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A RESOLUTION TO: Add an Additional Printer on the Allendale Campus for Students, Faculty, and Staff Use

Recognizing, the Mission Statement of the Grand Valley State University Student Senate stating that the Student Senate “will cultivate a student body that is engaged, healthy, and empowered¹; and

Recognizing, the Preamble to the Grand Valley State University Student Senate Constitution stating “We, the members of the Grand Valley State University Student Senate, being determined to ensure the conveyance of the student voice to University governing bodies, the administration, and the Board of Trustees in matters of institutional policies.”²; and

Recognizing, Grand Valley State University currently offers printing in the Mary Idema Pew Library, Kirkhof Center, AuSable Hall, and Grand Valley State University labs if they are unoccupied³; and

Recognizing, Grand Valley State University classes are currently in a hybrid model, requiring students to independently print most material⁴; and

Recognizing, the current printers available for use on campus are not always available, or may be out of order/under maintenance due to frequent use and/or sanitation procedures⁵; and

Whereas, the Student Senate believes that an additional printer for the student body, faculty and staff would maximize efficiency and enhance learning; and

Whereas, an addition of a printer on campus in a busy, central, and readily available location would alleviate demand for all other current printing locations and offer an additional and convenient option for students, faculty and staff to use;

Therefore, Let It Be Resolved, that the Grand Valley State University Student Senate, acting on behalf of the student body, recommends that Grand Valley State University add an additional

¹ <https://www.gvsu.edu/student senate/>

² [https://www.gvsu.edu/cms4/asset/68CD24DD-C5CE-ACD3-A1C4698B1764F93F/student_senate_2020_constituti on\(2\).pdf](https://www.gvsu.edu/cms4/asset/68CD24DD-C5CE-ACD3-A1C4698B1764F93F/student_senate_2020_constituti on(2).pdf)

³ <https://www.gvsu.edu/it/lab-hours-and-locations-188.htm>

⁴ <https://www.gvsu.edu/lakerstogether/academics-6.htm>

⁵ <https://www.gvsu.edu/lakerstogether/cleaning-and-sanitation-2.htm>

printer in the Kirkhof Center, Kindschi Hall of Science, or The Connection to provide an additional central printing location that is not in a Grand Valley State University lab and that would be available for public use during campus operating hours.

Furthermore, Let It Be Resolved, that the Grand Valley State University Student Senate, acting on behalf of the student body, recommends that Grand Valley State University discuss more frequent monitoring of printers to maximize operation and efficiency of all printers on campus.