SENATE BILL #2921

TITLE: Procedure for Selecting First Year Senate Advisor

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- 1. WHEREAS, the purpose of the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming
- 2. (ASUW) is to serve our fellow students in the best manner possible; and,
- 3. WHEREAS, the ASUW First-Year Senate (FYS) has an advisor that provides
- 4. assistance and guidance to the body when needed; and,
- 5. WHEREAS, when the ASUW Budget allows, the selection of the FYS Advisor
- 6. sometimes occurs outside of the academic year; and,
- 7. WHEREAS, the ASUW By-Laws detail the procedure for selecting a FYS Advisor, but
- 8. the current procedure does not provide instructions for selection during the summer
- 9. months; and,
- 10. WHEREAS, when the selection process has previously occured in the summer, student
- 11. involvement is limited and difficult; and,
- 12. WHEREAS, establishing a procedure to select the FYS Advisor that involves ASUW
- 13. members is essential to the operational integrity of the student government; and,
- 14. WHEREAS, the following amendment to the ASUW By-Laws would codify procedures
- 15. to select a FYS Advisor, either during or outside of the academic year; and,
- 16. WHEREAS, the amendment ensures student involvement in the interview and selection
- 17. process.



- 18. THEREFORE, be it enacted by the Associated Students of the University of
- 19. Wyoming (ASUW) Student Government that the ASUW By-Laws be amended to reflect
- 20. the changes shown in Addendum A; and,
- 21. THEREFORE, be it further enacted that these changes take effect on May 3, 2024.

Referred to: Programs and Institutional Development
Date of Passage: November 28th, 2023 Signed:
(ASUW Chairperson)
"Being enacted on November 28th, 2023, I do hereby sign my name hereto
and approve this Senate action." SABER SMITH
ASUW President

Addendum A

ASUW By-Laws

Article 7. Programs and Services

Section 7.03 Community Programs

10. Section 6 outlines the process by which a student advisor will be chosen to serve the ASUW First Year Senate. In selecting a student advisor, the Program and Institutional Development Committee will serve as the search committee alongside the ASUW Advisor, appropriate executives, and the outgoing First-Year Senate advisor if attendance is available and appropriate. The ASUW Advisor will serve as chairperson of the search committee. The Program and Institutional Development Committee will serve as the search and selection committee for the ASUW First-Year Senate Advisor alongside the ASUW Advisor, the ASUW Project Coordinator, and the outgoing First-Year Senate Advisor if attendance is available and appropriate. If a First-Year Senate Advisor is to be selected before the beginning of the semester, the Intersession Oversight Committee, the ASUW Advisor, the ASUW Project Coordinator, and the outgoing First-Year Senate Advisor (if available and appropriate) will serve as the search and selection committee. The ASUW Advisor will serve as chairperson of the search and selection committee. The ASUW Advisor, the ASUW Project Coordinator, and at least one student from the committee will conduct candidate interviews.