SB09-12/13: Amending Fiscal Policy

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Resolution Amending Fiscal Policy
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Whereas Article 25 Section 2 of The Associated Students of The University of Montana (ASUM) Fiscal Policy states, “After expense forms have been approved by the ASUM Elections Committee, ASUM will match 50% of candidate expenditures with receipts in the form of a reimbursement;”

Whereas Article 5 “Elections” Section H.4 of the ASUM Bylaws states, “Candidates may choose to be reimbursed for campaigning expenditures to the amount of $10, dependent upon receipts following the General Elections. Expenditures exceeding $10 will be matched 50% by ASUM. Total ASUM contributions shall not exceed $37.50 for Senate candidates, $50 for Business manager candidates and $75 for President/Vice President candidates. All claimed expenditures for reimbursement must have receipts. Expenditures without receipts will not be matched by ASUM;”

Whereas Article 25 Section 2 of ASUM Fiscal Policy and Article 5 Section H.4 of the ASUM Bylaws are not in agreement.

Therefore, Let It Be Resolved that Article 25 Section 2 ASUM Fiscal Policy is amended to state:

“Candidates may choose to be reimbursed for campaigning expenditures to the amount of $10, dependent upon receipts following the General Elections. Expenditures exceeding $10 will be matched 50% by ASUM. Total ASUM contributions shall not exceed $37.50 for Senate candidates, $50 for Business manager candidates and $75 for President/Vice President candidates. All claimed expenditures for reimbursement must have receipts. Expenditures without receipts will not be matched by ASUM.”

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