Coalition of Student Leaders

Resolution 2015-01
Establishing a Committee for Responsible Investment

Whereas, the University of Alaska Foundation wields considerable power to influence the economic, social, and environmental atmosphere of Alaska through investment, and;

Whereas, the University has a responsibility to ensure that UA Foundation investments are aligned with the University’s mission and values and are made to benefit the best interests of Alaska’s people and environment, and;

Whereas, establishing a process to ensure responsible investing will improve the University of Alaska’s ranking in the Sustainability Tracking, Assessment & Rating System, a nationally-recognized and important metric;

Therefore be it resolved, that the Coalition of Student Leaders recommends a Committee for Responsible Investment be established to review investments made by the University of Alaska Foundation and to provide non-binding recommendations on their responsibleness and moral wisdom, and;

Be it further resolved, that the Coalition of Student Leaders recommends the Committee be composed of representatives from the statewide Coalition of Student Leaders, Faculty Alliance, Staff Alliance, and Alumni Associations.

Adopted by the Coalition of Student Leaders this 12th day of January, 2015

Toby Wark, Chair

Mathew Carrick, Vice Chair

Voting members’ results as attested by LaNora Tolman, Executive Officer:
Unanimously resolved