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The Associated Students of The University of Montana
Resolution Regarding Personnel Policy
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Whereas, section 4.15 of The Associated Students of The University of Montana
(ASUM) Personnel Policy currently states:

“ASUM Senators shall serve as the elected intermediaries between the student
body and 1) the ASUM administration, 2) the University of Montana
administration and 3) the Montana Board of Regents of Higher Education. The
ASUM Senators shall:
  o monitor student opinion, inform students of issues concerning the student
    body, assess needs of the students and address those needs at Senate
    meetings;
  o attend all Senate meetings and serve on at least two committees, including
    at least one ASUM committee;
  o learn about ASUM’s functions and processes, so as to better serve the
    student body;
  o be responsible for fairly allocating ASUM funds among the various
    ASUM recognized organizations during the budgeting process;
  o not be eligible to hold any paid position within ASUM.”

Whereas, section 4.15 of ASUM Personnel Policy is vague in terms of the types of
monetarily-based positions that senators are barred from within ASUM;

Whereas, this lack of clarity is a source of confusion;

Therefore, Let It Be Resolved, that section 4.15 of Personnel Policy be amended to state:

“ASUM Senators shall serve as the elected intermediaries between the student
body and 1) the ASUM administration, 2) The University of
Montana administration and 3) the Montana Board of Regents of Higher
Education. The ASUM Senators shall:
  o monitor student opinion, inform students of issues concerning the student
    body, assess needs of the students and address those needs at Senate
    meetings;
  o attend all Senate meetings and serve on at least two committees, including
    at least one ASUM committee;
  o learn about ASUM’s functions and processes, so as to better serve the
    student body;
  o be responsible for fairly allocating ASUM funds among the various
    ASUM recognized organizations during the budgeting process;
o not be eligible to hold any paid position within any ASUM entity or monetarily-reliant organization.”

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Passed by ASUM Senate: ____________________________, 2013

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Damara Simpson,             Bryn Hagfors,
Relations and Affairs Chair  Chair of the Senate