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Authored by: Morgan Corkish, ASUM Senator; Kaden Harrison, SAL;
Sponsored by: Colin Milton, ASUM Senator; Mollie Lemm, ASUM Senator;

Whereas, The Associated Students of the University of Montana (ASUM) Sustainability Coordinator works alongside ASUM on a variety of sustainability issues;

Whereas, The ASUM Sustainability Coordinator currently sits on ASUM’s Sustainability Oversight Board, ASUM’s Recycling Oversight Board, Kless Revolving Energy Loan Fund (KRELF), and Sustainable Campus Committee;

Whereas, The ASUM Sustainability Coordinator is expected to report to the ASUM Senate on a weekly basis;

Whereas, The Sustainability Coordinator’s personnel policy has yet to include the newly added Recycling Oversight Committee;

Whereas, The Sustainability Coordinator needs further clarification regarding its specific roles pertaining to ASUM’s commitment to sustainability;

Whereas, The current ASUM Personnel Policy, under section 4.20, reads;

“Therefore, Let It Be Further Resolved, ASUM amends section 4.20 of ASUM Personnel Policy to read:

“The ASUM Sustainability Coordinator is responsible for promoting, developing, and implementing sustainability initiatives and activities at The University of Montana. The Sustainability Coordinator will work with both students and members of the campus community and serve as a liaison between these two groups. The Sustainability Coordinator will work closely with the Sustainable Campus Committee to develop a comprehensive action plan for The University of Montana based on American College and University Presidents Climate Commitment, the 20x10 Initiative, and other University initiatives. The Sustainability Coordinator will be responsible for initiating educational outreach campaigns aimed at generating student involvement in the University's sustainability efforts. The Sustainability Coordinator must be a current graduate student at The University of Montana.”;
The Sustainability Coordinator will work closely with the ASUM Sustainability Board, collaborating with the board during meetings and partnering on sustainability projects determined by its members. The Sustainability Coordinator will work closely with the Recycling Oversight Committee as a voting member, further developing recycling efforts on our campus and implementing sustainability initiatives through the ASUM office and our agencies. The Sustainability Coordinator will serve as the chair of the Kless Revolving Energy Loan Fund Board. The Sustainability Coordinator will work closely with the Sustainable Campus Committee to develop a comprehensive action plan with the ASUM Sustainability Board and other members of the UM campus community.

Therefore, Let It Be Further Resolved, That this resolution be forwarded to the following: Kat Olson, Sustainability Coordinator; and Braden Fitzgerald, ASUM President.

Passed by Committee: __________________________, 2018
Passed by ASUM Senate: __________________________, 2018

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Connor Fitzpatrick, Brenna Love,
Relations and Affairs Chair Chair of the Senate