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3 **STUDENT SENATE**

4 **S14RS**

5 **SGR No. 1**

6 **BY: SENATORS BEVAN AND ZERKUS**

7 **A RESOLUTION**

8 **TO SUPPORT A FEE INCREASE OF A MAXIMUM OF TWENTY DOLLARS AND ZERO CENTS**
9 **(\$20.00) FOR THE MASS TRANSIT SYSTEM FEE.**

10 **PARAGRAPH 1:** WHEREAS, THE TRANSPORTATION FEE FUNDS THE BUS
11 SERVICES, DOOR-TO-DOOR SAFETY SHUTTLE, AND
12 INFRASTRUCTURE RELATED TRANSPORTATION AND IS
13 CURRENTLY \$66.20/SEMESTER; AND

14 **PARAGRAPH 2:** WHEREAS, THE CURRENT CONTRACT WITH FIRST TRANSIT INC.
15 PROVIDING BUS SERVICES TO THE LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY
16 COMMUNITY WILL END THIS SEMESTER, AND THE OFFICE OF
17 PARKING AND TRANSPORTATION SERVICES HAS BEGUN THE
18 PROCESS TO REPLACE THE CONTRACT; AND

19 **PARAGRAPH 3:** WHEREAS, THE PREVIOUS SERVICE WAS NOT ADEQUATE TO
20 SERVE THE STUDENT BODY’S NEEDS IN THE AREA COVERED OR IN
21 FREQUENCY; AND

22 **PARAGRAPH 4:** WHEREAS, THE STUDENT BODY IS WILLING TO PAY AT MOST AN
23 ADDITIONAL TWENTY DOLLARS AND ZERO CENTS (\$20.00) IN
24 ORDER TO MAINTAIN THE CURRENT SERVICE AND INCREASE THE
25 QUANTITY OF BUSES ACCORDING TO TWO SURVEYS DISTRIBUTED
26 BY THE PARKING AND TRANSPORTATION SERVICES.

27 **PARAGRAPH 5:** THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE STUDENT
28 GOVERNMENT OF LOUISIANA STATE UNIVERSITY
29 AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE SUPPORTS
30 A FEE INCREASE OF A MAXIMUM OF TWENTY DOLLARS AND ZERO
31 CENTS (\$20.00) FOR THE MASS TRANSIT SYSTEM FEE.

32 **PARAGRAPH 6:** BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THIS RESOLUTION BE
33 SENT TO THE STUDENT RECOMMENDED FEE ADVISORY
34 COMMITTEE, DIRECTOR OF PARKING AND TRANSPORTATION
35 SERVICES GARY GRAHAM, SENIOR DIRECTOR OF
36 ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES AND RISK MANAGEMENT JEFF
37 CAMPBELL, AND F. KING ALEXANDER, PRESIDENT OF LSU;

38 **PARAGRAPH 7:** BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THE COMBINED SURVEY
39 RESULTS FROM MARCH 2013 AND NOVEMBER 2013 BE
40 CONSIDERED AN AUXILIARY DOCUMENT OF THIS RESOLUTION;

41 **PARAGRAPH 8:** THIS BILL SHALL TAKE EFFECT UPON PASSAGE BY A MAJORITY
42 (1/2) VOTE OF THE LSU STUDENT SENATE AND SIGNATURE BY
43 THE PRESIDENT, UPON LAPSE OF TIME FOR PRESIDENTIAL

ACTION, OR IF VETOED BY THE PRESIDENT AND SUBSEQUENTLY
APPROVED BY THE SENATE, ON THE DATE OF SUCH APPROVAL.

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APPROVED:

ALEX W. GRASHOFF
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

DATE: _____

JOHN S. WOODARD
STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT

DATE: _____