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Whereas, The Associated Students of The University of Montana is the elected body to
direct the mission and vision of ASUM and its agencies;

Whereas, ASUM has agencies that respond to students’ needs and interests;

Whereas, ASUM’s Transportation, Child Care, Off-Campus Renter Center, Student
Political Action Director, and Sustainability Director have elected and appointed student
boards;

Whereas, elected student boards have the fiduciary and missional oversight
responsibilities of the agencies they are assigned;

Whereas, it is the responsibility of Agency Directors and ASUM staff to support the
student determined mission and vision of ASUM;

Therefore, Let It Be Resolved that The ASUM Senate amends ASUM Bylaws to read:

Section 26: ASUM Legal Board
A. The ASUM Legal Board shall be composed of no fewer than five (5) and no greater
than seven (7) voting members, of which three (3) will be members of the ASUM
Senate, and at least two (2) will be students-at-large. Non-voting members of the
board shall include the ASUM Legal Director and one (1) current Legal Intern. The
ASUM Legal Board will meet a minimum of once monthly. Sub-committees will
be created as deemed to be necessary by the board with members from the ASUM
Legal Board.
B. The committee shall be chaired by an ASUM Senator. In the event of a special
session, the chair is required to notify all members of the board prior to the meeting
by email or phone in no less than twelve (12) hours. In the absence of a quorum, the
chair shall act in its absence and is subject to its review.
C. Quorum shall consist of a simple majority of those members currently holding
positions.
D. Duties and functions of the ASUM Legal Board will include:
   1. Examining the budget of ASUM Legal each spring prior to ASUM’s budgeting
      session.
   2. Communicating issues within ASUM Legal to ASUM Senate when appropriate.
   3. Working in conjunction with ASUM Legal Director on issues related to ASUM
Productions and its operations.

4. Participating in all ASUM Legal hiring decisions made outside the scope of the ASUM Interview Committee.

5. General oversight of day-to-day business within ASUM Legal where appropriate.

Passed by Committee:____________________, 2011

Passed by ASUM Senate:___________________, 2011

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Travis Suzuki,                 Jeffrey Edmunds,
Relations and Affairs Chair   Chair of the Senate