



1 **Sponsors:** Student Body President Spialek, President of the Assembly Carnahan, Secretary
2 McMahon, Senator Ruedig, Senator Owens, Senator Colaric, Senator Yancey

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4 Resolution Establishing Transparency for the Budget Review Recommendations

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

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9 WHEREAS, creating a culture of transparency is a goal of the 2009-2010 Student Government
10 Association;

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12 WHEREAS, the Budget Review recommendations should be made available for the student
13 body to offer input;

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15 WHEREAS, the Budget Review recommendations will be made available to the Student
16 Government Association on January 27, 2010 and will be voted on by the Assembly of the
17 Student Government Association on February 24, 2010;

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19 WHEREAS, all Executive Officers, On-Campus Senators, Off-Campus Senators, and
20 Underrepresented Senators are required to hold at least one constituent contact event per group to
21 inform students about the Budget Review recommendations between January 28, 2010 and
22 February 24, 2010;

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24 WHEREAS, due to the absence of a second graduate senator, Senator Yancey is still required to
25 inform graduate constituents but may do so by participating with one of the above mentioned
26 groups;

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28 WHEREAS, Secretary Cahanin is required to attend all constituent contact events unless an issue
29 arises that would be deemed ‘not present’ by Secretary of the Assembly McMahon;

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31 WHEREAS, failure to attend a Budget Review constituent contact event will result in an absence
32 for an individual and failure to host a Budget Review event will result in an unexcused absence
33 for each member of the group that failed to hold an event;

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35 WHEREAS, all constituent contact events must be approved by Vice President of the Assembly
36 Hochhauser;

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38 WHEREAS, Canvassing the Campus is separate from a constituent contact event;

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40 WHEREAS, all members of the Student Government Association are required to distribute
41 information about the Budget Review recommendations through at least one Canvassing the
42 Campus event between January 28, 2010 and February 24, 2010;

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44 WHEREAS, the Student Government Association will utilize other media to establish
45 transparency through the Budget Review recommendations process;

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47 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Assembly of the Student Government Association
48 directs the Student Government Association to establish transparency for the Budget Review
49 recommendations;

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51 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Assembly of the Student Government Association directs
52 Secretary Olson to post the Budget Review recommendations on the SGA Web site;

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54 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Assembly of the Student Government Association directs
55 Vice President of the Assembly Hochhauser to draft an email with the Budget Review
56 recommendations to be sent in the senators' constituent emails;

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58 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Assembly of the Student Government Association directs
59 Secretary Brewer to contact campus media about the Budget Review recommendations.

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62 Adopted by the Assembly of the Student Government Association on the 13 day of January , 2010.

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

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 Matt Spialek, Student Body President

 Mike Carnahan, President of the Assembly

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

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 Mary McMahon, Secretary of the Assembly Vote: 18 Y A N

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