

SENATE RESOLUTION #2160

Title: Proposed Mandatory Student Fee Increases for FY 08 (2007-2008)
Date: November 20, 2006
Authors: ASUW Mandatory Student Fee Committee
Sponsors: Senators Carroll, Heimann, Jensen, Primus; Students-at-Large Guier, Waite, D. Wilson

1. WHEREAS, the state of Wyoming executive branch proposes that University
2. of Wyoming salary funding be increased by 3.5 % each year of the biennium
3. for merit salary increases; and
4. WHEREAS, the executive branch proposal further includes a
5. recommendation to sustain the 85% employer contribution for employee
6. health insurance in light of anticipated increases; and
7. WHEREAS, the salary increases will help the institution recruit and retain the
8. best faculty and staff, especially at a time when other state universities are
9. unable to significantly raise salaries; and
10. WHEREAS, the cost of health insurance is anticipated to increase 20% for
11. Fiscal Year 2008 (FY 08); and
12. WHEREAS, the College of Arts and Sciences provides affordable and quality
13. programming to all University of Wyoming students through music, theatre,
14. and cultural experiences; and
15. WHEREAS, the University of Wyoming is expected to be a cultural leader\
16. within the state; and
17. WHEREAS, Campus Recreation is a visible and highly used student service
18. that is in need of additional weekend staff; and

19. WHEREAS, the Club Sports Program and Outdoor Adventure Program are
20. programs that enhance the total student experience at the University of
21. Wyoming; and
22. WHEREAS, the University of Wyoming Recycling Program needs funds to
23. meet current program demands; and
24. WHEREAS, the University of Wyoming Physical Plant Recycling Program
25. needs additional funding to sustain its current services; and
26. WHEREAS, student wellness is a primary concern for the University of
27. Wyoming; and
28. WHEREAS, the AWARE Program strives to promote student wellness
29. through student programming and peer education; and
30. WHEREAS, an additional graduate assistant is needed in the AWARE
31. Program to meet the growing needs of students referred to the AWARE
32. Program as well as increased student programming.
33. THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Associated Students of the University of
34. Wyoming that proposed fee increases for FY 08 are supported in accordance
35. with Addendum A.

Referred to: Committee of the Whole

Date of Passage: December 5, 2006 Signed: *Rebecca Jafar*
(ASUW Chairperson)

“Being enacted on December 7, 2006, I do hereby sign my name
hereto and approve this Senate action.” *Travis Jordan*
ASUW President

ADDENDUM A

ASUW Senate recommendations on the proposed mandatory student fee increases for
FY 08.

Academic Year Fee Increases

Department/Program	Increase Proposed	ASUW Recommendation
ASUW	\$1.00/semester	\$0.54/semester
Staff Salaries	\$0.47	Yes
Executive Salaries	\$0.07	Yes
ASUW Programs	\$0.46	No
Athletics	None	—
AWARE Program/Wellness	\$1.00/semester	\$1.00/semester
Additional Graduate Assistant		Yes
Increase in salary and health insurance for current Graduate Assistant		Yes
Financial support for Peer Education programming		Yes
Campus Recreation	\$5.00/semester; \$3.75/summer	\$5.00/semester
Staff Salary Increase		Yes
Club Sports support		Yes
Outdoor Adventure Program support		Yes
Graduate Assistant Position for in-field		Yes
College of Arts and Sciences	\$0.90/semester; \$0.27/summer	\$1.20/semester
Theatre and Dance	\$0.30	Yes, increase to \$0.40
Music Department	\$0.30	Yes, increase to \$0.40
Cultural Programs	\$0.30	Yes, increase to \$0.40
Recycling	\$1.00/semester	\$1.00/semester
Student Health	\$6.00/semester; \$4.50/summer	\$6.00/semester
Staff Salary Increases		Yes
Student Publications	\$1.10/semester; \$0.10/summer	\$1.10/semester
Staff Salary Increases		Yes
Student Salary Increases		Yes
Union	\$3.95/semester; \$0.59/summer	\$3.95/semester
Staff Salary Increases		Yes

Summer Fee Increases

Campus Recreation	\$3.75/summer	\$3.75/summer
Staff Salary Increase		Yes
Club Sports support		Yes
Outdoor Adventure Program support		Yes
Graduate Assistant Position for in-field		Yes
College of Arts and Sciences	\$0.27/summer	\$0.27/summer
Theatre and Dance	\$0.09	Yes
Music Department	\$0.09	Yes
Cultural Programs	\$0.09	Yes
Student Health	\$4.50/summer	\$4.50/summer
Staff Salary Increases		Yes
Student Publications	\$0.10/summer	\$0.10/summer
Staff Salary Increases		Yes
Student Salary Increases		Yes
Union	\$0.59/summer	\$0.59/summer
Staff Salary Increases		Yes