

SENATE RESOLUTION #1965

Title: Represent

Date: November 16, 2000

Authors: Committee on Academics and Technology

**Sponsors: Senators Dark, Hande, Kinney, Kirkbride, Madrid, Petersen,
Plemmons, and Schwarz**

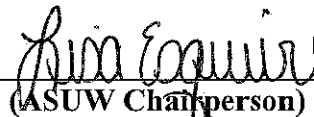
1. WHEREAS, tuition affects all students at the University of Wyoming; and
2. WHEREAS, one student representative acts as the sole voice of all students
3. on the Tuition Structure Committee; and
4. WHEREAS, a sole student voice is not representative of the diverse needs and
5. concerns of the entire student body; and
6. WHEREAS, there is a lack of student involvement in the development and
7. implementation of the proposed tuition structure changes; and
8. WHEREAS, an ASUW "What do YOU Want Wednesday" poll of 62 students
9. on November 8, 2000 in the Wyoming Union (Addendum A) revealed only
10. 14.5% of those polled strongly agreed they were familiar with the proposed
11. tuition plan; and
12. WHEREAS, the aforementioned poll also reflected only 6.4% of students
13. strongly agreed there was a problem with the current tuition structure; and
14. WHEREAS, the aforementioned poll found no students who felt the proposed
15. tuition structure a positive idea; and
16. WHEREAS, the two ASUW sponsored Tuition Open Forums on November
17. 27, 2000 in the Wyoming Union reflected students' desire for continuing
18. participation in the University of Wyoming tuition restructuring discussion;

19. and
20. WHEREAS, it is the opinion of the 2000-2001 ASUW Committee on
21. Academics and Technology that students at the University of Wyoming need
22. a direct, strong voice on the Tuition Structure Committee in order to
23. effectively formulate a policy and tuition structure that balances the diverse
24. needs and concerns of all University of Wyoming full and part time students.
25. THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Student Senate of the Associated Students
26. of the University of Wyoming that the tuition committee should have a two to
27. one ratio between administration and the students to represent; and
28. THEREFORE, be it further resolved by the Student Senate of the Associated
29. Students of the University of Wyoming that the ASUW Committee on
30. Academics and Technology, the ASUW Student Relations Committee, the
31. ASUW President, and the ASUW Executive Assistant working with public
32. relations tasks and/or the *Branding Iron* newspaper aid these student
33. representatives in any manner possible.

Referred to: Committee of the Whole

Date of Passage: November 28, 2000
EMERGENCY PROCEEDINGS

Signed: _____


(ASUW Chairperson)

“Being enacted on Nov 30, 2000, I do hereby sign my name hereto and
approve this Senate action.” _____


ASUW President

ADDENDUM A

Tuition Restructuring Survey Results

November 8, 2000 – Wyoming Union
Administered from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. MST

I have heard about the proposed University of Wyoming tuition restructuring plan.

Yes	No	No Answer
44	17	1

I feel that I am familiar with the proposed restructuring plan. (if answer is 3 or below, do not ask question 4.)

1	2	3	4	5	No Answer
17	14	12	9	9	1

I feel there is a problem with the current tuition structure.

1	2	3	4	5	No Answer
17	9	18	7	4	7

I think that the proposed tuition structure change is a positive idea.

1	2	3	4	5	No Answer
9	5	1	3	0	44

I have withdrawn from a class.

Yes	No	No Answer
29	33	

I feel that I understand the University of Wyoming's current withdrawal policy.

1	2	3	4	5	No Answer
6	4	6	22	23	1

I sign up for more classes in a semester that I know I can complete.

Yes	No	No Answer
6	56	

I have been wait listed for a class that was necessary for my graduation. (If no, go to question number 10)

Yes	No	No Answer
17	45	

I eventually got into that wait listed class.

Yes	No	No Answer
11	6	

I want to know more about tuition restructuring and would be willing to attend an open forum on the subject.

1	2	3	4	5	No Answer
6	5	18	14	16	3

1 – Strongly Disagree

2 –

3 – Neutral

4 –

5 – Strongly Agree