Senate Resolution

To: The Student Senate of the University of North Dakota

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CC: Nick Creamer - Student Body President, Lexi Hanson - Student Body Vice President, Cassie Gerhart - Student Government Advisor

Date: 10/13/2013
Re: Budget and Student Fee Transparency

Whereas, the University of North Dakota Student Government is committed to maintaining an open information policy with all students, staff, and administrators, and

Whereas, much of the concern in regards to information is in the allocation of student fee money by Student Government, and

Whereas, the Student Fee Advisory Committee is beginning the process of recommending student fee allocations for the University, and

Whereas, Student Government is undergoing the process of formulating a budget for the upcoming year, and

Whereas, students, staff, and administrators should be kept aware of how Student Government is formulating a budget, including the programs and initiatives to be funded, and

Whereas, the Student Fee Advisory Committee is holding an open forum to discuss the student fee allocations process and where student fee money should be allocated, and

Therefore, be it resolved that Student Government encourages all students to attend the open forum on student fees being held October 21 from 3:00 to 4:00 PM and October 24 from 11:00 AM to 12:00 PM at the Loading Dock, and

Therefore, be it further resolved that Student Government will be transparent in the process of forming a budget and funding projects, and

Therefore, be it furthest resolved that Student Government will remain open to the suggestions and recommendations of students in the budget-making process.

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Student Body President, Nick Creamer