



California State University, Northridge

Senate Bill: 2012-13-05
Date: November 5, 2012
Author: Sen. Sarah Garcia, College of Education
Referred to: Committee of the Whole
Committee Action: **Senate approved (votes: 18-0-0)**
Subject: **Resolution in Support for the Victims of Hurricane Sandy and Campus Donation Drive**

1. WHEREAS: The Associated Students (A.S.) Board of Directors of California State University, Northridge is the recognized voice of over 36,000 students; and
2. WHEREAS: A.S. is the primary advocate for students at California State University, Northridge (CSUN) and provides excellent, meaningful programs and services designed to create and enhance a spirited, learning-focused campus environment; and
3. WHEREAS: In accomplishing that mission, A.S. strives to advocate for and enhance the accessibility of an affordable and quality education for the students at California State University, Northridge; and
4. WHEREAS: Hurricane Sandy devastated the Mid-Atlantic and Northeast area of the United States of America from October 23-29, 2012; and
5. WHEREAS: At least 74 people have died with more missing, there is over \$55 billion in damages, and 40,000 people have relocated from their homes due to the hurricane ⁽¹⁾ ⁽²⁾; and therefore let it be
1. RESOLVED: That the Associated Students Board of Directors at CSUN fully expresses their support and recognition of the victims of Hurricane Sandy; and let it be further
2. RESOLVED: That in expressing their support, a donation drive entitled “\$50,000 in Four Days” will be established for November 15, 16, 19, and 20, 2012 in order to

¹ <http://www.nydailynews.com/new-york/hurricane-sandy-death-toll-reaches-74-article-1.1195335>

² http://www.nytimes.com/2012/11/05/nyregion/freezing-temperatures-complicate-storm-recovery.html?pagewanted=all&_r=0

collect donations from the CSUN students, faculty, staff and community and give those donations to an organization to be determined; and let it be further

3. RESOLVED: That, in passing this resolution, the Fall 2012 Senate allocates \$1 per currently enrolled undergraduate, graduate, and extended learning students to the “\$50,000 in Five Days” donation drive, to be allocated from the A.S. Unassigned Contingency account, for an amount of up to \$35,000; and let it be further
4. RESOLVED: That the Associated Students at CSUN hereby requests the University Corporation to donate funds to match the aforementioned amount; and be it further
5. RESOLVED: That the Associated Students at CSUN hereby requests the University Student Union to raise an equal dollar amount; and be it finally
6. RESOLVED: That copies of this resolution will be available to all who seek it. Copies will be sent out, but not limited to:

- Dianne Harrison, President, CSUN
- William Watkins, Vice President for Student Affairs and Dean of Students, CSUN
- Harold Hellenbrand, Provost and Vice President of Academic Affairs, CSUN
- Gray Mounger, Assistant Vice President for Alumni Relations, CSUN
- Shellie Hadvina, Associate Director of Alumni Relations, CSUN
- Vicki Allen, Assistant Director, Matador Involvement Center, CSUN
- Justin Weiss, Coordinator for Volunteer Program and Services, Matador Involvement Center, CSUN
- Jamison Keller, Fraternity and Sorority Life Coordinator, Matador Involvement Center, CSUN
- Augie Garibay, Coordinator for Clubs and Organizations, Matador Involvement Center, CSUN
- Debra Hammond, Executive Director, University Student Union, CSUN
- CSUN Today
- Daily Sundial
- Daily News

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