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**Resolution:**

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**Date:** 26 February 2014

**RE:** Tobacco-Free Campus Resolution

Whereas, the Associated Students Senate at the University of San Diego is committed to promoting and supporting student health and wellness,

Whereas, the use of tobacco (in all forms) poses serious health issues related to cancer, tooth and gum decay, and decreased lung capacity,

Whereas, the impact of secondhand smoke on students by smokers is indisputable and severe,

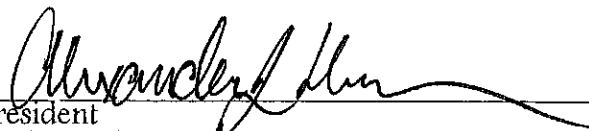
Whereas, the presence of tobacco-related debris and cigarette smoke are detrimental to the environment of the campus,

Whereas, the University of San Diego is one of the only remaining universities in the San Diego area that has not yet established themselves as tobacco-free,

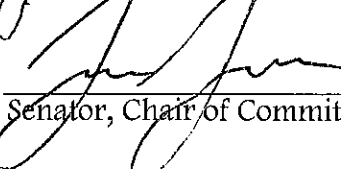
Be it resolved, the Associated Students Senate at the University of San Diego hereby supports the transition into a tobacco-free campus over an eighteen month implementation period,

Be it further resolved, the Associated Students Senate at the University of San Diego only supports this initiative if there is an increase in accessible tobacco cessation resources and materials for tobacco users on campus to learn about the dangers of tobacco, if they so wish,

And it be finally resolved, the Associated Students Senate at the University of San Diego will collaborate with the Center for Health and Wellness Promotion, the Health Center, and other key stakeholders in the process of implementing a tobacco-free campus to ensure it is an all inclusive, educational, and supportive process on behalf of the health and well-being of the student body.

  
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President  
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Speaker of the Senate 3/3/2014  
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