WHEREAS, the Information Technology Commission and Student Senate have made several requests for creative solutions to increasing accessibility to computers despite budget cuts; and

WHEREAS, Learning and Technology Services revamped the Computer Lab website (http://spaces.uwec.edu/); and

WHEREAS, the Computer Lab website displays the number of open computers in labs, the software installed on lab computers, and other computer lab information; and

WHEREAS, the Library used a computer from their pool of replacement lab computers to act as a server that displays the Computer lab website on a large-screen LCD monitor; and
WHEREAS, the Library put this service into effect prior to funding approval as a service to the students; and

WHEREAS, the Library is reusing a retired LCD monitor from a group study room to keep costs to this service to a minimum; and

WHEREAS, the Library is requesting $613.80 for one Dell Optiplex 780 computer to provide this service on a long-term basis; and

WHEREAS, the Information Technology Commission voted 4-0-1 in favor of this allocation;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that Student Senate authorizes the allocation of $613.80 to the Library for one Dell Optiplex 780 computer; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this allocation shall come from the Student Technology Fee contingency fund; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this equipment be included in future Student Technology Fee budget ranges as part of the equipment rotation as necessary; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that upon passage, President Jambrek transmit a copy of this bill to Dr. Brian Levin-Stankevich, Chancellor; Dr. Patricia Kleine, Provost/Vice Chancellor; Dr. Beth Hellwig, Vice Chancellor, Student Affairs; Dr. Brian Carlisle, Dean of Students; Dr. Susan Harrison, Chair, University Senate; Dave Gessner, Assistant Chancellor, Budget & Finance; Craig Mey, Director, Learning and Technology Services; Carol Accola, Associate Director, Learning and Technology Services; John Pollitz, Director, McIntyre Library; and Bryan Vogh, Head of Systems, McIntyre Library.