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At its meeting of September 10, 2001, the 2001-2002 Executive Committee, acting as the Academic Senate (By-Law 3.3b), passed the following Senate Management Resolution presented by Kenneth Peter.

SENATE MANAGEMENT RESOLUTION
Establishment of an Academic Innovation Model (AIM) Task Force

Whereas, The mission of SJSU would be enhanced if its faculty were more substantially empowered to innovate in research, teaching, and service; and

Whereas, Innovation is currently limited for many faculty both by the inflexibility of the so-called "4/4" teaching schedule and by a lack of sufficient resources, support structure, and time; and

Whereas, Greater flexibility in scheduling and the provision of additional resources would make it possible for faculty to develop new curricula, im

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Resolved, That the AIM Task Force submit its long-term recommendations to the Provost and the Academic Senate by March 2002, at which time the Academic Senate shall discuss the long-term recommendations provided by the AIM Task Force and shall, by Sense-of-the-Senate resolution, provide its evaluation of the report and offer any additional advice it deems necessary; and be it

Resolved, Long-term recommendations provided by the AIM Task Force will be forwarded to the appropriate campus bodies for implementation, such as Senate Policy Committees on matters concerning policy changes, Academic Affairs on matters concerning administrative implementation issues, etc. The AIM Task Force will cease to exist as soon as it transmits its recommendations to the Senate and the Provost.



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- Identify additional resources, from both existing and potential new sources, that can be