

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

FIFTY-FIFTH SESSION

BILL NO. 55-06

INTRODUCED BY: Sitar

SECONDED BY: Arivoli

A BILL TO: Allocate \$2,000 to the Governmental Affairs Office to increase voter turnout

THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACT:

WHEREAS, Student votes are vital to the equal expression of students' voices and needs; and

WHEREAS, Nearly 5,000 students voted on campus in the 2016 election¹, facing lines up to two hours long, and,

WHEREAS, This excessive wait time may disincentivize and disenfranchise potential student voters

WHEREAS, ASMSU has a responsibility to its constituents to promote student voice by any and all means; therefore, be it,

RESOLVED, That the General Assembly allocates \$2,000 from the General Fund to be used by the Governmental Affairs office, in coordination with MSUVote, to purchase food and other celebratory materials to promote student turnout and engagement at all five on-campus polling locations.

INTRODUCED ON September 24, 2018 COMMITTEE ON Finance

REFERRED TO General Assembly

COMMITTEE ACTION x September 24, 2018
PASSED FAILED VOTE DATE

FINAL ACTION TAKEN x 40-0-0 October 4, 2018
PASSED FAILED VOTE DATE

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President

Mario Kaku
VPIA

¹ Ingham County Election Results <http://cl.ingham.org/home/elections/electionresults.aspx>