

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROPOSAL MAY 2019 ELECTIONS

ASO CONSTITUTION ARTICLE XI SECTION 1 AMENDMENTS AND REVISION:

"The ASO Constitution may be amended or revised by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the ASO members voting. All proposed amendments and revisions must be made public not less than ten (10) days before the regularly scheduled ASO election"

The ASO Senate proposes the following changes to the ASO Constitution:

*Note: Underline text is being inserted Stricken text will be removed

Example: <u>Proposed New Language Inserted in Blue Underline</u> Proposed Removal of Currently Enacted Language Stricken Out in Red

ARTICLE IV

EXECUTIVE BRANCH

Section 11: The President's Cabinet

- <u>Clause 1:</u> The President's Cabinet <u>voting members</u> must consist of all Executive Officers, the Senate Vice Chair, the Senate Parliamentarian, <u>all <u>available</u> students appointed to College Standing Committees, upon request of the ASO President</u>, and all Senate Standing Committee Chairpersons.
- <u>Clause 2:</u> The President's Cabinet must be a resource to the President in their duties to administerate the affairs and properties of the Associated Student Organization (ASO).
- Clause 3: The president of the ASO must appoint members to all college shared planning & decisionmaking standing committees, herein referred to as "College Standing Committees." These appointments must be ratified by a majority vote of the members present at the regular or special Senate meeting at which their appointments are announced.

Section 12: College Standing Committees

Clause 1: During Presidential appointments to College Standing Committees, the President must appoint, if possible, one ASO Officer to the College Standing Committees. Each student representative will be expected to report the actions of the Committees on which they sit, to the Student Senate in a timely manner so that the Senate remains constantly aware of the events in those committees; these reports will be in writing and must be contained in the ASO Minutes. If deemed necessary by the ASO President, Senators must meet in committee to address questions.



Clause 2: College Standing Committees appointees are hereby obligated to follow an attendance requirement in their respective committee and submit the pertinent reports in a constant and timely manner to the Senate and the President's Cabinet. Failure to comply with these obligations will result in removal from College Standing Committees appointment.

The proposed changes will do the following:

- Remove a requirement for all appointees to College Standing Committees from being a part of the ASO President's Cabinet;
- Establish the College Standing Committees appointment procedure;
- Establish obligations of the appointees to the College Standing Committees;
- Correct general grammatical errors.

Vote: Shall ASO Constitution Article IV Executive Branch be amended to provide for the presented changes?

 \Box Yes \Box No