lounge, Greenleaf.

The Women's Health Clinic is a two-phase educational discussion and examination clinic held two nights a week in the Student Health Service. A group discussion is held 7 p.m. Tuesdays, 205 SHS. Examinations for contraception are also available, by appointment, 6-9 p.m. Wednesdays.

Go to parachute class today through Thursday, jump this weekend! Interested students may leave a note at Box 8, Union or call 929-8837 after 7 p.m. The Parachute Club is staffed fully by U.S. Parachute Association-rated instructors.

Carolina Ice Hockey Club meeting 6:30 tonight, South Gallery, Union, \$10 dues will be collected. Anyone interested in playing in Charlotte over the weekend must attend.

Informal program on Cuba, 7:30 tonight, Toy lounge, Day. Talk and slides by Gary MacBeth. Sponsored by the Sociedad Hispanica.

Morrison Senate will meet, 10 tonight, large recreation room. If you are still a Senator in good standing, please attend. Bills to be presented.

Candidates for *DTH* editor will debate, 2:15 today, Howell auditorium. Sponsored by the Journalist editors in cooperation with School of Journalism.

Baha'i faith—topic for discussion: "The 20th Century: Transition to Universal Consciousness," 8 tonight, 202 McCauley St. All are welcome.

Young Democrats Club will meet, 7:30 tonight, 204 Union. Officers will be elected; lobbying to be discussed. All members urged to attend.

Career Planning and Placement seminar: "Career Opportunities in State Government," 2:30 today, 215 Gardner.

Get your ticks clogging! The Clogging Club will show you how, 7 p.m. every Tuesday, 302 Woolen. No experience necessary.

Delta Sigma Pi, professional business fraternity, will meet 7:30 tonight, 205 Union.

Youth for Easter Seals will meet 8:30 tonight, 102 Saunders. New people invited to attend.

The UNC Scuba Club will meet 7 tonight, 303 Woolen. Officers will be elected and plans for a dive the last weekend in March will be discussed. All divers welcome.

Volunteers are needed to assist the United Jewish Appeal fund-raising campaign. Meet 8:30 tonight at the Hillier Foundation, 210 Cameron Ave. For more info, call 942-4057 or 929-8894.

Yoga-meditation. Free instruction 9 p.m. every Tuesday night, Presbyterian Student Center (opposite Post Office).

The Campus Governing Council will meet tonight, 215 Union.

Alpha Epsilon Delta, pre-med, pre-dental honor society, meets 7 tonight, 106 Berryhill. Dr. Ted Robertson, UNC Dental School, will discuss Dental School admissions and oral surgery. Everyone invited.

Computation Center Short Course. Problem Solving Using APL, 2:30 today, 220 Phillips.

IRSS Short Course. SPSS for the Experienced Computer User, 2 today, 09 Manning.

Tax hearing postponed; attorneys granted delay

A public hearing on the proposed taxation of University properties, scheduled to be held in conjunction with tonight's Orange County commissioners' meeting, has been postponed because the University's legal counsel can not attend.

The University's lawyers, Myron Banks and Norman Sloan, work for the state Attorney General's office, which serves as legal counsel for the University. Banks is out of town on another case and Sloan is ill, a spokesman said.

Commissioner Norm Gustavson said the hearing may be rescheduled for Mar. 6, but

the county manager's office could not confirm that a date has been set.

The Attorney General's office issued an opinion last month stating that the University is not subject to the city and county property taxation. The opinion recommends that the University remain exempt from property taxes as it has been for more than a century.

The case is expected to go to the courts and may not be settled for years, officials say.

A hearing on Chapel Hill's assessment of University properties, based on the county's appraisal figures, is scheduled for Mar. 3.

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