



1 **Sponsor:** Vice President of the Assembly Hochhauser

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3 Bill authorizing SGA to participate in Canvassing the Campus

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5 WHEREAS, the Student Government Association is the official student governing body for Illinois State
6 University;

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8 WHEREAS, building constituent relations and increasing visibility are priorities of the 2009-2010
9 Student Government Association Administration;

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11 WHEREAS, it is important for our constituents to understand that senators represent the students directly
12 in Student Government Association, making their feedback on issues pertaining to the student body
13 valuable;

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15 WHEREAS, cabinet members are experts in their particular field and can offer valuable information to
16 the student body;

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18 WHEREAS face to face contact with constituents will enable Student Government Association to better
19 represent the student body and increase communication with the student body;

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21 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Assembly of the Student Government Association authorizes
22 SGA's participation in *Canvassing the Campus* at least 6 times per semester to gain general or specific
23 feedback on pressing issues on campus for 2 hours per event;

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25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, attending 6 hours per semester with a maximum of 2 hours per event of
26 *Canvassing the Campus* events is mandatory for all members of the legislative branch and executive
27 branch;

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29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Assembly of the Student Government Association directs the Vice
30 President of the Assembly and the Secretary of Public Relations to coordinate all *Canvassing the Campus*
31 events and provide the dates and locations of the events and expectations of the participants at least 10
32 days prior to each event;

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34 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Vice President of the Assembly and Secretary of Public Relations
35 will collaborate with the Executive Director to cover any incidental expenses from the Constituent
36 Contact line item in the SGA FY '10 Operational Budget.

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39 Adopted by the Assembly of the Student Government Association on the 16 day of
40 September 2009.

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42 We hereunto set our hands in affirmation of the adoption of this resolution by the Assembly of the
43 Student Government Association:

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47 Matt Spialek, Student Body President

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47 Mike Carnahan, President of the Assembly

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50 I hereunto set my hand it witness and certification of the adoption of this resolution by the Assembly of
51 the Student Government Association:



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Mary McMahon, Secretary of the Assembly

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