

1 The Associated Students of The University of Montana
2 Resolution Regarding ASUM Indexing
3 April 13, 2011
4 Senate Bill SB37-10/11

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9 Whereas the ASUM Senate passed Senate Bill SB15-10/11: Resolution Regarding Indexing on
10 February 9, 2011;

11 Whereas Senate Bill SB15-10/11 calls for ASUM to submit referendum language for the April
12 2011 Elections regarding the indexing of the ASUM Fee;

13 Therefore Let It Be Resolved that the following language be submitted to the April 2011
14 elections:

15 The Associated Students of The University of Montana is the representative governing body for
16 students. ASUM currently has a \$33.00 Activity Fee that it uses to fund its staff and operations.
17 ASUM provides services to students through its agencies such as Legal Services, Sustainability
18 Center, Off-Campus Renter Center, Transportation, Child Care, and UM Productions. ASUM
19 also allocates funding to each of its student groups each spring; ASUM proposes to change its
20 fee structure in order to account for inflation; ASUM would index this fee in accordance with the
21 Consumer Price Index in order to have increases of 0% - 4% per year to cover rising costs.

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23 Do you support a change to the structure of the current ASUM fee?

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25 Yes, I support a change to the structure of the current ASUM fee.

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27 No, I do not support a change to the structure of the current ASUM fee.
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30 Passed by Committee: April 11, 2011

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32 Passed by ASUM Senate: April 13, 2011

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