## **BOD 2023-2024 - 3R**

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**WHEREAS** the University has been able to implement some retrofit lighting projects, energy efficient boiler replacements, and some furnace upgrades<sup>1</sup>; and

**WHEREAS** CSUEB commits to action steps #2, #5, #6 pertaining to Landscaping: Turf Conversion on fields not serving as sporting fields; restoring Native woodland on open space; adopting of Bay Friendly Landscaping practices; be it therefore

**RESOLVED** ASI commits to a higher level of involvement in CSUEB's strive for carbon neutrality; and let it be further

**RESOLVED** CSUEB commits to regular reassessments, updates, and Second Nature reporting of the Climate Action Plan to align with evolving climate science, technologies, and best practices; and let it be further

**RESOLVED** ASI urges Facilities to meet their hard deadline of installing 3 MW of solar photovoltaic panels and 1 MW of battery storage by June 2024, which will provide 4.7 million kWh in the first year of operation (~20% of CSUEB's recent energy use); and let it be further

**RESOLVED** The Sustainability Committee will update the 2021-2023 greenhouse gas emission inventory to be publicly available on CSUEB's Getting To Zero Graph<sup>2</sup>; and let it be further

**RESOLVED** ASI urges the University to commit to the remaining electrical, heating, and additional building goals outlined in the CAP; and let it be further

**RESOLVED** The Sustainability Committee will update the progress regarding action steps pertaining to Landscaping: turf conversion project, restoration of Native woodland on open space, adoption of Bay-Friendly Landscaping Practices; and let it be further

**RESOLVED** ASI will encourage the usage of water-saving landscaping tactics and energy-efficient lighting fixtures; and let it be further

**RESOLVED** ASI hereby affirms our prior commitment to the 2018 Climate Action Plan; and let it be further

**RESOLVED** that CSUEB encourages all members to join in the effort to combat climate change, reduce greenhouse gas emissions, and create a sustainable, resilient future for CSUEB; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be distributed to President Joe Biden, Vice President Kamala Harris, Governor Gavin Newsom, Speaker of the House Mike Johnson, Senator Alex Padilla, Senator Steve Padilla, Congressman Eric Swalwell, all local representatives in the East Bay Area, the CSU Board of Trustees, CSU Chancellor Mildred Garcia, University President Cathy Sandeen, Interim Provost Kim Greer, Chief of Staff Derek Aitken, Executive Assistant to the President Anthony Tabinas, former University President Leroy Morishita, the Vice President for Student Affairs Dr. Suzanne Espinoza, CSUEB Sustainability Committee, Diversity and Inclusion Center Director Cookie Garrett, President of each CSU Student Government, Second Nature President Tim Carter, Vice President of Legislative Affairs of the California State Student Association Sam Chavarria, President of the California State Student Association Dominic Treseler, the Pioneer, Dr. Karina Garbesi, Jolene Koester, Congressman Jimmy Panetta, Congresswoman Paula Villescaz, PG&E CEO Patricia Poppe, all members of the 2018 Climate Action Planning Task Force, digitally to all students, and any other relevant parties.

<sup>1</sup>California State University East Bay 2018 Climate Action Plan <sup>2</sup>CSUEB Getting To Zero Graph

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