

United Council Referendum Act

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Whereas many students have expressed dissatisfaction with the United Council,

Whereas its goals and methods do not align with UWM's students' best interests,

Whereas UWM segregated fees are not used by the United Council in a responsible manner,

Whereas United Council staff have acted unprofessionally towards members of the WI Legislature as well as the Board of Regents, misrepresenting polite and articulate students,

Whereas Article VI, Section 5 of the of the Student Association Independent Election Commission Bylaws states, "The IEC shall have a United Council referendum every odd year during the SA elections to determine membership in the Untied Council,"

Be it resolved that the in April 2007 the Student Association undertake a referendum stating the following:

"Do you support the UWM Student Association's right to withdraw its membership from the United Council?"

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Date