

Resolution No. 2008-09-02

Sponsored by: Charmaine Ibarra, Director of Statewide Affairs

Resolution in Support of the CSSA Structure Proposal

- 1) WHEREAS, The Associated Students of California State University Channel Islands have been entrusted to represent and fight in favor of the best interests of our constituents, the students which make up our campus community; and
- 2) WHEREAS, It is the mission of the Associated Student, Inc. to educate students on those issues that impact them, and advocate for the student perspective to the appropriate parties, which include the university administration, the local community, and the State of California; and
- 3) WHEREAS, The California State Student Association represents over 450,000 students of the California State University system and has a long history of representing our students on statewide issues; and
- 4) WHEREAS, Many university Associated Students organizations in the California State University have expressed an interest in amending the internal and external operations of the California State Student Association; and
- 5) WHEREAS, The California State Student Association Board of Directors have passed, and put forward for ratification to the individual Associated Students organizations, a proposal to amend said structure; and
- 6) WHEREAS, Said proposal includes amendments to the executive structure of the California State Student Association, lowers membership dues to \$.60 per student, requests a two year MOU from all member campuses, calls for a mid-year performance evaluation of the Executive Director, and institutes proportional voting on matters of the student voice; and
- 7) WHEREAS, The dire on-going budget climate surrounding the California State University system warrants a commitment to collective advocacy at the statewide level; therefore be it,
- 8) RESOLVED, That the Associated Students of CSUCI approve the proposal set forth by the California State Student Association at the December 2008 plenary, and be it further;
- 9) RESOLVED, That the Associated Students of CSUCI will be a dues paying member of the California State Student Association next year and in the foreseeable future, and be it further
- 10) RESOLVED, That the Associated Students of CSUCI urge the California State Student Association to evaluate the outcomes of said proposal annually, and be it further;

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- 11) RESOLVED, That the Associated Students of CSUCI will closely monitor our continued membership with the California State Student Association as a result of the passage of this proposal, and be it further;
- 12) RESOVLED, This resolution shall be sent to, but not limited to: the California State Student Association, CSU Chancellor Reed, all members of the Board of Trustees; President Richard R. Rush; Vice President of Student Affairs, Dr. William Gregory Sawyer and all CSU Associated Students.

Alexandra Mitchell
President

Dustin Erickson
Vice President

Approved on the eighteenth day of February, 2009.

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