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Budget Oversight Committee

SHORT TITLE:

A resolution to create the Budget Oversight Committee.

Whereas,

The Funds for the Student Government Association are generated by

student fees and

Whereas,

The use of this money is intended for the use to better serve Arkansas

State students and

Whereas,

Students need to have more of a say so in where their money is going and

Whereas,

Currently we don't have any mechanism in place to direct how SGA

money is spent after we, the Senate, pass the yearly budget.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERITY THAT:

- 1. The Budget Oversight Committee be created.
- 2. The committee shall be made-up of two at large students, four SGA senators and that the committee chairman/chairwoman be selected by the Senate.
- 3. Committee Members shall meet once a month examine the budget. The committee will examine proposals by the President for Salary raises and will review any budget transfers within categories. Upon review committee will make a recommendation to the SGA to support the proposal or to not support it and give a written statement for the committee's position.
- 4. The President shall retain the power to give Student Organizations money if he/she feels that they are deserving of the money. However, it is highly recommended that he/she make this decision with the help of the Action Fund Commissioner and/or the Budget Oversight Chairman/Chairwoman.

Pass

Hampton, Vice President

Fail

Shelley Lun Beck President