WHEREAS, the projected kWh usage of the New Davies Student Center was 1,107,572 kWh annually; and

WHEREAS, the actual kWh usage of the Davies Student Center is 1,644,287 kWh annually; and

WHEREAS, the actual energy usage of the Davies Student Center was found to be higher than the estimated energy usage; and

WHEREAS, students fund the Davies Student Center and therefore would benefit from an energy efficiency project in the Davies Student Center; and
WHEREAS, the Cabin is the paramount performance venue on campus that hosts performances Wednesday through Saturday of each week; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the project is to return the Cabin to an all LED venue as it was in the Old Davies Student Center, and make the Cabin a more energy efficient venue within the Davies Student Center; and

WHEREAS, this will be accomplished by replacing the outdated inventory and six incandescent fixtures with new LED fixtures; and

WHEREAS, new signage will be added that promotes the Cabin as an all LED venue and serves to educate students, faculty, and visitors on the differences between LED, CFL, and incandescent fixtures regarding energy efficiency and cost effectiveness; 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 $28,350 from the Student Office of Sustainability’s 2013-2014 Environmental Responsibility Account for the purchase of LED performance lighting for the Cabin; 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 Larson 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; Mark Reeves,
Director, Business Services; Jim Boulter, Director, Watershed Institute; Christina Hupy, Sustainability Fellow; Mike Traynor, Associate Director, Facilities Management; and Jason Jon Anderson, Event Production Coordinator, University Centers.