



DSU Update

President Stephen D. Easton

Interim Higher Education Committee

August 2, 2023

INITIATIVES

CERT Welding Technology

4 + 1 Ag Program with NDSU

Master of Education-Elementary Education

Online Teacher Education Program

Dual Mission Opportunities

Accelerated Bachelor's to Master's Programming

AAS & CERT Information Technology (F22)

\$10,000,000 Theodore Roosevelt Program Donation

Addiction Studies Minor

Pathways

AAS Diesel Technology (F21)

Tuition Freeze

Women's Wrestling

"The Saddle" Scholarships

Master of Business Administration

Senior Honors Lab Project

CDL Truck Driver Training (WSC TrainND)

Workforce/CTE/Collaborations

AAS Construction Technology (F25)

CERT Meat Processing (F23)

Master of Sport Administration

ADRN & Online Bachelor of Science in Nursing (F24)

Career Academy Partnership with Dickinson High School
(Innovation Award)

CERT Hospitality

North Dakota's DUAL MISSION Institution



NEWS | LOCAL | News Reporting

Recent high school grad finds calling as a welder

"I could do this forever," DSU welding student Dawson Moore said.



DSU welding student Dawson Moore with a metal target system he created for a class project. Contributed / Dawson Moore

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Working at school while in school



TrainND Northwest to expand CDL course availability to Dickinson area



TrainND Northwest(kfyr)

By Michael Anthony

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BREAKING BARRIERS

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FARGO FORUM
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Japanese DSU student overcomes challenges to earn agriculture degree

By Jason R. O'Day
The Dickinson Press

As soon as Yuuka Taniguchi stepped off the plane in North Dakota, she knew she was in for the adventure of a lifetime, but little did she know that her entire paradigm would shift courtesy of her experiences in a small community of a little more than 650 people. Coming from a small town on the northern Japanese island of Hokkaido, Yuuka was used to living in a tight-knit community surrounded by farmland, but the agricultural practices she observed in North Dakota were completely different than what she was used to and fascinating to the teenage Japanese exchange student.

Taniguchi arrived in 2016 her junior year. She attended New England High School alongside another foreign exchange student named Tamar Antia from the eastern European country of Georgia. Together they lived with their host family, Eric and Naomi Wood. Yuuka said she and Antia went to New England because Dickinson wasn't accepting foreign exchange students that year. After finishing up her junior year she returned to Japan to finish high school.

Longing for the

experiences and rolling prairies of southwest North Dakota, she returned in 2018 to begin her study of Agriculture at Dickinson State University.

Naomi said she's very impressed with what both of her exchange students have gone on to do, noting that Tamar is now a microbiologist back in her home country. Between 2014 and 2020 Naomi and her husband took in eight international students, four of them from Japan — noting that the Japanese students



Contributed photos / Yuuka Taniguchi

Yuuka Taniguchi found a new friend during an ag tour at a farm in southwest North Dakota.



Yuuka mowing the lawn at her family farmstead in Japan

struggled the most with the language barrier. "She (Yuuka) was just a headstrong girl

who was like I'm doing this, I'm gonna do that and I'm gonna get it done," Naomi said in

an interview with The Dickinson Press.

'Amazed at the differences'

Yuuka's home province on the northern Japanese island of Hokkaido is Agriculture dominant, with an economy centered on the industry. Shimizu, her hometown, has a 3 to 1 cow to human ratio and lies in a wet area with an annual average of 46 inches of precipitation.

"I was amazed by how different the agricultural practices were. And that

kind of started me on pursuing agricultural studies," she said. "In high school, I had multiple classmates who were involved in their family business. I didn't see that many farm kids getting involved in their family business in Japan."

Her family has a dairy farm with 300-400 cattle on 48 hectares, or 119 acres, which made life a little more cluttered for the cows than typical in the United States.

"Our dairy cattle actually don't go grazing in the field. They just stay in the barn... So they just walk around the barn freely," Yuuka said. "Here it feels like (farmers) are more advanced with animal welfare."

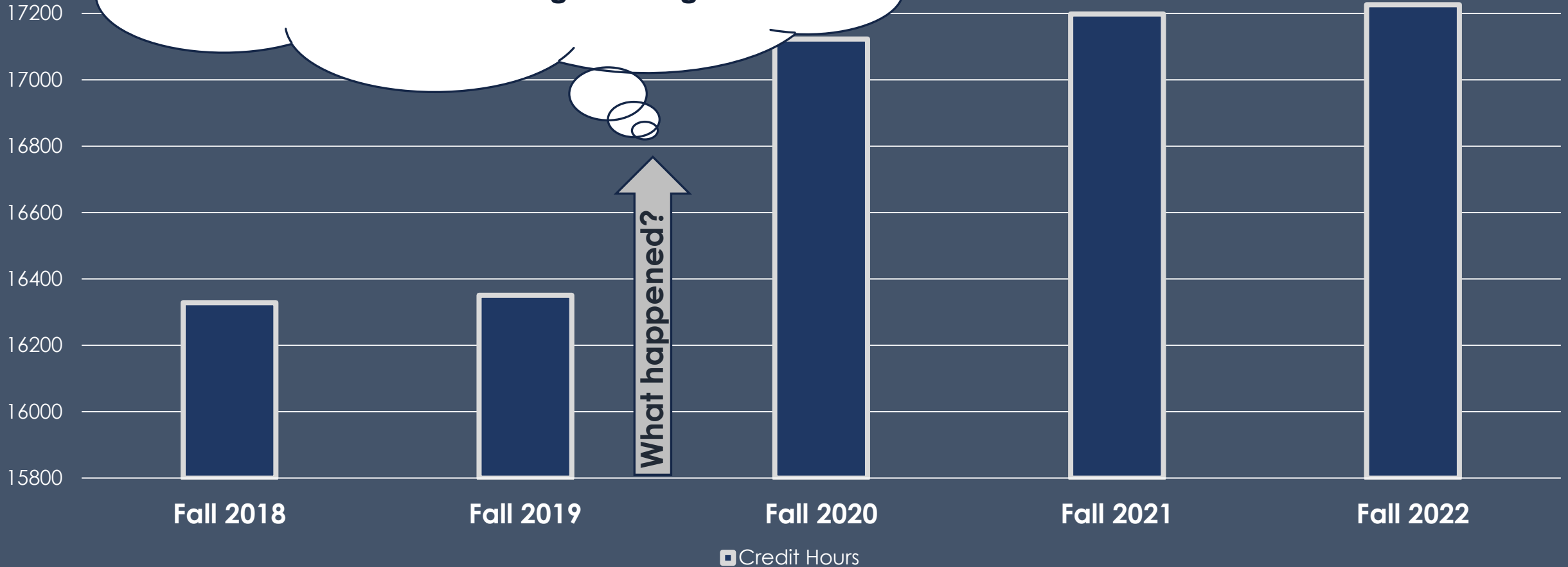
She said the language barrier was especially tough during her first few months on the Western Edge.

"I still have struggles with English now. But back then it was at a different level. Like the first couple months I couldn't respond much because I'm trying to still understand, but they're expecting my response and my brain kind of freezes," Yuuka said, adding that her friends and host family were very helpful in her gaining confidence and learning. "They were constantly trying to get me to express my feelings, thoughts and so on. They were very patient."

During her time at DSU she said Blue 42 was one of her favorite

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1. Tuition Model Revamp & Budget Adjustments
2. Tuition *Freeze*
3. Expansion of Delivery Modes
4. Increased Dual Mission Programming



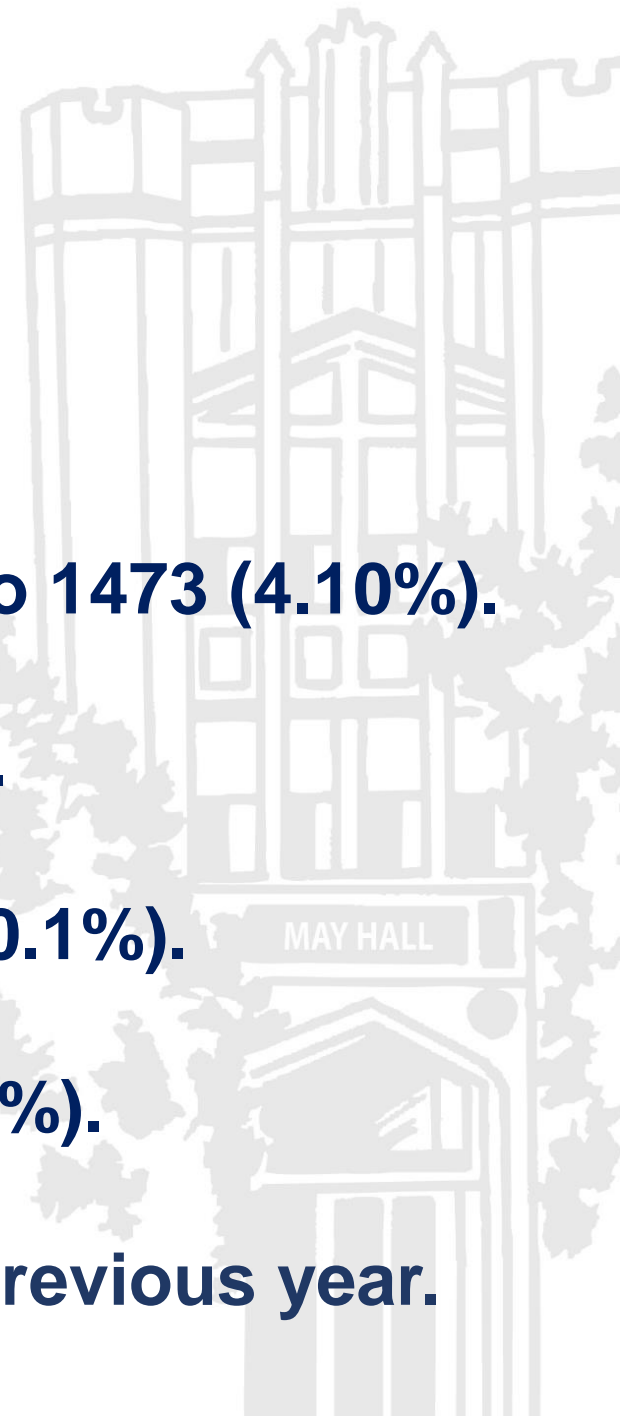


KEY FINDINGS FROM 2022-23 CENSUS REPORTS

From Fall 2022 Census Report:

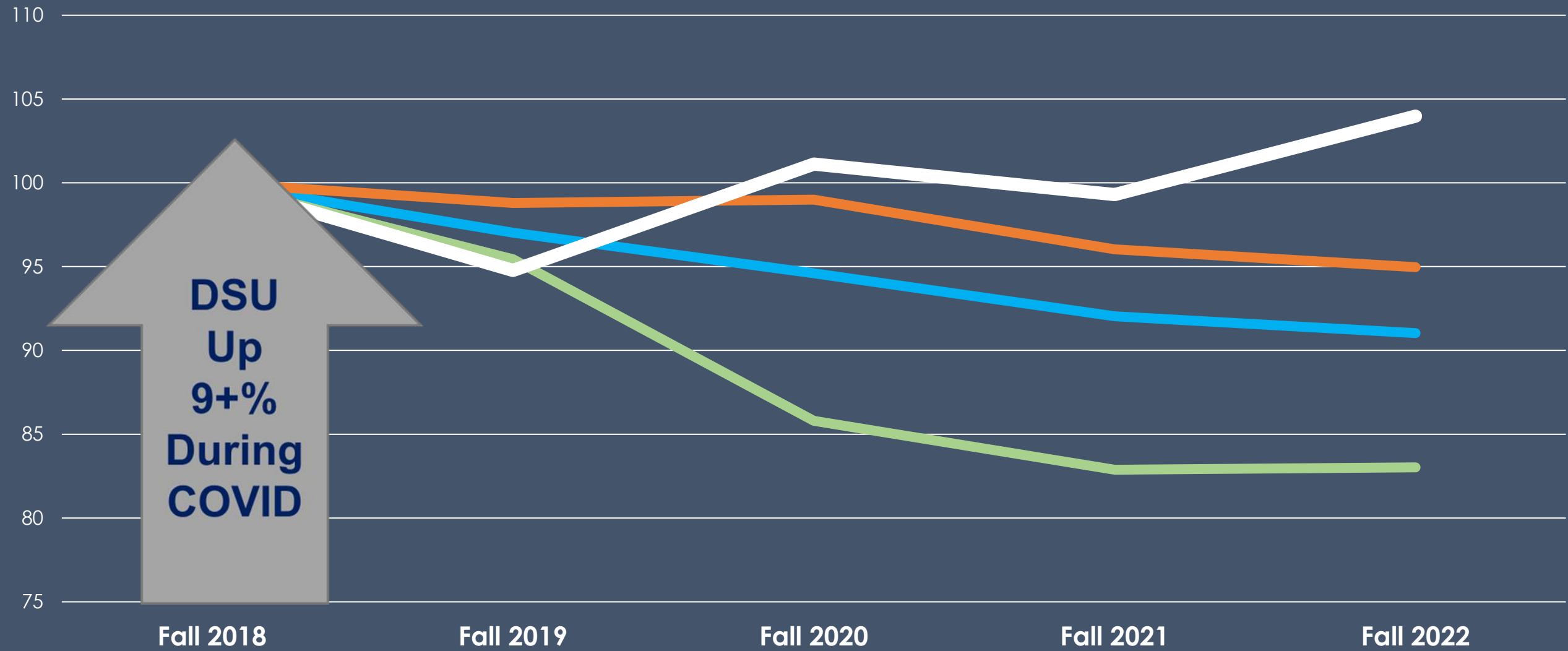
- **Overall enrollment headcount increased from 1415 to 1473 (4.10%).**
- **Transfer students increased from 149 to 159 (6.71%).**
- **Early Entry/Dual Credit increased from 143 to 229 (60.1%).**
- **Part-time enrollment increased from 425 to 488 (14.8%).**

From Spring 2023 Census: Head count up 3.4% over previous year.



ENROLLMENT BY INSTITUTION TYPE

All Schools Public 4-year Public 2-year Dickinson State



Note: Fall 2018 data set at 100% with subsequent years showing percentage change each year. Historical data is based on reports from the National Center for Education Statistics. Fall 2022 results are a national 1.1% decline in enrollment and a 1.7% enrollment increase for 2-year schools. Dickinson State University's number is based on the Fall 2022 Census Report.

JANUARY 2020 BUDGET REDUCTION SUMMARY

Elimination of 14 Occupied Positions*	\$864,676
Vacated Positions Left Unfilled*	\$2,582,387
Early Retirements and Voluntary Separations*	\$689,881
Non-Personnel Budget Cuts	<u>\$1,170,213</u>
Total Reductions / Biennial Savings	\$5,307,157

DSU reduced a total of **36 FTE*

2021-2022 Expenditures*

- 1) **\$15.5 million: Full-Time Salary and Benefits**
- 2) **\$17.5 million: Budgeted 2023-24 Full-Time Salary and Benefits**
- 3) **\$12.9 million: Other Operating Expenses**

Budget Savings Needed*

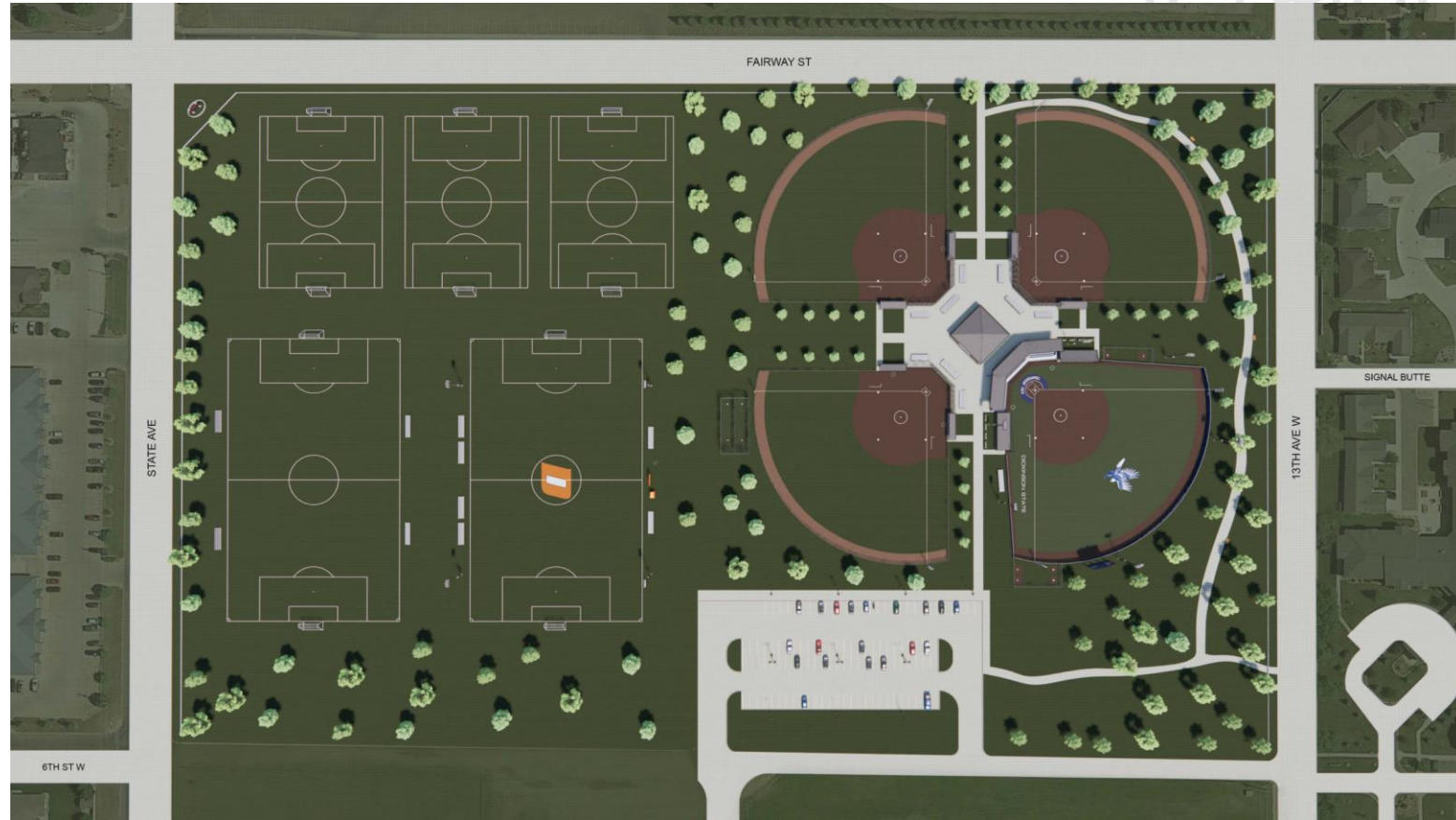
- 1) **Amount to Be Determined: CTE Start Up**
- 2) **\$80,000: Increased compensation for "other"**
- 3) **\$1.03 million: Inflation (assuming 8% inflation)**
- 4) **Amount to Be Determined: Major Maintenance**



*All figures are approximate/estimated.

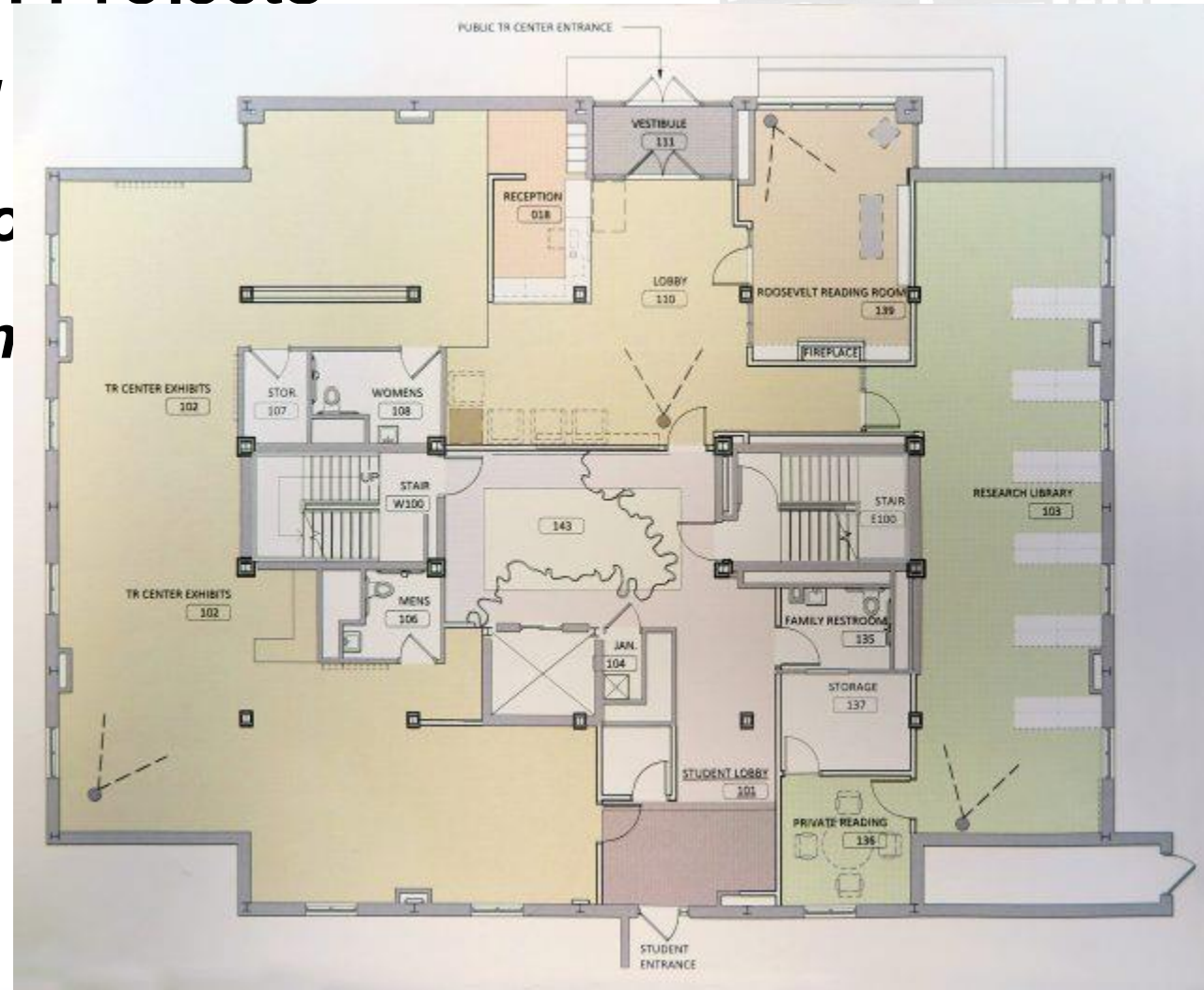
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■ *Sanford Sports Complex*



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- *Sanford*
- *Meat prc*
- *Lowman*







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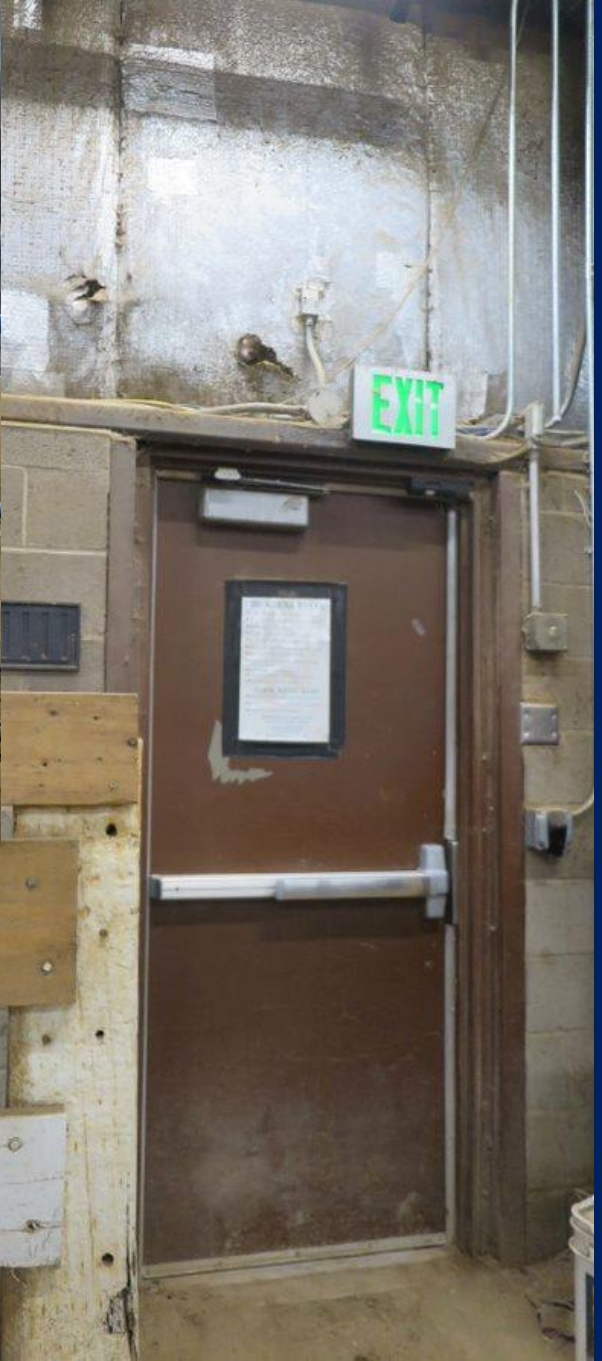
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- *Lowman Walton Hall*
- *Nursing simulation lab*
- *SWCTE*



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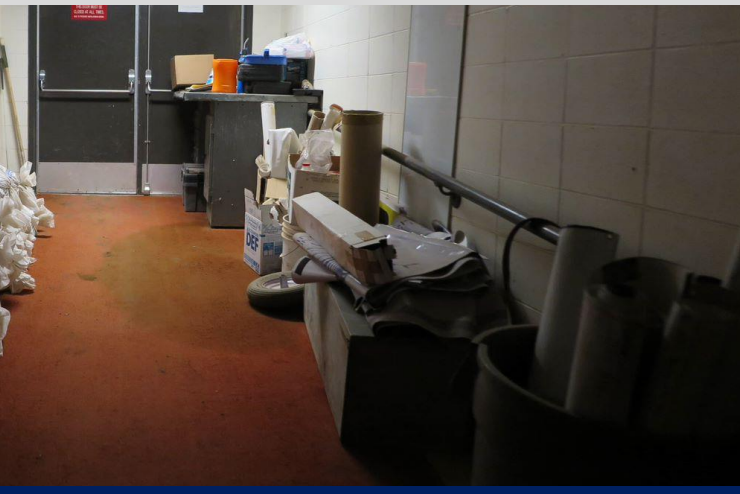
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- *SWCTE*
- *Ag Building/Arena*





Agriculture & Technical Education Building

\$18 million proposal:
\$900K to be fundraised by DSU
\$17.1 state support



Fairway Steet

DSU West
Campus
Overview

United States * NC

State Ave





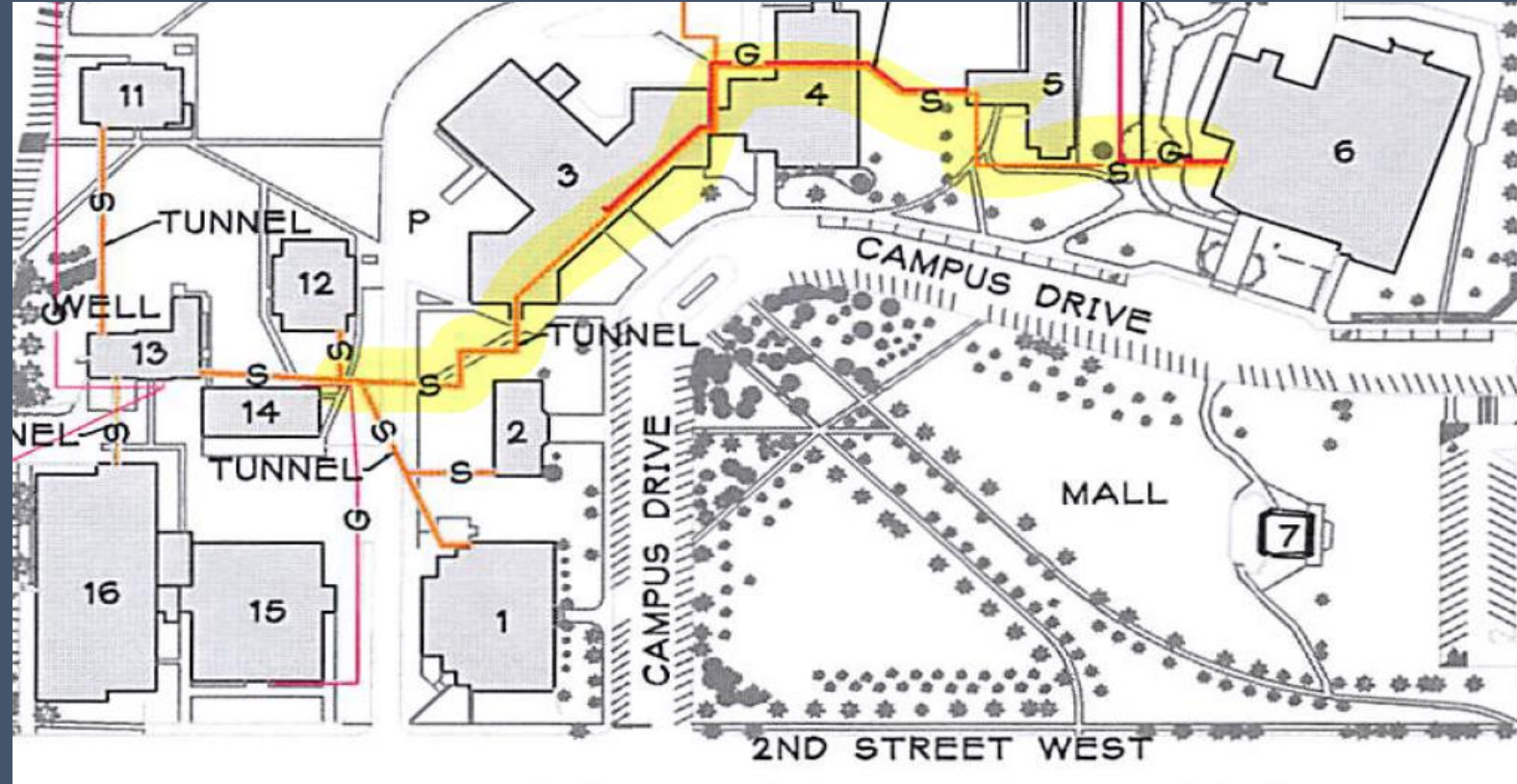
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Major Maintenance Example

Tunnels

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STEAM HEAT ISSUES



ABOVE THE TUNNELS



THE TOP OF THIS EXISTING TUNNEL IS A SIDEWALK THAT IS CLOSE TO MAJOR ELECTRICAL UTILITES



FOREGROUND SHOWS TOP OF EXISTING TUNNEL AS A CROSSWALK ON A PRINCIPAL DSU STREET. CONES AND SANDBAGS INDICATE AREAS OF SURFACE WATER SEEPING INTO TUNNEL. **THIS STREET IS NOW CLOSED IN THIS AREA.**

INSIDE THE TUNNELS



ORIGINAL TUNNEL WINDOW FILLED IN

**EXISTING TUNNEL - WITH VARIOUS
INFRASTRUCTURE PROBLEMS**



INSIDE THE TUNNELS



STEEL
SUBSTRUCTURE

MAIN CITY
WATER
CONNECTION

EXISTING TUNNEL UNDER STREET, WITH OLD
WINDOW LOCATION ABOVE METAL STRUCTURE

WATER IN THE TUNNELS

Pre-Spring 2023



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STEAM HEAT ISSUES – TOTAL ESTIMATED COST

Steam Tunnel Repair	\$ 2,097,709
Stoxen Library to Student Center Piping Replacement	662,760
Delong Hall Piping Repair	4,173,762
Selke Hall Piping Repair	2,959,925
Alternate Housing for Students During Construction	100,000
	\$ 9,994,156

Other Good News



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Dated St Paul Minn 745pm April 1901

To 17th Regt Bismarck

Presidential Salute along the line. Have got the commanding officers here to

give two guns at gates and one at fort Lincoln. Have

arranged with Robinsons have the guns Bismarck April 6th

The presidents program is to speak at the capital & after

Governor White and have him arrange the salute for the

occasion see sheet

Alex McKinnis



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Telegram from Alexander McKenzie to F. H. Register

Alexander McKenzie has made the arrangements for the guns that will be used for the presidential s... Telegram - 1903-04-01 - Digital Library Record

Telegram from George Palmer to F. H. Register

The guns should reach Mandan, North Dakota, today or early tomorrow. Telegram - Unknown - Digital Library Record

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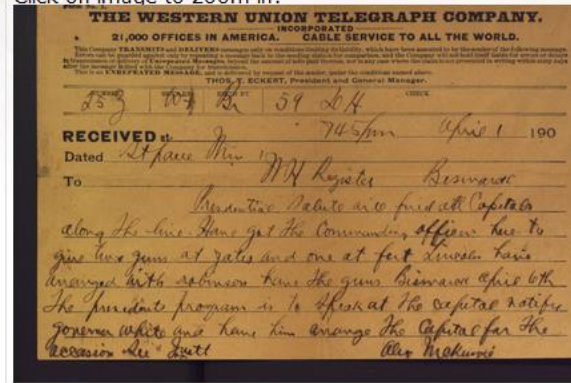
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Telegram from George Palmer to Alex McKenzie



George Palmer has been authorized to turn over two 3-inch guns

provided that Alex McKenzie provide...

Letter to M. H. Jewell



M. L. Parker is working to move the cannon to Mandan, North Dakota,

by April 5. The people in Bism...

Annual pilgrimage to Roosevelt program



List of participants that joined the annual pilgrimage to Roosevelt

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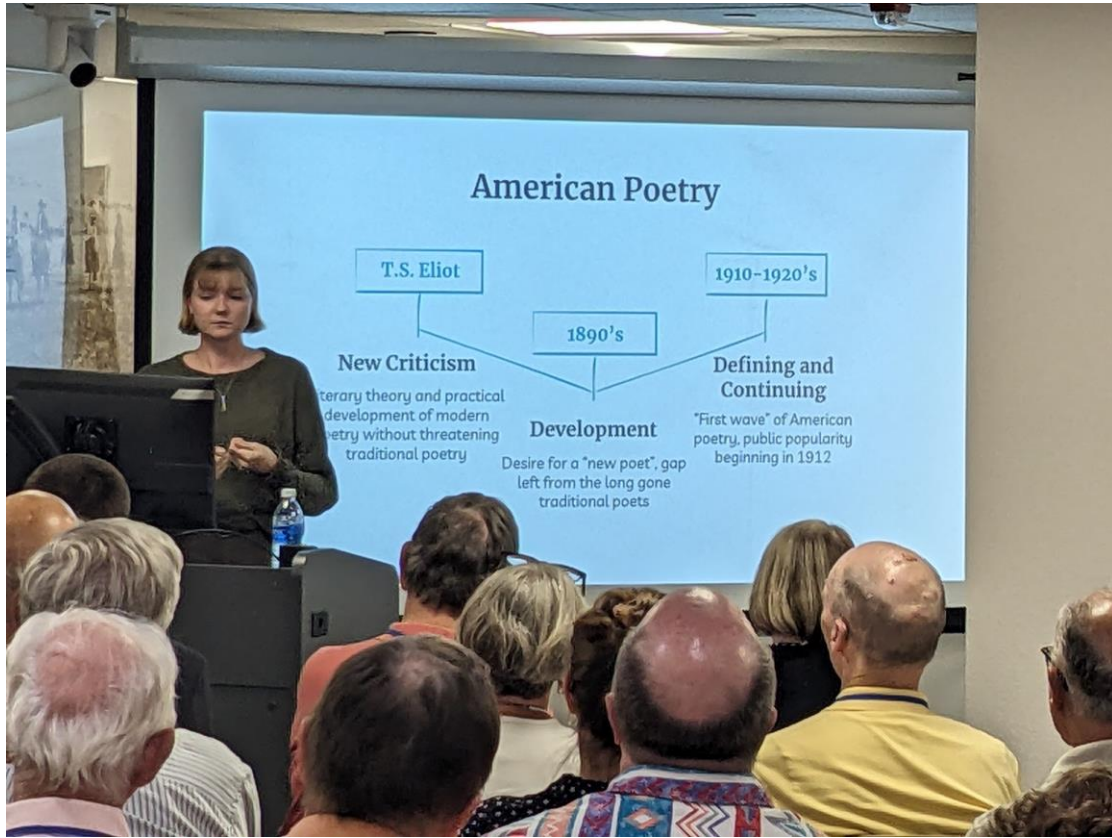
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