

SENATE BILL #2940

TITLE: Revisions to the ASUW Elections Policy Regarding
President and Vice President Candidate Ticket
Endorsements

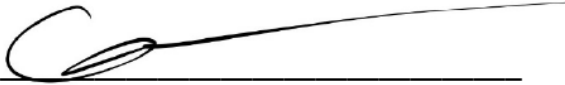
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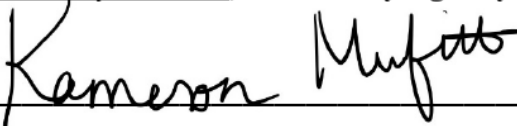
SPONSORS: Senator(s) Bouma, Brown; First Year Senator(s) Gonzalas

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 current ASUW Elections Policy has many discrepancies that need to be
4. fixed before the 112th Administration Elections are able to take place in order to allow
5. for the most efficient process possible; and,
6. WHEREAS, in Section 1.06 Subsection 5 Clause D there is a possibility for confusion
7. over how endorsements work for President and Vice President Tickets; and
8. WHEREAS, adding Subpoints to this Clause outlining how endorsements for these
9. tickets work with the ranked choice voting system would be very beneficial; and,
10. WHEREAS the ASUW Elections Policy should be changed as reflected in Addendum
11. A.
12. THEREFORE, be it enacted by the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming
13. Student Government that Section 1.06 Subsection 1 Clause A of the ASUW Elections
14. Policy be amended as reflected in Addendum A; and
15. THEREFORE, be it further resolved that these changes are effective immediately.

Referred to: HOPE, PID, and SOFB

Date of Passage: February 6th, 2024 Signed: 
(ASUW Chairperson)

“Being enacted on February 6th, 2024, I do hereby sign my name hereto and approve this

Senate action.” 

ASUW President

Addendum A

Section 1.06 Campaign Rules

5. Endorsements

D. Public endorsements are statements of support for a candidate or ticket by any individual or group.

- a. If a student organization uses the ranked choice voting system to endorse candidates, the candidate must clearly display which number they were ranked.
- b. Presidential and Vice Presidential Candidates, when asking for endorsement, must clearly specify to the student organization that ASUW uses a ranked choice voting system for President and Vice President tickets.

- i. Statement for Candidate use:

“For the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming Elections, the President and Vice President tickets are voted on through ranked choice voting systems. When endorsing different tickets for this election, you are highly encouraged to list each candidate in the ranked position your registered student organization believes people should vote for. However, this is not a required system to endorse candidates.”