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ASUCD SENATE BILL #67

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An ASUCD Senate Bill to establish the Research and Data Center Unit.

BACKGROUND: Currently within ASUCD, there is no centralized mechanism or structure to obtain and consolidate the thoughts and perspectives of the diverse student body on decisions made by ASUCD groups or campus administration. This bill will establish a new unit, the Research and Data Center, tasked with providing accurate quantitative and/or qualitative data on topics of interest to ASUCD bodies. The goal of the collected data will be to make better informed decisions on policy changes and unit operations.

Section 1. The ASUCD Senate hereby amends Section 2201(A)(1) of the ASUCD Bylaws as follows:

(1) The following shall be considered ASUCD Units, entitled to all rights and privileges granted to ASUCD Units as described in the ASUCD Constitution and Bylaws:

- i. Aggie Reuse
- ii. Bike Barn
- iii. The California Aggie
- iv. Campus Center for the Environment (CCE)
- v. Coffee House
- vi. Creative Media
- vii. Entertainment Council (EC)
- viii. ASUCD Gardens
- ix. Housing Advising for Undergraduate Students (HAUS)
- x. KDVS

- xi. The Pantry
- xii. Picnic Day
- xiii. Refrigerator Services
- xiv. Research and Data Center
- xv. Unitrans
- xvi. Whole Earth Festival (WEF)

Section 2. The ASUCD Senate hereby amends Section 2202(A)(1) of the ASUCD Bylaws as follows:

(1) The following ASUCD Units and any respective Subunits shall be defined as Advocacy Units:

- i. Campus Center for the Environment (CCE)
- ii. Research and Data Center

Section 3. The ASUCD Senate hereby amends Section 808(E)(1) as follows:

(1) The membership of the Board of Unit Directing Students consists of representatives of the following ASUCD Units:

- i. Aggie Reuse Store
- ii. Bike Barn
- iii. California Aggie
- iv. Coffee House
- v. Creative Media
- vi. Entertainment Council
- vii. Experimental Community Gardens
- viii. HAUS
- ix. KDVS
- x. Office of the External Affairs Vice President
- xi. Pantry
- xii. Picnic Day
- xiii. Project Compost/ Campus Center for the Environment
- xiv. Refrigerator Services
- xv. Research and Data Center
- xvi. Unitrans

xvii. Whole Earth Festival

Section 4. The ASUCD Senate hereby enacts Section 606 of the ASUCD Bylaws as follows:

606. PRESIDENTIAL CAMPUS-WIDE EMAIL

- A. The ASUCD President has the ability to send an email to all undergraduate students three (3) times a quarter, per an MOU with Student Affairs. This email shall be known as the presidential campus-wide email.

(1) The Unit Director of the Research and Data Center may elect to request one (1) or more surveys completed by the unit to be included in the presidential campus-wide emails. Upon receiving the request, the ASUCD President will then be compelled to, within one (1) week, approve the survey, approve the survey as amended, or deny the survey via a written notification. A lack of written notification within one (1) week will be interpreted as a denial of the survey. If the ASUCD President approves the survey or approves the survey as amended, then the ASUCD President should include the approved survey in a presidential campus-wide email within a quarter from the time of approval. The survey is still subject to the approval of the ASUCD Business Manager, Associate Vice Chancellor of Student Life, and Vice Chancellor of Student Affairs, per the MOU with Student Affairs.

Finance: No

Appropriation: None

Vote: Majority