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SB04-10/11: The University Diversity Plan

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Whereas, The University of Montana has committed itself to supporting a diverse community;

Whereas, The University of Montana has maintained a strategic plan focused on cultural and ethnic diversity for nearly twenty years;

Whereas, Lucy T. France, Director of Equal Opportunity and Affirmative Action, has led a task force charged by President George M. Dennison with revising the original Diversity Plan;

Whereas, this task force developed the 2010 Diversity Plan and has requested the support of the Faculty, Staff, and Student Senates;

Whereas, the updated plan “contains a broader definition of diversity and outlines specific strategies to achieve specific diversity goals throughout the University”;

Whereas, the goals outlined in the revised Diversity Plan work to build the University community’s understanding, respect, and support of diversity;

Whereas, the Diversity Plan calls for the University to provide guidance for students to foster a multicultural society;

Whereas, having a current and up-to-date Diversity Plan is crucial for creating a community that welcomes and supports cultural and ethnic diversity;

Therefore, Let It Be Resolved that the Associated Students of The University of Montana (ASUM) support the implementation of the 2010 revision of the University of Montana’s Diversity Plan;

Let It Be Further Resolved, that the ASUM President will send a copy of this resolution to all interested parties.
Passed by Committee: _________________________, 2010

Passed by Senate: ____________________________, 2010

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