



The Associated Students of
Montana State University-Billings


1500 University Drive (406) 657-2365
Billings, Montana 59101-0296 Fax (406) 657-2366

Access & Excellence

Resolution on Verbal Student Reports

- DATE: April 22, 2002
- INTENT: The Associated Students of Montana State University-Billings (ASMSU-B) object the removal of the verbal student Reports from the meetings of the Board of Regents.
- WHEREAS: ASMSU-B believes that the removal of the student reports will weaken the voices of the students at Montana State University-Billings; and
- WHEREAS: With the removal of the verbal student reports, students do not have an opportunity to get information in the official minutes of the Board of Regents; and
- WHEREAS: The current way student reports are delivered is efficient, and
- WHEREAS: Letting students speak at the podium insures that regents hear what the students feel is important and that the entire Montana University System (MUS) hears what is happening around the state; and
- WHEREAS: The MUS Mission statement says "We will prepare students for success by creating an environment of ideas and excellence that nurtures intellectual, social, economic, and cultural development"; and
- WHEREAS: Removing the opportunity for student leaders to present verbal reports is incongruent with this very mission; and
- THEREFORE: Be it resolved that the Associated Students of Montana State University Billings oppose removal of the verbal student reports from the Board of Regents agenda.

This resolution was passed unanimously by ASMSU-Billings Senate on April 22, 2002



Bryce Anderson
ASMSU-B President, 2001-2002