RESOLUTION No. 2013-14-10

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REFERRRED TO: AS COUNCIL

ACTION APPROVED: November 4, 2013

SUBJECT: Recognition Furthering Support an Direction for Arts in the Quad Programming

WHEREAS, At Humboldt State University, the student body is fortunate to have a surplus of diverse, talented, and beautiful students; and,

WHEREAS, The Associated Students’ (AS) Bylaws establish the mission of AS Presents to “[m]aintain strong student involvement, voice, and decision-making in AS programming activities and events,” an endeavor that we must proactively pursue; and,

WHEREAS, The Arts in the Quad program is in harmony with AS Presents mission to “[c]reate a comprehensive, diverse variety of events and programs for all students including concerts, films, lectures, recreation & trips, comedy, [and] dances,” and to the mission to build “community spirit by planning and cosponsoring events that take place on the HSU campus;” and,

WHEREAS, The 2013-14 budget allocates $92,245 to AS Presents, or 11.4% of the student fee money collected by A.S.; and,

WHEREAS, AS Presents is charged with creating “partnerships with campus clubs and organizations representing all aspects of student life;” and,

WHEREAS, Developing aspects of the Arts in the Quad program to include skilled student artists, musicians, dancers, cinematographers, or otherwise talented individuals, provides these students with professional opportunities and is an efficient “use of AS funds and resources”; therefore be it

RESOLVED, by the Associated Students Council that the Arts in the Quad events be initiated by AS Presents no less than three times per semester from now through the Fall Semester 2014, at which time the Associated Students Council should consider re-authorizing or amending this resolution; and be it further

RESOLVED, that AS Presents shall prioritize the funding of affordable and quality student based art events, and expend these monies on items such as food, canvases, staff to assist with events, and other materials as deemed necessary by the Arts in the Quad program; and be it finally

RESOLVED, that this resolution shall supersede A.S. resolution 2013-14-1.

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