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1                                   **The Associated Students of The University of Montana**  
2                                   **Resolution Regarding ASUM Indexing**  
3                                   **April 13, 2011**

4                                   **Senate Bill SB37-10/11**

5                   **Authored by: Ashleen Williams, ASUM President, and Patrick Rhea, ASUM Senator**

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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: \_\_\_\_\_, 2011

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33   Passed by ASUM Senate: \_\_\_\_\_, 2011

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38   Travis Suzuki,  
Relations and Affairs Chair

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Amanda Stovall,  
Chair of the Senate