



# WESTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY

BOWLING GREEN, KENTUCKY 42101

Office of Associated Student Government

Resolution 81-1  
Budget Cuts  
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Status:

**PASSED**

Whereas, state and federal budget cuts have vastly effected the area of higher education, and

Whereas, the resulting lack of monies at Western Kentucky University has caused increased pupil/instructor ratios in classes; freezes on hiring of university personnel; tuition increases; the dissolution of many presently offered services and the prevention of implementation of many other services, thus impeding the desired progressive nature and evolution of this university, and

Whereas, this impediment is a source of distress and dissatisfaction to its students, and

Whereas, Associated Student Government exists to represent the students of WKU,

Therefore, be it resolved that the Student Congress of ASG obligates itself to the voicing of the students' dissatisfaction regarding the financial state of this university, and

Furthermore, that the 81 Student Congress agrees to work toward the following objectives:

- (1) Assertion of its support for WKU President Donald Zacharias in his endeavor to gain fair and adequate monetary allotments for this university;
- (2) Unification of WKU's student body behind the endeavors of the president;
- (3) Restraint of further budget cuts;
- (4) Retaining money generated by WKU tuition increases here at WKU;

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- (5) Ridding injustices in budget allotments to the universities of this state by the Council of Higher Education; and
- (6) Demanding that CHE allot its monies more closely in accordance with the number of degrees given by each university.

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