

MOTION 2: Weineck, Manera, Szymanski 9-16-20

WHEREAS, public health experts have widely condemned the University's re-opening plan;
WHEREAS, the Ethics and Privacy Committee appointed by the UM President has declared that it does not meet "the reasonable standard for safety recommended by our report";
WHEREAS, staff, graduate students, undergraduate students, and faculty have expressed that they do not feel safe;
WHEREAS, vulnerable populations in Ann Arbor and beyond will bear the biggest burden should infection spread widely,
WHEREAS, the faculty of the University of Michigan has lost trust in the administration's handling of the COVID-19 crisis,
BE IT RESOLVED that the Faculty Senate of the University of Michigan has no confidence in the administration's re-opening plan

Motion submitted by:

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Results: Yes, 915; No, 991 Motion FAILED

Link to News Item:

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