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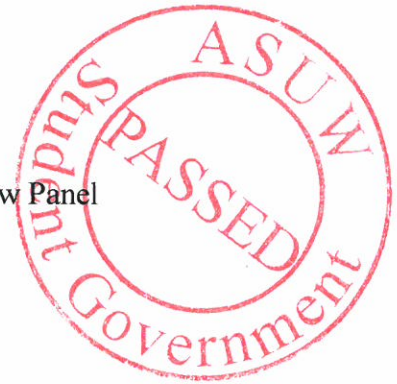
SENATE RESOLUTION #2496

TITLE: ASUW Support of Student Code of Conduct Violation Review Panel

DATE INTRODUCED: March 29, 2016

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SPONSORS: Senators Kerbs and Krell



1. WHEREAS, it is the duty of the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming (ASUW)
2. Student Government to represent our fellow students accurately; and,
3. WHEREAS, the current Student Code of Conduct (Code) calls for a Hearing Officer(s), a
4. faculty or staff member, designated by the Dean of Students to serve as the representative of
5. the University of Wyoming (UW) Community on decisions involving Code violation cases;
6. and,
7. WHEREAS, Code violation cases can refer, but are not limited to, offences against: the
8. University community, persons, property, involving alcohol and drugs, and theft of
9. computer equipment or data; and,
10. WHEREAS, a single Hearing Officer(s) is not as representative of the entire UW campus in
11. comparison to a Code Violation Review Panel; and,
12. WHEREAS, student involvement in UW decisions is encouraged on issues that affect
13. students such as Student Fees and Student Wellness; and,
14. WHEREAS, a Code Violation Review Panel would incorporate student, staff, and faculty
15. input in the developmental process of discipline, utilized by higher education institutions, to
16. reach a decision on punitive measures that is representative of the entire UW Community;
17. and,
18. WHEREAS, the ability to request utilization of a Code Violation Review Panel could be
19. beneficial to the students and/or student organizations accused of violations;

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20. WHEREAS, student involvement in the disciplinary process would have educational

21. benefits to both those students involved and the UW.

22. THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming

23. (ASUW) Student Government that the ASUW Student Government support the

24. implementation of a Student Code of Conduct Violation Review Panel; and,

25. THEREFORE, be it further resolved that the 104th Administration of the ASUW Student

26. Government further investigate the implementation of a Review Panel at the start of the Fall

27. 2016 term.

Referred to: Student Outreach and Policy

Date of Passage: 4/5/16 **Signed:** 
(ASUW Chairperson)

“Being enacted on 4/13/2016, I do hereby sign my name hereto and
approve this Senate action.” 

ASUW President