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Legislation Text

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Fiscal Note

The proposed resolution requires no additional appropriation.

Title

Establishing an additional In-Person Absentee Voting site for the November 2016 General Election **Body**

WHEREAS, approximately 8,000 UW-Madison students registered to vote on Election Day for the 2016 Presidential Primary; and

WHEREAS, nearly 3,000 UW-Madison students registered to vote before the 2016 Presidential Primary; and

WHEREAS, most of these UW-Madison students have moved since April and will need to re-register to vote before the Presidential Election; and

WHEREAS, voter turnout for a Presidential Election tends to be much higher than voter turnout for a Presidential Primary; and

WHEREAS, the space designated for In-Personal Absentee Voting on the UW-Madison campus may be too small to adequately meet demand;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Common Council establishes an additional campus location for UW-Madison students to cast absentee ballots at the Student Activity Center, room 4204 of 333 East Campus Mall, weekdays October 24 through November 4.