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

BILL NO. 54-11
INTRODUCED BY: Majestic
SECONDED BY: Westrin

A BILL TO: A bill to increase voter participation in the state of Michigan

THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACT:

WHEREAS, the right to vote is guaranteed in the federal and state constitutions, and,

WHEREAS, one must register 30 days prior to a Michigan election in order to vote in said election, and,

WHEREAS, House Bill 4037 (2017) in the Michigan Legislature automatically registers people to vote
when they are issued either an operator’s or chauffeur’s license or an official state personal
identification card, and,

WHEREAS, House Bill 4033 (2017) in the Michigan Legislature allows voters to utilize absentee
ballots without justification, and,

WHEREAS, states that have implemented same day change for voter registration saw an increase in
voter turnout, and,

WHEREAS, ASMSU recognizes the importance of political participation and get out to vote efforts,
therefore be it,

RESOLVED, the Associated Students of Michigan State University shall recommend and support
House Bill 4037 (2017) in the Michigan Legislature and,

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House Bill 4033 (2017) in the Michigan Legislature, and,

RESOLVED, the Associated Students of Michigan State University shall recommend and support any
legislation that allows for the change of permanent address and other personal items that have changed since registration on the day of voting, and advocate for the establishment thereof.

INTRODUCED ON Nov. 09. 2017

REFERRED FROM Policy ON Nov. 09. 2017

SPECIAL ACTION TAKEN Sent to GA DATE Nov. 09. 2017

COMMITTEE ACTION X Voice-Majority PASSED Voice-Majority FAILED DATE Nov. 09. 2017

FINAL ACTION TAKEN X Voice-Majority PASSED FAILED VOTE Nov. 16. 2017

PRESIDENT Kiefel

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