

Senate Resolution #1751

Title: Class Schedule Based on the Half-Hour

Date: March 3, 1993

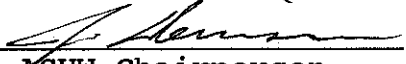
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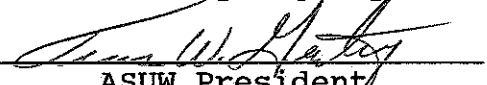
Sponsors: Senators Borszcz, Gianola, Krug, Mathes, Yordy

1. WHEREAS, it has been proposed that the University of Wyoming
2. alter its class schedule in a manner such that classes would
3. begin on the half-hour rather than the hour (i.e. classes would
4. begin at 7:30 a.m. rather than 8:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m. rather
5. than 1:10 p.m., etc.); and
6. WHEREAS, starting classes at 7:30 a.m. may cause significant
7. problems such as increases in child care costs for non-
8. traditional students with children enrolled in Albany County
9. Public Schools (children attending public schools cannot arrive
10. on school grounds until 7:40 a.m. at the very earliest); and
11. WHEREAS, an additional hour of classes each day would increase
12. the length of finals week by as much as half a day; and
13. WHEREAS, at this time the benefits derived from implementing
14. a proposal starting classes on the half-hour do not outweigh
15. the disadvantages and overall hindrance to student success that
16. may result; and
17. WHEREAS, the current dilemma regarding classroom and lab
18. utilization is a problem of convenience rather than an actual
19. lack of space availability;
20. THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Student Senate of the
21. Associated Students of the University of Wyoming that we do not

- 22. support the implementation of a class schedule that is based on
- 23. starting classes on the half-hour.

Referred to: Academic Affairs

Date of Passage: March 23, 1993 Signed: 
ASUW Chairperson

"Being enacted on 4/1/93, I do hereby sign my name
hereto and approve this Senate action." 
ASUW President