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S03-6

At its meeting of May 5, 2003, the Academic Senate passed the following Policy Recommendation presented by Romey Sabalius for the Executive Committee.

**POLICY RECOMMENDATION
SMOKING POLICY**

Modifies S93-11

Whereas in Fall 2002, the CSU Board of Trustees encouraged all CSU campuses to review their smoking policies; and

Whereas the SJSU Academic Senate's Executive Committee conducted a survey of faculty and staff, with more than 1200 respondents, in which more than 60% of respondents indicated they would prefer a more restrictive smoking policy than the one we currently have; and

Whereas in voting on an advisory ballot measure (Measure W) in March 2003, 61.3% of voting SJSU students expressed a preference for a more restrictive smoking policy than the current one; and

Whereas the dangers of second-hand smoke have been clearly demonstrated (see S93-11); be it therefore

Resolved that, beginning in Fall 2003, smoking and, when possible, ashtrays on the SJSU campus shall be restricted to areas no less than 25 feet from any public entrance to or window of any campus building; be it further

Resolved that the president and VP for Administration and Finance be encouraged to work closely with the University Police Department to devise a mechanism for meaningful enforcement of this policy.

Fiscal impact: Unknown costs associated with new signage.

ACTION BY UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT: Signed by President Robert Caret 5-15-03