**Hooding Ceremony Ideas from Session with Tribal Governance Students**

**May 13, 2020**

1. Several students expressed a desire for there to be some way for family and friend participation in the ceremony. One version of this was a Zoom session that students could host before the hooding ceremony. Seemed like this might be something they are self-organizing, but we can check in to see if there we can offer any sort of support.
2. Students also were organizing the idea of generating a video with greetings and good words from family members that could be played at the ceremony (possibly in lieu of a student speaker)
3. Another idea was a cohort tree that could be planted on campus, perhaps with a remembrance plaque
4. Questions:
   1. Can the graduation fee be refunded if one decides to not participate?
   2. When will a link be available that students can send to families and friends for the ceremony?