



Hazing Transparency Report June 2025



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SECTION 1: ABOUT THIS REPORT

In compliance with the Stop Campus Hazing Act and Haywood Community College's Campus Policies, this report provides a record of all substantiated hazing incidents at Haywood Community College. Hazing is defined as any intentional, knowing, or reckless act, committed individually or in concert with others, against a student, regardless of their willingness to participate, that is connected to joining, maintaining, or affiliating with a student organization and results in, or creates a risk of, physical or psychological harm.

This semiannual report includes a description of each incident, the dates reported and substantiated, the organization or group involved, and the outcome of the investigation and sanction(s) issued. This information reflects only incidents that have been investigated and substantiated through formal campus conduct procedures.

SECTION 2: SUBSTANTIATED HAZING INCIDENT

The following table includes any hazing incidents that were substantiated through formal investigation by Haywood Community College. An incident is considered substantiated when it meets the criteria outlined by Federal, State, or local Law, as well as any HCC Policies, and a responsible finding has been issued through the student conduct process. Each case listed here involved behavior connected to initiation, membership, or affiliation with a student organization and resulted in physical harm, psychological harm, or a significant risk thereof.

Reports that do not result in formal findings due to insufficient information, unsubstantiated allegations, or incidents falling outside the definition of hazing are not included.

Incident #	Organization	Description	Date Reported	Date Substanti- ated	Violation Type	Outcome/ Sanctions
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SECTION 3: REPORTING HAZING

All members of the HCC community are encouraged to report suspected hazing using the Maxient Online Report System. Immediate safety threats should be directed to the Public Safety Team at 828-734-5410 or by contacting local law enforcement by dealing 911.

