



AGENDA  
 UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS ASSOCIATION COUNCIL  
 October 27, 2020 7 PM  
 Zoom: <https://ucla.zoom.us/j/97123303841>

**I. Call to Order**

Riley

- Naomi calls the meeting to order at 7:03pm

**A. Signing of the Attendance Sheet**

- Signed via Google Docs

**II. Approval of Agenda\***

Luong

- Strike ARCF allocation
- Change presenter to Sachi for A Resolution In Support Of The Election Board's Engagement Initiative\*
- Add Ambrose Ngo to JWBOG appointments
- Strike resolution for Contact Tracing
- Strike SFS
- Strike ASRF
- Strike TGMF
- Strike BAG
- Strike Capital Contingency
  
- Sachi motions to approve agenda as amended, Zuleika seconds
- By motion of 8-0-0 the motion passes, agenda is approved as amended

**III. Approval of the minutes\***

Luong

10/20/2020 minutes

- Sachi motions to approve 10/20/2020 minutes, Jonathan seconds
- By motion 9-0-0 the motion passes, 10/20/2020 minutes approved

**IV. Public Comment**

Riley

Alfred:

Hannah:

- Public comment concluded at 7:13 pm

**V. Funding**

**Capital Contingency\***

Minasyan

**Contingency Programming\***

Minasyan

Total Requested: \$916.76

Total Recommended: \$883.43

4 non-USAC entities

- Sachi motions to allocate \$883.43 to non-USAC entities, Breeze seconds
- By motion of 9-0-0 the motion passes, Contingency Programming allocation approved

**SFS Allocations#**

Wisner

**SWC Programming Fund Allocations#**

Read

Total Allocated: \$1,000

- No opposition, allocation passes by consent

**Bruin Advocacy Grant Allocations#**

Arasasingham

**ASRF Allocations#**

Vclazquez

**AAC Travel Mini-Grant Allocations#**

Vclazquez

## ARCF Allocations#

Ogunleye

- Just wanted to make the quick announcement that the ARCF funding cycle for fall is open and applications are on a rolling basis

## TGIF

Cooper

- Allocated \$2,368 to Bruin Home Solutions,
- Allocated \$6,275 to FAC Bruin Bazaar and SWC Basic Needs
- Reminder to submit an applications by this friday for requests up to \$1,000

## VI. Special Presentations

### COVID-19 Testing

Bollard

John: Hi everyone, John Bollard here. I am the current co-executive director of the Ashe Student Health Center, I really appreciate being asked to be with you all. I hope I can give you some very helpful information quickly. I can just give you a very quick snapshot of what we're doing with testing on campus because I think it's one of the more exciting and innovative things we're doing. So we are now in an expanded testing mode where anybody who has learned, lives, or works on campus is being tested every week. We currently have a small outbreak in one of the res halls so we are testing all of those folks twice per week. We have a very low positivity rate which means the percentage of those who test that end up being positive. That's a great sign given everything that is going on in Los Angeles right now. So we're testing in Covell Grand Ballroom and we're testing at Collins Court. We're testing about 2,000 people a day right now. On Monday we launched our mobile testing bus, super exciting but I'm a little bit of a testing nerd so it's maybe not as exciting for everyone else but we're going to take a Bruin Bus, we're going to plaster it with all kinds of Covid-19 Bruin for Bruin free testing for Bruins and we're going to take it out 5 days a week and park in neighborhoods where studies have shown us where folks live using some heat maps. So that's going to focus on grad students in university housing, large populations of undergrads, and that will give us one way to reach out to people who are living in the broader community. We're really worried about those folks who are living around UCLA but maybe not being tested because they're not coming on campus, we want to be sure they have an opportunity to test and and so the mobile testing is one way. Another thing I'll share with you really quickly is we're looking to partner with folks in Westwood to use some vacant retail space to do some pop up testing for for Bruins who live in the area, and I'm happy to answer questions about any of that, I don't want to take too much of time for updates in case you have questions

### Commuter/Parking Services

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UCLA Transportation: An Overview

#### Overview of Parking System

- ~22,000 spaces in 27 structures and 21 lots
  - 8.3% dedicated patient stalls
  - 7.7% marked pay station stall
  - 84.0% mixed use stalls:
    - Permit, daily/event sales, and pay station
    - About 5% used for visitor sales on an average day
  - ~21% of space used for daily visitors
  - ~79% of space used for permit holders

#### Managing Revenues/Expenditures to Achieve Financial Sustainability

- Parking revenues support:
  - Parking operations, debt service and major maintenance
  - BruinBus, transit subsidies, bicycle programs, carpool subsidies, and campus traffic systems
- Manage financial health over 10 year horizon
  - Maintain sufficient reserves to weather unexpected financial pressures and avoid large fluctuations in permit fees
- Structure student/staff permit fee increases small, annual increments
- Continually evaluate operations/programs for cost effectiveness
- Understand comparable market

#### Benefits of Shifting Emphasis to Access

- Less Greenhouse Gas Emissions from commutes

- Less land needed for parking
- Improvement in quality of life
- \$ Savings

#### How Does UCLA Transportation Facilitate Access?

- Campus traffic systems
- Parking management, including reduced fee carpools
- Public transit advocacy and subsidization of fares
- Bicycle and pedestrian infrastructure
- BruinBus
- Education and incentive programs

#### Setting the Future Strategic Course for UCLA Transportation

- Reviewing internal and external drivers of change
  - Particularly related to the rapid pace of change in the transportation industry and, more recently
  - The impacts of COVID-19 on commute behavior
- Choosing a strategic direction and creating goals to that end

#### UCLA Mobility Paradigm

- Infrastructure
  - Bike Lanes
  - Traffic Calming
  - Scooter Parking/Deployment Areas
  - Shared Use Pathways
  - LPR Technology
- Programs
  - Extensive TDM Suite
  - Discounted Daily Commuter Parking
  - Telecommuting Resources
- Policy
  - GHG Reduction Goals
  - Prioritize Active Mobility
  - Caps on Vehicle Trips and Parking
  - Limit Intercampus Vehicle Trips
  - Encourage Daily Mode Choice
  - Advocacy with Public Agencies

#### UCLAs Mobility Picture: Pre-Covid

- By early 2000, UCLA had - for two years in a row- achieved a 48% employee drive-alone rate, significantly better than the Los Angeles County rate of 75%
  - Of note in 2020 14.3% of employees used public transit
- Commuter student drive- alone rate had dropped from 36% in 2000 to 23.6% in 2019
  - No student survey was completed in spring 2020 due to COVID
  - Pre-COVID, most students walked (34.1%) and took the bus (25.5%)

#### Telecommuting Impacts to Mobility Metrics: GHG Emissions

- The impact of this broad switch to telecommuting was, as expected, substantial

#### Infrastructure: COVID Safety

- Signage for campus entrances, walkways, and bus stops
  - Wear masks, maintain physical distancing
- Traffic signal pedestrian push buttons
  - Many signals set on ‘recall mode’, obviating the need to push the walk button
- Intersection curb bulb-outs coming soon
  - Additional room for pedestrians to queue at busy intersections

#### COVID Parking Revenue Impacts

- Pre-COVID
  - 49% of revenue budget from daily visitors - \$27M
  - 51% of revenue budget from permit sales - \$28M
- Post-COVID
  - 41.5% of revenue budget from daily visitors - \$9.3M
  - 58.5% of revenue budget from permit sales - \$13.1M
- Revenue Decrease: \$32.7M

#### COVID Revenue Impacts

- Delay in Staff/Student Parking Increases
  - Monthly/Quarterly/Annual fee increase deferred until July 2022
    - No increase in July 2020
    - Timing of next increase still under review due to COVID uncertainties
  - Commuter daily fee increase deferred until July 2021
    - No increase in July 2020
- Patient/Visitor Parking Increases
  - DP Parking rate equal to regular visitor rate (\$13) in July 2020
  - All Patient/Visitor Parking daily rates to increase to \$14 in Fall 2020
    - Current comparable patient care average market (including Cedars and St. Johns) rate is \$15

#### Projected Revenue Recovery

- Staff/Student Permit Demand
  - Partial recovery (\$11.2M) in FY 2021-22
  - Full recovery in FY 2022-23
- Daily Patient/Visitor Demand
  - Partial recovery (\$10.6) in FY 2021-22
  - Full recovery not until early 2023

#### Mitigations of Revenue Shortfalls

- Deferring all non-essential maintenance and construction
- Reduction of staff through attrition, non-renewal of contracts, and voluntary separation program
- Vanpool Program
  - Conversation to employee direct leasing from vendor
- Bikeshare Program
  - Elimination of vendor contract, redeploy bikes to grad housing
- Acceleration of operational changes:
  - Conversation to self service parking for:
    - Events
    - Courtesy
    - Medical Areas
  - Closure of two campus information Kiosks
    - Reduced hours at remaining kiosk

#### Current Efforts

- Expansion of Telecommuting Resources
- Purple Line Subway Construction Impacts
- Planning for the Sepulveda Corridor Line
- Torrance Transit Commuter Service
- E Scooter Parking Racks and “Know Where You Go” Signage
- Bruin Grad Pass Program Implementation

## Listeners On Call

Doyel

Amy: Hey y'all. Quickly a little bit about me, I'm a student body president at Texas A&M 2018-2019, so I've been out in the world for just a little bit. I'm working with a company called Listeners on Call which is why I'm speaking with you all today. It's a mental health app but it's a lot different than probably other mental health apps you've heard of. When I was student body president my platform was mental health so I got reached out to buy a lot of different mental health apps with different proposals wanting money or wanting me to go to administration and advocate, but when I chatted with Naomi what I like about what I'm doing now is that it's not that at all, it's just really a company founded on doing good and supporting students through this crazy crazy time that we're in. So essentially what Listeners on Call is doing with student body presidents across the country is making a donation to the student government of free access or free calls on our platform for students like y'all to be able to share out as not a competitor to counseling or not as a distraction from other resources that are out there, just another resource in the mix to give students another opportunity, another outlet, another avenue to get the support they need during this crazy crazy time. So I'll share really quickly exactly what Listeners on Call does. Essentially Listeners on Call was coined early on as the "Uber of Empathy", it's helpful to use the Uber analogy because it's very very similar in terms of like you know how it works and if you ever taken an Uber before, I assume many of you have, you pull out your phone, open the app, select the address of where you want to go, and then your driver arrives. So in our scenario it's if you want to talk to someone who has been through what you're currently going through you open your phone, open the app, select the option of someone who had that connection and vent about that, share their ideas. We need our listeners to go through training and background checks, they are trained not to give advice they're not there to tell callers what they should or should not do, but if you've ever vented to someone you know that a lot of the time once you get all this in your head on your heart out by the end of the conversation a lot of the time you know what you need or you know what your next course of action is. So that's really the whole purpose is to provide that sounding board, give students an avenue to talk through the things going on in their life, so that's kind of the general set up of the app. So our listeners are paid like Uber drivers are paid, but the donation for students is no cost whatsoever for them to try the platform basically they would get a \$20 credit which would cover up to 40 minutes of talk time so it can lead to two 20-minute calls or one longer 40-minute call just to try out the service and see if it's helpful for them. Kind of anyone in general using the app is fifty cents a minute. This is really cool during the pandemic as well because we have never seen such high unemployment and so having opportunity for students and grad students to also be listeners and earn discretionary income while they're supporting others through whatever they're going through but also providing students an affordable way to get support. You know we see a ton of issues on a national scale with counseling resources and having just difficulty accessing those. In some cases it's 8 weeks wait time and then students try to go elsewhere and then it's hundreds of dollars an hour, and as we know as a student it's just not feasible for most students to spend that kind of money and for many it's a choice between meals and transportation or getting support, and as you guys know that you know the meals and the transportation of course are going to take precedent over mental health and that's where we see things evolve into you know crisis situations. So our program is very much focused on intervening before something ever becomes a crisis and we try to make that access as affordable as possible and provide what many students truly need. With your health services and Counseling Services you'll find that a lot of students don't necessarily need professional care, they need an opportunity to talk and process and be validated and understood. As you know college is hard and it's hard on top of all the other things of life that are sometimes really hard. So I'm really passionate about what we do at Listeners on Call and the huge blessing to be able to transition to my presidency focusing on mental health to continuing to advocate for access for students for mental health resources, especially seeing you know how prevalent a problem it is. That's the kind of the basis the background the how it works and of course y'all don't need to make a decision tonight on whether you'd like the donation or like to share with students but y'all can discuss whenever is convenient for you but what I can do on my end is go ahead and share some free calls for y'all, I'll send those over to Naomi to share with the group and that way if anyone's interested in actually making a call and trying it out themselves, connecting with the listener, you can see firsthand what the experience is like and kind of use that to see if it's something you'd like to share with your constituents. With that I will answer any questions you all may have.

## UC Systemwide Contact Tracing App

### USAC Seat at the Table Initiative

IDEAS at UCLA

Riley

Improving Dreams, Equity, Access, and Success (IDEAS)

- Mission Statement: “a community to encourage, promote and to forward the education of immigrant students by providing assistance and social support to advocate for an accessible university educational environment”

#### 4 Pillars of IDEAS

- Advocacy
- Fundraising
- Membership and Retention
  - USPARC
- Community Service
  - AB540 Project

#### UCLA, I.C.E or Us?: Protect YOUR Undocumented Students from the Impacts of D.H.S.

- SLAP x IDEAS Sanctuary Campus Campaign (2017)
- 2020 Campaign Demands
  - PLAN FOR UPCOMING DACA DECISIONS: Release UCLA’s plan of actions for when the DACA supreme court decision comes out by the end of the winter quarter (March 20,2020)
  - RESOURCES FOR STUDENT: Allocate institutional funding (independent of UCOP funding) for programs that support undocumented students for another decade (2020-2030)
  - FINANCIAL AID FOR STUDENTS: UCLA must provide financial aid and scholarships for ALL undocumented students
  - PROTECT THE STUDENTS AND WORKERS: UCLA must commit to the sanctuary policies and take a further stance against the inhumane actions of I.C.E and D.H.S.
- 2020 Campaign Committees
  - Fellowships
  - Financial Aid and Scholarships
  - Campus Safety
  - Programs and Resources for Undoc Students
- 2020 Campaign Demands Updates
  - Fellowships:
    - Student affairs fellowships
      - UCLA UndocuBruins Fellowships
        - About 10 fellowships available for 2020-2021
      - Academic fellowships
        - Coming soon (hopefully)
      - Campus Safety
        - UCLA Rapid Response Network
    - Other Advocacy Efforts
      - SB 77: Allows non-AB540 students to receive scholarships/financial aid from nonstate based (i.e. donor) funds
      - Set to sunset June 2021

#### Improving Elections Board Connectivity with UCLA Departments to Increase USAC Elections Engagement Initiatives

Tun

Keeping up voter turnout is a challenge this year...

Online academic environment will cause:

- Reduced connectivity with student affairs
- Reduced interest in campus affairs
- Reduced sense of community (overall)

#### Improving Accessibility is Essential

1. Need for greater accessibility in candidate application packets
  - a. In particular, the electronic signatures collection process to pass the required threshold to be an eligible candidate

2. Need for greater accessibility to Meet the Candidates, Candidate Debates, and Endorsement hearings
  - a. The absence of physical advertising in areas of concentrated student traffic is going to impact turnout at these events
3. Need for greater accessibility to voting resources
4. Need for greater accessibility during voting for students with disabilities
  - a. Screen readers were an issue last year

Connectivity issues so far...

1. 7 UCLA departments out of 150 UCLA departments responded to Elections Board efforts to connect with them:
  - a. None of the Engineering Departments in HSSEAS responded
  - b. Departments that responded were 6 North Campus departments, 1 South Campus department
  - c. Reached out to these departments multiple times on email, and multiple times on the Message Center
  - d. Some don't have contact information listed at all

UCLA academic departments cooperation

- UCLA Departments are an essential mode of communication with the student body
  - Students read emails from their departments and much less so from Bruinposts
  - Students engage more in general with advertising from their own departments
  - The cooperation of UCLA Departments is urgently needed to pass down information about USAC elections in our engagement efforts
- Without their cooperation, the Elections Board cannot do effective engagement and students will not be informed

Proposal

- Vote on a resolution to request the Deans of UCLA Departments to instruct departmental counselors to work with the Elections Board to provide a means of contact with its counselors and work with the Elections Board to communicate information to its students
- Elections Board need the full backing and support of Council to engage in constructive and responsive communication with UCLA Departments
  - Together, we can engage with the student body more through departments and hopefully make sure that information is at least being received by the students
  - A proactive resolution to get connected with departments and ensure that engagement problems don't pop up down the road

## **VI. Appointments**

**Mariah Lima-Kuderer to Elections Board, Vice Chair\*** Riley

- Zuleika motions to appoint Mariah Lima-Kuderer to Elections Board, Vice Chair Breeze seconds
- By motion of 9-0-0 the motion passes, Mariah Lima-Kuderer appointed to Elections Board, Vice Chair

**Caroline Halloran to Elections Board, Director of Marketing\*** Riley

- Promise motions to appoint Caroline Halloran to Elections Board, Director of Marketing, Sachi seconds
- By motion of 9-0-0 the motion passes, Caroline Halloran appointed to Elections Board, Director of Marketing

**Angel Aguilar for CS Mini\*** Riley

- Zuleika motions to appoint Angel Aguilar for CS Mini, Promise seconds
- By motion of 9-0-0 the motion passes, Angel Aguilar is appointed to CS Mini

**Megana Sekar for Comm Board\*** Riley

- Sachi motions to appoint Megana Sekar for Comm Board, Breeze seconds
- By motion of 9-0-0 the motion passes, Megana Sekar appointed to Comm Board

**Ambrose Ngo for John Wooden BOG#** Cooper

- No opposition, Ambrose Ngo appointed to John Wooden Board of Governors by consent

## **VII. Officer Reports**

**A. President** Riley

- SLAC met this past Friday, gave updates and talked about continued outreach strategy
- Had Public Health Compliance meeting for the working group, went over a few touch points

- Looking at creating potential study spaces on campus for the upcoming quarter
- First CAB meeting tomorrow
- Notes from Naomi series is out, give overview of meetings I've been in
- Covid-19 advisory team wants to push for campus fee transparency

## B. Internal Vice President

Luong

- Rent College Pads update: Met with Roy, Fernando, Jessica, Patty, and other ASUCLA folks + Steve Catlin from RCP on Friday, 10/23. Decided that ASUCLA would coordinate with Steve for the Rent College Pads project instead of IVP office, but keeping our office in the loop.
- Appointed to Education Working Group of the RRTF
- Working with Post-Election Task Force to create student resources guide covering mental health resources, Know Your Rights for protesting, academic leniency requests, etc.
- Meeting weekly with Election Planning Discussion Workgroup with admin and USAC members
- Meeting with GR 3, OP, SWC for discussions of Mutual Aid Network Collaboration
- Releasing transparency report by end of this week
- Meeting Nov 9 with EDI office to discuss UC policing and campus safety

### Put Workers First:

- Held Student Worker Town Hall on Monday, 10/26 with 30+ attendees and special presentations and support from UCLA Labor Center and UCLA Student Legal Services

### Drive Down Rent:

- Met with UCLA Spark and Dean of Students/ECRT office to work out logistics for rent awards
- Drafted criteria and application questions
- Submitted UCLA Spark application

### Revamp Advocacy Partnerships:

- Worked with Outreach committee to finalize student org survey

### Transformative Justice Now:

- Continuing work with CARE and student organizations to write a proposal for a transformative justice alternative to Title IX
- Collaborating with AAC, SWC, CAC on Nov 5th post-election healing space
- Working on Mutual Aid project with GR 3, OP, SWC

### Campus Safety Alliance

- Meeting regarding election day and post-election safety with AVC Deluca and Dean Blandizzi on Friday at 5 PM PST, link on CSA FB and IG pages

### Institutionalized Events:

- Working on a collaboration event with RAP for Admin Q&A event ~Week 8
- Continuing to promote ASUCLA Face Covering Design Contest

### Internship

- Interns have submitted their preferences for committee integration and will be integrated this week

## C. External Vice President

Arasasingham

## D. Academic Affairs Commissioner

Velazquez

- Had FAC and Executive Board meeting
- Books for Bruins funds being disbursed
- Had First Gen event last week
- Later this week were looking to post two resource guides, one on academic accommodations, and one on mental health resource guide
- Next week we're looking into having an event
- November 5th we're hosting a healing space for election season



E. Administrative Representatives

Alexander, Champawat, Geller, O'Connor, Perez,

Solomon

Josh: Elections are next week but start on campus on Friday. I also sent you a post election debrief session hosted by Student Affairs. We're anticipating extremely long lines on Monday and Tuesday.

F. Facilities Commission Written Report

Cooper

EXTERNAL

TGIF

- \$2,368 to Bruin Home Solutions for their Frass2Food project (super cool way to break down styrofoam w mealworms and make fertilizer)
- \$6,275 to FAC Bruin Bazaar and SWC Bruin necessities for Basic Needs bundles
- Main Fund apps for Week 5 due this Friday

PR/ Graphics

- FAC mentioned in Daily Bruin articles on [Safe Parking](#) and [Westwood Village Business Discount Program](#)

PROJECTS

L.I.T. - Transportation

- Had a meeting last week with TSR internal relations to ask for support on community survey and future collaboration on the Commuter Student Guide for next week.
- Still awaiting decision on Bruin Commuter Student Association from SOLE as an organization
- Also awaiting decision on TGIF mini fund for BCSA to include raffle prize with the commuter survey
- Have a scheduled meeting this friday @8am with UCLA housing on increasing access by adding "Real-Time BruinBus Map" to the UCLA Housing App

Sustainagoals: Enviro-accountability

- Attended the USAC Student Engagement Workgroup last week, and presented on the potential of using Community Gardens as a resource for building food security at UCLA.

G. Student Wellness Commissioner Written Report

Read

- Reminder: sign up for student health network @uclastudenthealthnetwork to get connected with other health groups on campus
- Check out SWC Programming Fund to learn how your wellness event can receive up to \$750 in funding
- Tues, Oct 20: Sexperts hosted a Sexual Health and Consent workshop w/Alpha Gamma Delta. Sexperts workshop requests are open throughout the year!
- Wed, Oct 21: EARTH hosted an upcycling night to teach how to turn a used tee shirt into a new tote bag!
- Fri, Oct 23: BruinNecessities held a voting workshop to answer questions from participants!

VIII. Old Business

~~A Resolution Calling for Privacy-Protecting Digital Contact Tracing\*~~

Lee

IX. New Business

A Resolution In Support Of The Election Board's Engagement Initiative\*

Cooper

A Resolution In Support Of The Election Board's Engagement Initiative

Sponsors:

- Jong Hyeon Lee, *General Representative 1*
- Emily Luong, *Internal Vice President*
- Sachi Cooper, *Facilities Commissioner*
- Zuleika Bravo, *Transfer Student Representative*
- Bakur Madini, *International Student Representative*

**WHEREAS**, voter turnout at USAC elections has been low for a long time, with 40.3% in 2016<sup>1</sup>, 27.5% in 2017<sup>2</sup>, 26.5% in 2018<sup>3</sup>, 16.8% in 2019<sup>4</sup>, and 30.6% in 2020<sup>5</sup>;

**WHEREAS**, voter turnout had increased from 2019 with a low percentage of 16.8% to a recent high of 30.6% in 2020, but still needs increasing given that this is less than a third of the student body and only half of the 60% averaged over the previous several (2004-2016) US Presidential elections<sup>6</sup>;

**WHEREAS**, in the environment of COVID-19, increasing voter turnout is more vital than ever so that the student government can be better informed about what students want and provide the support they need;

**WHEREAS**, increasing turnout safely will require reaching out to students online and collecting electronic signatures in a completely virtual environment;

**WHEREAS**, this will require the support of UCLA's departments to email their students, and the support of the IT department to securely collect electronic signatures from all students;

**WHEREAS**, this has been challenging given the lack of support from departmental counselors, despite the Election Board's repeated attempts to engage them;

**WHEREAS**, the online academic environment, as a result of COVID-19, has made engaging with the student body even more essential so that students can remain connected with student affairs and get the resources they need to have a voice in the actions of their student government in navigating the challenges of online learning during the pandemic;

**WHEREAS**, UCLA Departments remain an essential and effective medium of communication with the student body, and that the Elections Board is in need of their cooperation to engage with the students;

**THEREFORE LET IT BE RESOLVED**, that we call upon the Deans of the schools of UCLA to urge their departmental counselors to work with the Undergraduate Student Association Elections Board in support of its voter engagement initiative by providing the email contacts of Department counselors, actively responding to Elections Board's engagement initiatives through email ([electionsboard@ucla.edu](mailto:electionsboard@ucla.edu)) and communicating important information about Candidate Application Packets, Elections Board official events, and all relevant student election voting resources to students associated with its listservs with priority visibility;

**LET IT FURTHER BE RESOLVED**, that we call upon the IT Department of UCLA to work with the Undergraduate Student Association Elections Board to provide necessary support in its voter engagement initiative, including but not limited to providing means to collect electronic signatures for candidate packets and redesigning the myUCLA ballots to improve accessibility for the student body;

**THEREFORE LET IT FINALLY BE RESOLVED**, that the Elections Board needs the support of various bodies at UCLA to improve voter turnout, engagement, and accessibility to elections.

- Justin motions to approve A Resolution in Support of the Election Board's Engagement Initiative, Breeze seconds
- By motion of 9-0-0 the motion passes, A Resolution in Support of the Election Board's Engagement Initiative passes

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<https://dailybruin.com/2020/05/13/usac-election-voter-turnout-increases-with-referendums-on-ballot-online-format>

2 <https://dailybruin.com/2019/05/03/usac-sees-first-independent-president-lowest-voter-turnout-in-years>

3 Ibid.

4 Ibid.

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<https://dailybruin.com/2020/05/13/usac-election-voter-turnout-increases-with-referendums-on-ballot-online-format>

6 [https://www.fairvote.org/voter\\_turnout#voter\\_turnout\\_101](https://www.fairvote.org/voter_turnout#voter_turnout_101)

## **X. Adjournment\***

- Naomi adjourns at 9:52pm

**Good and Welfare**

Riley

\* Indicates Action Item

# Indicates Consent Item

@Indicates Executive Session Item