



**SENATE RESOLUTION #2642**

**TITLE:** ASUW Recommendation on Proposed Mandatory Student Fee Increases for FY20

**DATE INTRODUCED:** November 27, 2018

**AUTHOR:** Vice President Mulhall

**SPONSORS:** Senators Conard, Herold, Lyle, Regnell, Strock, and Wilkins;  
First-Year Senators Diamond, Greig, and Williams

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
3. through accurate representation, professional interaction with campus programs and
4. organizations, and responsible, effective leadership; and,
5. WHEREAS, the ASUW Mandatory Student Fee Committee hears from university fee
6. units annually to formulate recommendations on mandatory student fee requests; and,
7. WHEREAS, the proposals for Fiscal Year 2020 (FY20) aim to maintain and expand
8. student resources at the University of Wyoming (UW); and,
9. WHEREAS, the ASUW proposal for FY20 will fund raises and internal development
10. that will help ASUW further serve the student population; and,
11. WHEREAS, the proposal for an increase in the Consolidated Student Services (CSS) fee
12. will provide funding to help expand important student resources like Student Health
13. Services and Campus Recreation; and,
14. WHEREAS, the proposed increase of the Transit Fee will help to maintain transit
15. resources by funding increased salaries and benefits; and,
16. WHEREAS, the ASUW Mandatory Student Fee Committee found that all of the
17. proposals for FY20 would benefit the student population and create positive change at
18. UW; and,

19. WHEREAS, additional fees for part-time students would place an undue burden on said  
20. students.

21. THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Associated Students of the University of

22. Wyoming (ASUW) Student Government that the ASUW Student Government recommends

23. and supports the Fiscal Year 2020 Mandatory Student Fees outlined in Addendum A; and,

24. THEREFORE, be it further resolved that the ASUW Student Government does not recommend

25. nor does it support the proposal for changes in the Consolidated Student Fee as outlined in

26. Addendum B.

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

**Date of Passage:** 12/4/18 **Signed:** Alexandra Mulhall  
(ASUW Chairperson)

“Being enacted on 12/6/18, I do hereby sign my name hereto and

approve this Senate action.” Seth Jones  
ASUW President

### Addendum A

|  | <u>FY 19 Actual Fee</u> | <u>FY 20 Proposed<br/>Fee Increase Per<br/>Semester</u> | <u>Percent Increase<br/>Per Semester</u> | <u>ASUW FY 20<br/>Total Fee<br/>Recommendation</u> |
|--|-------------------------|---|--|--|
| <b>ASUW</b>                              | \$ 43.19                | \$ 2.50   | 5.79%                                    | \$ 45.69   |
| <b>Consolidated<br/>Student Services</b> | \$ 402.28               | \$ 10.81  | 2.61%                                    | \$ 413.09  |
| <b>Intercollegiate<br/>Athletics</b>     | \$ 125.00               | -----<br>-  | 0.00%                                    | \$ 125.00  |
| <b>Music/Theater</b>                     | \$ 6.05                 | -----<br>--   | 0.00%                                    | \$ 6.05  |
| <b>Recycling</b>                         | \$ 10.12                | -----<br>--   | 0.00%                                    | \$ 10.12   |
| <b>Student Media</b>                     | \$ 21.19                | -----<br>--   | 0.00%                                    | \$ 21.19   |
| <b>Student Success</b>                   | \$ 28.00                | -----<br>--   | 0.00%                                    | \$ 28.00   |
| <b>Transit Fee</b>                       | \$ 53.96                | \$ 2.37   | 4.3%                                     | \$ 56.33   |
| <b>Total</b>                             | \$ 689.79               | \$ 15.68  | 2.23%                                    | \$ 705.47  |

## Addendum B

| Mandatory Fees, Academic Year, <del>Full-time</del> Students per semester  | FY 2019   | Chart Field   |
|--|---|---|
| <del>Full-time student</del> 5 or more credit hours  |   |   |
| ASUW   | 43.19   |   |
| Consolidated St.   | 402.28  | <a href="#">360.28</a> ORG: 30001<br><a href="#">42.00</a> Half Acre<br><a href="#">Bond</a>                          |
| Intercollegiate Athletics  | 125.00  | 123.50/10-40401-<br>105-070001-9001-<br>001-0000-0000-<br>01.50/10-40401-<br>105-070001-<br>13221-001-0000-<br>0000-0 |
| Music/ Theatre   | 6.05  |   |
| Recycling  | 10.12   |   |
| Student Media  | 21.19   |   |
| Student Success  | 28.00   |   |
| Transit Fee  | 53.96   |   |
| <b>Total for</b> 5 or more credit hours <del>part-time</del> <b>students</b>   | <b>689.79</b>   |   |
| <del>Total for part-time students</del>  |   |   |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Students taking 1-4 credit hours (fee per credit hour) plus flat rate fee for Transit of \$53.96 and Student Success fee of \$28.00 for FY 2019</b><br/>FY 2019- ASUW (7.10), Music/Theatre (0.99), Recycling (1.66), Student Media (3.48) and Consolidated Student Services Fee (23.08)</li> <li>• <del>Students taking 4 or more credit hours (flat rate fee)</del><br/><del>FY 2019- ASUW (43.19), Music/Theatre (6.05), Recycling (10.12), Student Media (21.19) and Consolidated Student Services Fee* (171.30) Transit Fee (53.96) Student Success (28.00)</del></li> </ul> <p><i>*Please Note: The consolidated student service fee for part-time students does not include student Health Service or Campus Recreation. Part-Time students can purchase the optional fee package (page 12)</i></p> | <b>36.31 per hour</b><br><b>81.96 flat fee</b><br><br><b>333.81</b> |   |

### Optional Student Fee Package

The Optional Student Fee Package is available to all part-time students, excluding employees exercising their employee fee benefit privileges. Part-time students electing to enroll in the student medical insurance program must also purchase the Optional Student Fee Package. The Optional Student Fee Package entitles the student to the following full-time student benefits: eligibility for services of the Student Health Service, access to Recreational activities, and admission to intercollegiate athletic events.

Purchase of the Optional Student Fee Package does not classify you as a full-time student for purposes of full-time equivalent status in the Registrar's Office (i.e., loan certification, government statistics, etc.) unless you fit into one of the following two categories:

- (a) master's candidates who have a program of study on file in the Graduate School, who have completed at least 90% of the coursework for the master's degree, are working full-time on his/her thesis or Plan B paper (certified by major professor and department head), and are enrolled for at least 1 hour; or
- (b) doctoral candidates who have a program of study on file, who have successfully completed the preliminary examination, are working full-time on his/her dissertation or research project (certified by major professor and department head), and are enrolled for at least 1 hour.

Students who fit within the two special categories described above must fill out the Petition for the Optional

~~Student Fee Package regardless of whether they have an assistantship or not in order to receive the full-time student benefits. If these students also wish to purchase student medical insurance, they must contact the Risk Management and Insurance office to complete the necessary paperwork after the petition has been approved and before the insurance enrollment period ends for the semester.~~

~~The master's candidate is eligible to participate in the Optional Student Fee Package for a period not to exceed four (4) consecutive academic terms (excluding summer sessions). The doctoral candidate is eligible to participate in the Optional Student Fee Package for a period not to exceed six (6) consecutive academic terms (excluding summer sessions).~~

~~Fees included in the Optional Student Fee Package are: Consolidated Student Services (includes Student Health Service and Campus Recreation), and Intercollegiate Athletics.~~