

Associated Students, Inc.
California Polytechnic State University
San Luis Obispo

Resolution #11- 04

Shared Governance Resolution

WHEREAS: Associated Students, Inc. (ASI) Board of Directors is the official voice of Cal Poly students, and

WHEREAS: Over the past thirty years, Cal Poly has established a great tradition of shared governance, and

WHEREAS: Shared governance, in our vision, is the commitment to support any and all forms of student representation as a legitimate expression of the collective student voice throughout all levels of the campus community, and

WHEREAS: All members of the campus community; student body, faculty, staff and administration, have a right and responsibility to participate in the governance process, and

WHEREAS: Decision-making includes open, equitable, timely and fully informed communication accessible to all members of the campus community, and

WHEREAS: All of the campus entities comprising the campus community deserve to be recognized for their own ideas, efforts and actions, and

WHEREAS: The importance of shared governance can be seen throughout all levels of the campus community, and

WHEREAS: President Armstrong has recognized the importance of continuing the tradition of shared governance through his support of BOD Resolution #11-04.

THEREFORE
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RESOLVED: ASI is committed to enhancing its long lasting tradition of shared governance in order to strengthen the relationship between ASI, the students of Cal Poly and the University, and

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RESOLVED: ASI will continue to work with the administration to discuss issues that affect the entire university by promoting respect, understanding, communication and compromise towards all parties involved, and

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RESOLVED: ASI is confident that continued, open discussion with the administration is the best way to ensure that issues are handled with consideration to everyone and will help to maintain positive relationships, and

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RESOLVED: ASI is committed to informing students and serving as a communication vehicle between students and the administration by addressing their concerns and advocating on their behalf through our commitment to shared governance, and

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RESOLVED: While we currently enjoy an open dialog between the student body, faculty, staff and administration, we are committed to fostering the principles and evolution of shared governance, and

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RESOLVED: We enthusiastically embrace all opportunities to continue to work closely with the administration, faculty and staff through campus wide committees and sub-committees to be engaged in discussions that are important to the student body.

CERTIFIED as the true and correct copy, in witness thereof, I have set my hand and Seal of the Associated Students, Inc. this ___ day of _____, 2011.

ADOPTED at the regular meeting of the Board of Directors by unanimous vote on May 4, 2011.

ASI Secretary

ASI Chair of the Board

ASI President

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