

**ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SIXTY-FIRST SESSION**



BILL NO. 61-90

INTRODUCED BY: Taylor (ComArtSci) SECONDED BY: Sparks (CSS)

A BILL TO: Advocate for the Development of Additional Parking Space Following the Potential Demolition of IM West

THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACT:

WHEREAS, The IM West building at Michigan State University is currently awaiting a vote for potential demolition¹, creating an opportunity for the university to address the pressing need for additional parking spaces on campus; and,

WHEREAS, Parking availability has been consistently identified as a significant concern among many students, impacting their ability to access classes and campus resources effectively²; and

WHEREAS, Research from universities with similar issues indicates that a lack of adequate parking contributes to increased student stress and increased student frustration with the university³, highlighting the importance of addressing this issue; and,

WHEREAS, Converting the IM West building into a parking facility would alleviate congestion and provide much-needed relief to students struggling to find parking on campus; and,

WHEREAS, Effective parking management in higher education is essential for creating an environment that positively impacts the overall student experience. By providing additional accessible and well-organized parking, we can help students feel more at ease and focused on their academic pursuits; therefore be it,

¹ [Lansing Journal Article](#)

² [State News Article](#)

³ [Truman Media Network](#)

RESOLVED, That the Associated Students of Michigan State University shall advocate for the conversion of the IM West building into a dedicated parking area for students, contingent upon a favorable vote regarding its demolition; and let it be further,

RESOLVED, That the General Assembly advocates for the university administration to prioritize this initiative in their decision-making process, recognizing the benefits it would provide to the student body; and let it be further,

RESOLVED, That a comprehensive feasibility study be conducted to assess the potential environmental impacts, design considerations, and cost-effectiveness of converting the IM West building into parking space for students.

INTRODUCED ON 03.13.2025

REFERRED TO Academic **COMMITTEE ON** 02.27.2025

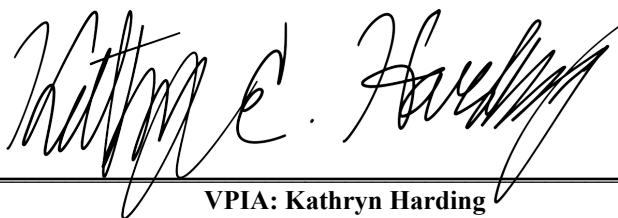
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