UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-EAU CLAIRE
STUDENT SENATE RESOLUTION

IN SUPPORT OF MORE DUPLEX PRINTERS ON CAMPUS

WHEREAS, duplex printers are currently only located in the Old Library Computer Lab and the Library Computer Lab; and

WHEREAS, the use of duplex printers reduces the amount of paper used in half; and

WHEREAS, the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire has recently signed on to the President’s Climate Commitment, an organization dedicated to helping campuses become more “green;” and

WHEREAS, some professors require or suggest that students print off all PowerPoint slides to aid them during lectures; and

WHEREAS, some lectures have many slides and cause students to use large amounts of paper; and

WHEREAS, students often print research documents or other academic documents consisting of large amounts of paper; and

WHEREAS, many students are forced to waste paper because duplex printers are not always available; and

WHEREAS, many students see the need to help make our campus more environmentally friendly; and
WHEREAS installing the duplex printers on a five year rotation will allow for problems to be resolved should they arise; and

WHEREAS, the funds for duplex printers can come from the Information Technology Budget; and

WHEREAS Housing and Residence Life is responsible for maintaining computer facilities in the residence halls; and

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that this body respectfully requests Housing and Residence Life to consider purchasing duplex printers for all residence hall labs; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that duplex printers will be set as the default printer; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that duplex printers be incorporated into the ITC academic building printer rotation on the existing five year cycle; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that upon passage President Raymond French transmit copies of this resolution to Dr. Brian Levin-Stankevich, Chancellor; Andrew Soll, Vice Chancellor, Business & Student Services; Dr. Steven Tallant, Provost/Vice Chancellor; Charles Major, Director, Housing & Residence Life; Paul Shepherd, Assistant Director, Information Management & Student Programs, Housing & Residence Life; Peter Rejto, Assistant Director for Budget & Physical Plant Operations, Housing & Residence Life; Kevin LaVoy, Technical Support Specialist,
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