ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FIFTY-SECOND SESSION

BILL NO. 52-44
INTRODUCED BY: Williams \ SECONDED BY: Jansen

A BILL TO: Bring a 2016 Presidential Candidate to Campus

THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACT:

WHEREAS, The 2016 presidential election cycle demands the Associated Students of Michigan State University (ASMSU) exercise all of its power in order to civically engage students before election day; and,

WHEREAS, In light of the most recent election in East Lansing, in which fewer than forty students turned out to vote on campus, it is in the best interest of ASMSU to bring a presidential candidate to campus; and,

WHEREAS, Such an event will allow students to personally hear from a candidate, and will exponentially increase political awareness and engagement on campus; and,

WHEREAS, Michigan State University has been presented with a unique opportunity to engage students from across the State in a single event prior to the Presidential Primary; and,

WHEREAS, Civically engaging students is one of the primary duties of ASMSU as we provide political engagement opportunities to the student body, which is vastly underrepresented in the electorate and the legislature; therefore be it,

RESOLVED, The Associated Students of Michigan State University allocate an amount of money not to exceed $35,000 in order to ensure a presidential candidate attends an event on campus.

INTRODUCED ON 1/14/2016

REFERRED TO N/A COMMITTEE ON N/A

SPECIAL ACTION TAKEN Steering DATE 1/14/2016

COMMITTEE ACTION X DATE 1/14/2016

VOTE PASSED FAILED

FINAL ACTION TAKEN Voice-Majority DATE 1/21/2016

VOTE PASSED FAILED

PRESIDENT

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