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financial aid - 35 percent for need-based aid for all students and 5 percent specifically for graduate students.

After a discussion of how Shelton arrived at the numbers contained in the three scenarios, task force members began debating the merits of a one-year plan as opposed to a more long-term schedule.

Trustee Rusty Carter, a member of the task force, said he is in favor of a long-term approach to ensure predictability in tuition setting and to make sure the increase is effective.

"A multiyear plan does a number of things - it articulates you have a multi-year problem, for one," he said.

But Trustee Tim Burnett said he wants to see more discussion between UNC-CH and other institutions before passing a multiyear plan.

"If you did a one-year plan and came back, you would have time to consult with other campuses and take leadership and take time to look at where the money will go without time pressure," he said.

The discussion then moved to the amount of the increase, and although no member argued for a specific amount, student task force member Eric Johnson and Student Body President Justin Young expressed worry that a large increase would convince applicants they could not afford UNC-CH.

"What tears me apart inside is that I know we have to (raise tuition) ... but I'm haunted by the idea that one student in the state will be dissuaded because he won't think he can afford it," Johnson said.

The task force ultimately voted 7-3 to recommend a \$400 increase, which members said would send a strong signal about the dire financial needs of the

University and would also be consistent with the tuition proposal that a similar task force sent to the BOT in 1999.

"It is consistent with the thoughtful approach that has been used in the past," said task force member Shirley Ort. "I speak in favor of a \$400 increase."

Carter, Johnson and student task force member James Alstrum-Acevedo were the only members to vote against the \$400 proposal. Task force members Rebekah Burford, Bill Maixner and Risa Palm were not present for the vote.

But members said the proposal was only the beginning of their work.

"I would make a case that the solution is in next year's plan," Carter said.

"We need to keep in focus that this (proposal) is part of something else, and we don't know what that something else is yet."

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hensive discussions with officials across the UNC system and state legislators on the role tuition revenue must play in the funding of the University.

Moeser said he expects the five-year plan to be in place by the end of the spring 2002 semester.

The decision to propose a one-year plan was largely the result of a motion passed by the BOG last Friday.

The motion calls for all 16 UNC-system schools to create five-year guidelines for tuition and fees, starting with the 2003-04 school year.

While the five-year plans are non-binding, they do call for UNC-system

schools - especially similar institutions - to collaborate on the plans.

Several BOG members did not return phone calls Tuesday.

At Tuesday's third and final task force meeting, several members said it was important for UNC-CH to take immediate action but also said the University should collaborate with other UNC-system schools - especially N.C. State University - before creating a more long-term plan.

"My understanding is that if (the BOG) gets a proposal, they want it to be for one year," said UNC-CH Provost and task force Co-chairman Robert Shelton.

Moeser said that while he was somewhat surprised by the task force's decision to propose only a one-year tuition

increase plan, it was consistent with the desires of the BOG.

"(The task force's recommendation) puts us right in line with the actions of the BOG," Moeser said.

The BOG is expected to consider about a half-dozen campus-initiated tuition increase requests and a 4.8 percent systemwide increase at its March meeting.

Shelton said he hopes the task force - or a similar committee - will soon begin to move forward with creating a more long-term plan.

"I think there are strong reasons to have a multiyear plan - it's a more honest plan," he said.

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Forum. With those additions, there are now 28 committee members.

But student leaders have expressed concern about the size of TPAC. Williamson said she would like to see the

members break up into subcommittees, which she feels would be more effective. Some student and faculty members of TPAC already have collaborated to form an informal subcommittee on their own to talk about on-campus and night parking.

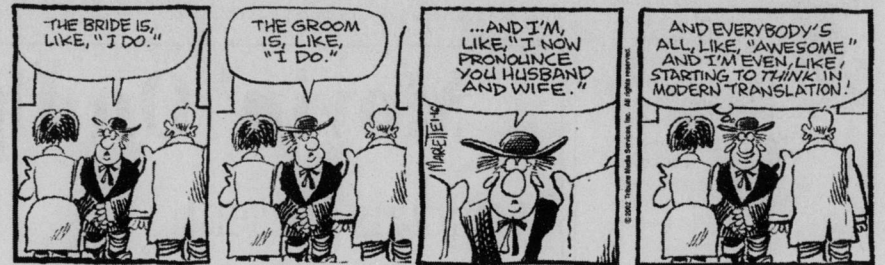
Student Body President Justin Young said the subcommittee has allowed students and faculty to have productive dis-

cussions about the two topics.

Williamson said most of the previous TPAC meetings have been informative, but she would like to begin moving toward their final recommendations. "I'm ready to start talking about solutions."

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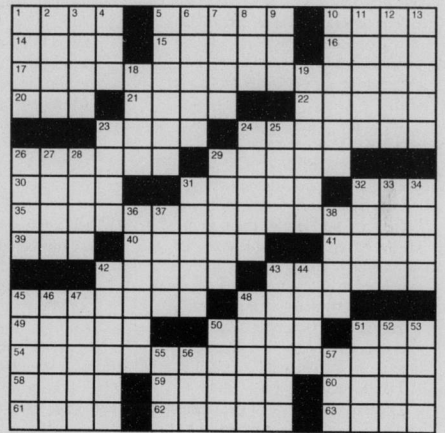


**THE Daily Crossword**

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  - 10 S.F. underground
  - 14 Home of the Bruins
  - 15 Mount of Moses
  - 16 Burn soother
  - 17 V
  - 20 Giant's last word?
  - 21 Greasy-spoon sign
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  - 24 Comic Buddy
  - 26 Vial
  - 29 Fellas
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  - 31 Raccoon's cousin
  - 32 Sidekick
  - 35 V
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  - 40 Actress Taylor
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  - 42 More prudent
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  - 48 Railroad branch line
  - 49 Madison Ave. pros
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  - 60 A single time
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  - 19 Peary's milieu
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