SENATE RESOLUTION #2309

Title: ASUW Support of School Cancellation

Date: February 13, 2011

Author: Senator Abernathy

Sponsors: Senators Defebaugh, Hull, Koohmaraie, Perryman and Wagner

1. WHEREAS, students may serve as effective advocates for issues that directly impact their
2. educational endeavors at the University of Wyoming; and,
3. WHEREAS, the Student Senate of the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming
4. (ASUW) serves to represent and to advocate for student concerns; and,
5. WHEREAS, the ASUW Student Government should promote student health and safety; and,
6. WHEREAS, there is no policy in place to close the university during extreme weather; and,
7. WHEREAS, Laramie is accustomed to severe weather conditions that make it dangerous to
8. travel to and/or attend classes, work, events, and meetings.
9. THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Student Senate of the Associated Students of the
10. University of Wyoming (ASUW) support an University of Wyoming extreme weather
11. closure policy due to extreme weather conditions.
12. THEREFORE, be it further resolved by the Student Senate of the Associated Students of
13. Wyoming (ASUW) that the University of Wyoming administration form a committee by the
14. end of the 2010-2011 academic school year with student, faculty, and administration
15. representation to investigate the necessary details of an extreme weather closure policy in the
16. form of an University of Wyoming Regulation with composition to be decided by the
17. University of Wyoming administration in coordination with the ASUW President.
Referred to: Academics, Technology and Sustainability Committee

Date of Passage: 03/08/2011 Signed: (ASUW Chairperson)

"Being enacted on 3/9/2011, I do hereby sign my name hereto and approve this Senate action."

ASUW President