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1	The Associated Students of The University of Montana	
2	Resolution Regarding Referendum Language for Increased Senate Delegation Size	
3	March 14, 2012	
4	Senate Bill Number: SB43-11/12	
5	Authored by: Jenifer Gursky, ASUM President	
6	Sponsored by: Travis Suzuki, ASUM Senator; Jeff Edmunds, ASUM Vice President;	
7	Zach Brown, ASUM Senator; Asa Hohman, ASUM Senator, Becca Boslough, ASUM Senator;	
8	and Beki Hartmann, ASUM Off-Campus Renter Center Director	
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10	Whereas, the ASUM Senate is the 23 member representational body for The University of	
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11	Montana students;	
12	Whereas, the ASUM Senate represents the student voice on over 150 committees, both within	
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13	ASUM and in the University community;	
14	Whereas, each ASUM Senator during the 2011-2012 academic year, on average, were asked to	
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16	student groups, and represent nearly 800 students each;	
17	Whereas, senators consistently have a full-time academic load, employment and other groups in	
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10	which they participate,	
19	Therefore, Let It Be Resolved that the following language be submitted to the April 2012	
20	elections:	
20	elections.	
21	"The Associated Students of The University of Montana currently has a student senate consisting	
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	Montana has seen a steady increase, resulting in greater demands on representatives' obligations	
24	to committees, student groups and students. The ASUM proposes an amendment to the Article	
25	4, Section 1, Subsection 1 and Article 7, Section 4, Subsection b of the constitution that allows	
26	for a 26 member Senate to better serve and represent the students of The University of Montana.	
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28	Do you support a change to the ASUM constitution to allow for a 26 member Senate?	
20	Do you support a change to the ASOM constitution to allow for a 20 member senate:	
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30	Yes, I support increasing the ASUM Senate to a 26 member body.	
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22	No. I do not support in agreeing the ACIM Carete to a 26 members hadry?	
32	No, I do not support increasing the ASUM Senate to a 26 member body."	
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35	Passed by Committee:, 2012	
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Passed by ASUM Senate:	, 2012
Travis Suzuki,	Jeff Edmunds,
Relations and Affairs Chair	Chair of the Senate