SA 0910-083: Resolution Requesting Student Presence on Capital Projects

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WHEREAS; the construction of a parking ramp expected to cost up to $12 million is planned for the upcoming 2011-2013 biennium; and,

WHEREAS; renovations to Cowley Hall expected to cost up to $80 million are planned between the upcoming 2011-2013 and 2013-2015 biennium; and,

WHEREAS; the construction of a new student union expected to cost up to $40 million is planned between the upcoming 2011-2013 and 2013-2015 biennium; and,

WHEREAS; renovations to Wittich Hall expected to cost up to $22.5 million are planned between the upcoming 2011-2013 and 2013-2015 biennium; and,

WHEREAS; capital building projects have a significant impact on student life on campus; and,

WHEREAS; capital building projects have a significant impact on student fees; and,

WHEREAS; §36.09(5) states that “students shall have primary responsibility for the formulation and review of policies concerning student life, services and interests;” and,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED; that a minimum of two (2) students be selected by the UW-L Student Association Vice President to serve on each future capital project planning committee including but not limited to: the proposed parking ramp, the Cowley Hall project, the proposed new student union and the renovations of Wittich Hall; and,

THEREFORE, BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED; a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Chancellor Gow, Bob Hetzel, Matt Lewis, Larry Ringgenberg, Paula Knudson, and any other persons deemed necessary.

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