

BOD 2018-19 – 6R Resolution for the Creation of a Sustainability Garden

The Associated Students, Incorporated (ASI) of California State University, East Bay (CSUEB),

Acknowledging that ASI of CSUEB is the entrusted and recognized voice of approximately 15,000 students,

Reaffirming that it is the mission of the ASI Board of Directors to advocate for and provide responsible and effective leadership for a diverse student population in order to make sound decisions for the betterment of CSUEB students,

Reaffirming also that the purpose of the ASI Committee on Sustainability Affairs includes “the promotion of environmental awareness in the campus community,” and “partnering with University staff and faculty as well as the Facilities and Operations Department[s],”¹

Mindful of the impact of physical space that is dedicated to cultural values such as Sustainability - defined by the intersection of environmental vitality, economic viability, and social equity,

1. **Commits** to supporting and participating in the creation of a Sustainability Garden on the Hayward campus;
2. **Notes** that such a garden should be created in the spirit of Sustainability by ensuring free and equal access and long term durability as a symbolic space of Sustainability on the Hayward Campus;
3. **Affirms** that a Sustainability Garden should be such that the integrated plants are drought tolerant and native California species, and the other materials are ethically and locally sourced;
4. **Resolves** that the Committee on Sustainability Affairs shall work with CSUEB Facilities, Office of Sustainability, the Senate Ad Hoc Committee on Sustainability, and the student organization, Sustain East Bay, on the implementation of said garden;

¹ Associated Students, Incorporated of California State University, East Bay. (2018-2019). *Sustainability Affairs Committee Code*. Retrieved From:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/17wgzUWidmoUR3fVpysAK2s0FxiPEz5_PEj_VlmxIQEA/edit?usp=sharing

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