



SENATE RESOLUTION #2962

TITLE: ASUW Thanks the Wyoming Coal Industry
DATE INTRODUCED: 03/25/24
AUTHOR: Senator Saint
SPONSORS: Senators Schliebe, Brown, Slattery, Bogani, Culp, First-Year Senator Fink, First-Year Senator Jackim

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 Wyoming coal industry is a vital legacy industry for the State of
4. Wyoming and the University of Wyoming; and,
5. WHEREAS, the royalties from Wyoming coal mines provide University of Wyoming
6. students with low tuition rates that are drastically lower compared to most other four-
7. year universities across the nation; and,
8. WHEREAS, ASUW recognizes the large impact the Wyoming coal industry provides to
9. Wyoming cities and culture; and,
10. WHEREAS, Wyoming K-12 schools are largely funded by coal royalties; and,
11. WHEREAS, the impact of the Wyoming coal industry is largely taken for granted but
12. ASUW recognizes its importance to all those who reside in the State of Wyoming.
13. THEREFORE, be it resolved that after the passage of this resolution, copies of this
14. resolution shall be sent to the following Wyoming coal mine offices: Belle Ary Mine,
15. Eagle Butte Mine, Antelope Mine, Black Thunder Mine, Buckskin Mine, Caballo Mine,
16. Coal Creek Mine, Cordero Rojo Mine, Dry Fork Mine, Eagle Butte Mine, North
17. Antelope Rochelle Mine, Rawhide Mine, Wyodak Mine, Black Butte/Leucite

18. Hills Mines, Jim Bridger Mine, and Kemmerer Mine; and,
19. THEREFORE, be it further resolved that copies of this resolution be distributed
20. to the student body, the Governor of Wyoming's Office, and University administration;
21. and,
22. THEREFORE, be it further resolved by the Associated Students of the University of
23. Wyoming (ASUW) Student Government that this resolution stands upon passage.

Referred to: ADP and HOPE

Date of Passage: April 2nd, 2024

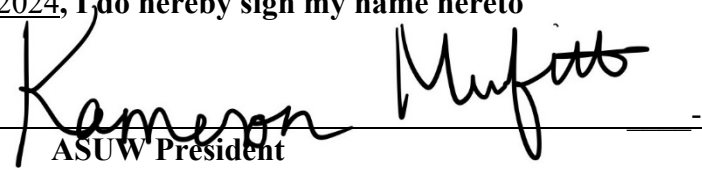
Signed: _____



(ASUW Chairperson)

“Being enacted on April 2nd, 2024, I do hereby sign my name hereto

and approve this Senate action.” _____



ASUW President

Addendum A

Letter to Wyoming Coal Mines from ASUW

Dear Wyoming Coal Miners,

The Associated Students of the University of Wyoming would like to thank you for all that you do to provide for our communities and state as a whole. The Wyoming coal industry is the backbone of Wyoming and without it, Wyoming would not be much of a state. The industry, through royalties, provides for our schools, towns and cities, county and state fairs, and the University of Wyoming. University of Wyoming students have some of the lowest tuition rates in the entire country and we know it is largely because of the coal industry. Without our legacy industry, coal, the University of Wyoming would be a less attractive place for young people to come to college. Thank you for all that you do!

Sincerely,

The Associated Students of the University of Wyoming