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

BILL NO. 55-28

INTRODUCED BY: Arivoli SECONDED BY: Brocke

A BILL TO: Advocate for the installation of hand-sanitizing health stations across high-traffic areas of academic spaces on campus

THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACT:

WHEREAS, The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) states “keeping hands clean through improved hand hygiene is one of the most important steps we can take to avoid getting sick and spreading germs to others.”; and

WHEREAS, The CDC recommends using an alcohol-based hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol if soap and water are unavailable; and

WHEREAS, According to the annual MSU Student Health Assessment report, “Cold/Flu/Sore Throat” was considered a top 5 reason for impacting student academics at MSU; and

WHEREAS, Numerous public areas across America, such as Boise State University, the University of Colorado at Boulder, and all 57 recreational centers/36 public libraries in San Diego have installed hand sanitizing stations at their respective campuses; and

WHEREAS, Specifically, a study conducted at the University of Colorado at Boulder revealed significant decreases in absenteeism and illnesses after hand sanitizer use; and

WHEREAS, Currently, academic spaces at MSU lack a sufficient number of hand sanitizers and lack easy access to hand sanitizers; therefore be it

RESOLVED, The Associated Students of Michigan State University (ASMSU) stands to request that MSU Infrastructure Planning and Facilities (IPF) provide funding for 10 new hand sanitizing stations at various academic spaces including all floors of MSU Libraries (Main, Law, and Business) and other high traffic areas such as Berkey Hall and Wells Hall; and be it further

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2 Michigan State University Student Health Services website, under “2018 NCHA Presentation” https://olin.msu.edu/spartanhealth/default.htm
RESOLVED, The Associated Students of Michigan State University (ASMSU) also stands to request that the MSU Health Promotion Department provide visual graphics and other necessary information with the hand sanitizing stations to further disseminate knowledge about the prevention of illness and infection.

INTRODUCED ON November 29, 2018

REFERRED TO Academic COMMITTEE ON 11/29/18

COMMITTEE ACTION X voice majority 11/29/18
PASSED FAILED VOTE DATE

FINAL ACTION TAKEN X voice majority 12/6/18
PASSED FAILED VOTE DATE

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