



## *Policy*

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## *Hover Board Campus Restriction Policy*

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### *Policy Statement*

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Roosevelt University (hereafter referred to as "Roosevelt" or "University") hereby establishes the hover board campus restriction policy pursuant to the recommendations of the Consumer Product Safety Commission. Roosevelt is committed to providing a safe and secure environment for the Roosevelt community and its guests. In support of this commitment, Roosevelt establishes a ban on the ability to utilize or possess any hover board or hands-free self-propelled and balancing mobile/movement device on all of Roosevelt's campuses.

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### *Reason for Policy*

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The purpose of this policy is to inform faculty, staff, students and visitors, of the University's stance and expectations regarding the use and storage of hover boards on properties controlled or operated by the University.

As a result of the recent safety concerns raised by the Consumer Product Safety Commission and the potential impact the associated risks of fires and hazardous falls might have on Roosevelt's campus, Roosevelt will prohibit ALL hover boards or hands-free self-propelled and balancing mobile/movement devices from use and/or storage on campus.

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### *Entities Affected by this Policy*

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This Policy applies to all employees, faculty, students, persons conducting business, or individuals visiting any of the Roosevelt campuses. Visitors include, but are not limited to, prospective students, former students and their respective families.

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**Web Address**

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To be completed by the President's Chief of Staff.

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**Implementation**

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Effective immediately, hover boards shall not be used or stored in any University buildings, residence halls, or University controlled or operated property. Hover boards or hands-free self-propelled and balancing mobile/movement device, shall not be recharged in any University owned or operated building or facility.

Any possession or use of said devices on University property will be a direct violation of this policy. Any device fitting into this category will be confiscated if found. Any guests found using or in possession of a hover board or hands-free self-propelled and balancing mobile/movement device on the premises will be escorted from the building.

Any student found to be in possession of a hover board or hands-free self-propelled and balancing mobile/movement device on the premises may be subject to the student misconduct process as outlined in the student handbook.

Any employee, faculty, or staff found to be in possession of a hover board or hands-free self-propelled and balancing mobile/movement device on the premises may be subject to the Human Resources corrective action process.

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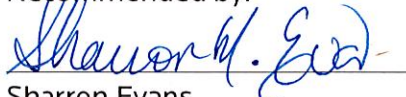
**Online Resources and Forms**

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[www.roosevelt.edu/~media/Files/.../Student/Student-Handbook.ashx](http://www.roosevelt.edu/~media/Files/.../Student/Student-Handbook.ashx)

<http://www.cpsc.gov/en/About-CPSC/Chairman/Kaye-Biography/Chairman-Kayes-Statements/Statements/Statement-from-the-US-CPSC-Chairman-Elliot-F-Kaye-on-the-safety-of-hoverboards/>

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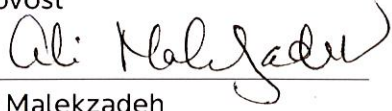
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