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1 **The Associated Students of The University of Montana**
2 **Resolution Amending Bylaws**

3 **May 8, 2013**

4 **SB97-12/13**

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8 Whereas, The Associated Students of The University of Montana (ASUM) have a vested
9 interest in clear by-laws;

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11 Whereas, the ASUM Constitution was recently changed;

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13 Whereas, ASUM should update its by-laws and policies to suit a changing organization;

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15 Whereas, Article IV, Section 3, of ASUM Bylaws states:

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17 A. The Board on Budget and Finance shall be composed of seven (7) members, with the
18 Business Manager as Chair, at least one (1) but no more than two (2) Senators, and the
19 remainder at-large students.

20 B. The Chair may vote only in case of a tie, unless his/her vote is required to maintain a
21 quorum on the Board.

22 C. A quorum shall normally consist of four (4) members of the Board.

23 D. The Board shall be primarily responsible for the oversight, management, and
24 allocation of ASUM appropriate funds generated through the student activity fee. The
25 Board shall also be responsible for ASUM Fiscal Policy.

26 E. Further responsibilities of the Board are outlined in ASUM Fiscal Policy.

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28 Therefore, Let It Be Resolved, that a subsection shall be added Article IV, Section 3 of
29 ASUM Bylaws which shall state:

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31 A. The Board on Budget and Finance shall be composed of **nine (9)** members, with the
32 Business Manager as Chair, at least one (1) but no more than **four (4)** Senators, and the
33 remainder at-large students.

34 B. The Chair may vote only in case of a tie, unless his/her vote is required to maintain a
35 quorum on the Board.

36 C. A quorum shall normally consist of **five (5)** members of the Board.

37 D. The Board shall be primarily responsible for the oversight, management, and
38 allocation of ASUM appropriate funds generated through the student activity fee. The
39 Board shall also be responsible for ASUM Fiscal Policy.

40 E. Further responsibilities of the Board are outlined in ASUM Fiscal Policy.

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45 Passed by ASUM Senate: _____, 2013

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49 Damara Simpson,
50 Relations and Affairs Chair

Bryn Hagfors,
Chair of the Senate