

**ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF  
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**FIFTY-FOURTH SESSION**

**BILL NO. 54-04**

**INTRODUCED BY: Donovan**

**SECONDED BY: Gudenau**

**A BILL TO: Establish a threshold underneath which public intoxication shall be decriminalized.**

**THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACT:**

WHEREAS, students under the age of 21 who are found to be even slightly intoxicated in the city of East Lansing may be cited with a Minor in Possession (MIP) charge, and

WHEREAS, to avoid such charges, students may engage in mass flight activities that are dangerous to themselves and others when police intervene in student-held parties, and

WHEREAS, ASMSU recognizes a distinction between responsible and dangerous levels of intoxication, therefore be it,

RESOLVED, The Associated Students of Michigan State University shall recommend to the East Lansing City Council the establishment of a threshold for public intoxication of 0.08 or lower, under which minors aged 18 or older will not be subject to MIP charges, and advocate for the establishment thereof.

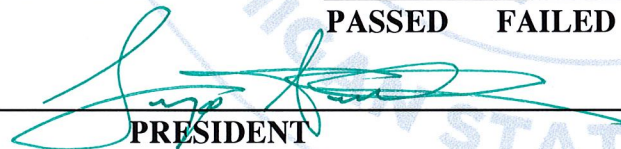
**INTRODUCED ON** September 14, 2017

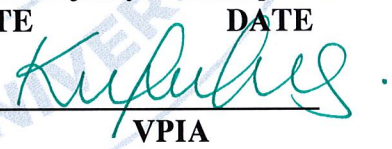
**REFERRED TO** Policy **COMMITTEE ON** September 14, 2017

**SPECIAL ACTION TAKEN** Sent to GA **DATE** September 14, 2017

<b>COMMITTEE ACTION</b>	<u>X</u>	<u>Voice-Majority</u>	<u>September 14, 2017</u>
	<b>PASSED</b>	<b>FAILED</b>	<b>VOTE</b>
			<b>DATE</b>

<b>FINAL ACTION TAKEN</b>	<u>X</u>	<u>Voice-Majority</u>	<u>September 21, 2017</u>
	<b>PASSED</b>	<b>FAILED</b>	<b>VOTE</b>
			<b>DATE</b>

  
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