



**SENATE BILL #2697**

**TITLE:** Expenditures of the ASUW Student Services Endowment

**DATE INTRODUCED:** March 31, 2020

**AUTHOR:** President Wilkins

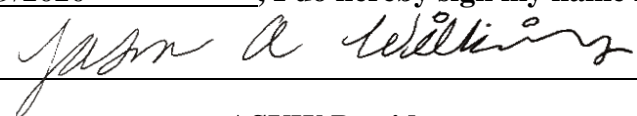
**SPONSORS:** Senators Mulhall, St. Marie, Titus, Vetter, and Welsh

1. WHEREAS, the purpose of the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming
2. (ASUW) Student Government is to serve our fellow students in the best manner possible; and,
3. WHEREAS, the ASUW Student Services Endowment (Facilities Endowment) was created
4. through Senate Bill #2042; and,
5. WHEREAS, the purpose of this endowment is to, “finance the enhancement of student
6. service buildings, venues, or other projects at the University of Wyoming as designated by
7. the ASUW Student Government”; and,
8. WHEREAS, Senate Bill #2561 dedicated a total of \$335,000 from the Facilities Endowment
9. toward both the Union Visioning Plan, and the 10-year Housing Plan; and,
10. WHEREAS, Senate Bill #2561 enacted that any unspent monies return to the Endowment;
11. and,
12. WHEREAS, only \$220,000 of our dedicated funds will be spent; and,
13. WHEREAS, as of January 31, 2020 there is \$604,206.45 available for appropriation from the
14. Facilities Endowment and \$384,206.45 of these funds are undedicted and available for use;
15. and,
16. WHEREAS, the 107<sup>th</sup> Administration has identified various areas on campus that could
17. benefit from these funds, such as Special Projects requests that were not funded due to lack
18. of funds, multiple areas within the Wyoming Union, and a previously approved project
19. for Chi Omega; and,

20. WHEREAS, Addendum A outlines all proposed expenditures from the Facilities  
21. Endowment.  
22. THEREFORE, be it enacted by the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming  
23. (ASUW) Student Government that a total of \$248,254.69 be allocated from the Student  
24. Services Endowment (Facilities Endowment) to fund the areas and projects outlined in  
25. Addendum A; and,  
26. THEREFORE, be it further enacted that upon passage, the ASUW President shall work in  
27. coordination with the ASUW Business Office to ensure these units receive their  
28. appropriations before the end of Fiscal Year 2020; and,  
29. THEREFORE, be it further enacted that any unspent monies from this allocation be returned  
30. back to the ASUW Facilities Endowment.

**Referred to:** Budget and Planning; Program and Institutional Development

**Date of Passage:** 04/07/2020 **Signed:**   
(ASUW Chairperson)

“Being enacted on 04/09/2020, I do hereby sign my name hereto and  
approve this Senate action.”   
ASUW President

## Addendum A

Unit or Area/Price	Description of Project
Wyoming Union/\$115,000.00	Remodel of restrooms in Union to make them more sustainable; includes restrooms near food court and in the basement.
Coe Library – Studio COE/\$13,495.00	Previous SP Request; soundproof walls for Studio Coe recording room.
Multicultural Affairs/\$11,971.17	Previous SP Request; B&P allocated \$9,850.17 to this initial request through SP, but was unable to fund the entire request. This would fund their entire request for updated furniture in the Resource Centers.
UW Planetarium/\$11,703.79	Previous SP Request; upgrades for the planetarium technology
UW Psychology Clinic/\$13,500.00	Previous SP Request; B&P approved most of the request except for carpet replacement due to constraint of funds
Coe Library – Makerspace/\$6,792.93	Previous SP Request; updates to equipment within the Coe Student Innovation Makerspace
ACRES Student Farm/\$3,491.80	Previous SP Request; replacement of solar trailer batteries, and a tarp/canopy to cover the trailer when not in use
Wyoming Union/\$51,600.00	Previous SP Request; B&P chose not to fund the replacement of the airwalls in the Union Ballroom noting financial constraints. The Division of Student Affairs has already purchased the walls, but has asked that we use some of the funds from the Endowment to help cover the expenses.
Pete’s Game Room/\$3,200.00	Basic upkeep of the pool tables in Pete’s Game Room; this includes refelting of tables and ensuring all pockets, rails, etc. are intact and in good shape
Wyoming Union Custodial/\$3,500.00	This year’s Special Project fund approved the Free Menstrual Product Dispensers project. Both Union and Classroom Building were able to cover the initial cost of product for the pilot program, but this would allow each unit to keep the dispensers stocked fully throughout the upcoming year. The Union has 7 dispensers and this estimate is based off of what was purchased for the Spring.

Classroom Building Custodial/\$1,000.00	See above; Classroom has only two dispensers and needs less product
Chi Omega/\$13,000.00	The 105 <sup>th</sup> Administration leadership had approved to pay for a privacy hedge for the Chi Omega Sorority House, but the project was never completed or funded. This will ensure the timely completion of the project.
<b>Total: \$248,254.69</b>	