WHEREAS, the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire has been assessed for bicycle friendliness; and

WHEREAS, bicycle infrastructure, particularly covered bike parking, has been identified as an area for improvement; and

WHEREAS, upper campus has a high volume of bicycles parked for both long-term storage and commuter reasons; and

WHEREAS, Housing and Residence Life lacks an adequate amount of covered bike parking for the demand, causing the current covered bike parking to become overloaded and unusable for everyday biking; and
WHEREAS, placing a new bike parking shelter between Sutherland Hall and Bridgman Hall will help alleviate this issue; and

WHEREAS, Housing and Residence Life will have this project completed by September, 2015; and

WHEREAS, this allocation proposal is outlined in more detail in Attachment “A;”

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Student Senate approves the allocation of $30,000.00 from the Student Office of Sustainability’s 2014-2015 Environmental Responsibility Account to purchase all the components of the Sutherland-Bridgman covered bike parking project; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that any unused funds be returned to the Student Office of Sustainability’s Account; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that upon passage, President Fish transmit a copy of this bill 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; Jim Boulter, Professor, Chemistry Department; Kate Hartsel, Sustainability Coordinator, Housing and Residence Life; and Peter Rejto, Building and Grounds Superintendent, Housing and Residence Life.