IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY
Graduate & Professional Student Senate

SENATE RESOLUTION F09-01
SENATE MEETING August 31, 2009

TITLE: Supporting an Intermodal Facility

WHEREAS: The 2009 American Recovery and Reinvestment Act provided grants available to the Department of Transportation via the Transportation Investment Generating Economy Recovery (TIGER) program, and

WHEREAS: Iowa State University sponsored a Campustown study in 2008 to address the growing concern and need for redevelopment of the Campustown community and the study indicated that additional parking would be needed for such a redevelopment, and

WHEREAS: A proposed project between the City of Ames, CyRide, and Iowa State University for the building of an Intermodal Transportation Facility in the Campustown area would accommodate a link between public and private transportation along with addressing the parking need in the Campustown area to stimulate economic redevelopment and the long-term revitalization of the Campustown Community, be it therefore

RESOLVED: That the Graduate and Professional Student Senate (GPSS) recognizes the importance of the Campustown community and its link to the University, and let it be further

RESOLVED: That GPSS supports the proposed project for building an Intermodal Transportation Facility in the Campustown area, with the intention of linking public transportation and revitalization of this area, and let it be further

RESOLVED: That copies of this resolution be sent to the University President Gregory Geoffroy, CyRide Board of Directors (Contact: Sheri Kyras), Facilities Planning and Management Program Manager Cathy Brown, Executive Vice President and Provost Elizabeth Hoffman, Vice President of Student Affairs Thomas Hill, Vice-President for Business and Finance Warren Madden, Dean of Students Dione Somerville, Alumni Association President Jeff Johnson, and Zach Thompson, editor of the Iowa State Daily.

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