WHEREAS, Section 3.02 of the Intergovernmental Affairs Commission bylaws require a Legislative Priority Summary be drafted; and

WHEREAS, this summary shall be first approved through the Intergovernmental Affairs Commission; and

WHEREAS, the summary shall then be approved by the full Senate at the next possible meeting; and

WHEREAS, this process was completed in September; and

WHEREAS, this previous draft must be updated at the start of the new semester; and

WHEREAS, the Intergovernmental Affairs Commission passed the Legislative Priority Summary draft at its meeting February 24, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the next Student Senate meeting after that passage is scheduled for March 3, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the Legislative Priority Summary (Attachment “A”) represents the end product of numerous discussions with officials at all levels of the University; and
WHEREAS, this summary is to serve as a comprehensive documentation of the issues and policies at the local, county, and state levels affecting UWEC students as well as UWEC Student Senate’s official policy position on those issues;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Legislative Priority Summary (Attachment “A”) represents the UWEC Student Senate’s official policy positions for the Spring 2014 semester; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this document shall serve as a guide for advocacy on crucial issues affecting the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire Student Body; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Legislative Priority Summary shall remain in effect until the introduction of the Fall 2014 Legislative Priority Summary, presented in September; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that upon passage a copy of this resolution be sent to Dr. James Schmidt, Chancellor; Dr. Patricia Kleine, Provost/Vice Chancellor; Dr. Beth Hellwig, Vice Chancellor, Student Affairs; Dr. Joseph Abhold, Dean of Students; Mitch Freymiller, Chair, University Senate; Dr. Martin Hanifin, Vice Chancellor, Administration & Finance; Mark Reeves, Director, Business Services; and Mike Rindo, Assistant Chancellor, Facilities & University Relations.
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Intergovernmental Affairs Commission
March 3, 2014