

RESOLUTION OF THE SENATE
OF
THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY

Adopted 23 February 2017

Whereas, Women, Infant, and Children (WIC) is the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children, which is a public health program designed to improve health outcomes and influence lifetime nutrition and health behaviors by offering healthy foods, breastfeeding support, health screenings, nutrition assessment and advice for income eligible Women, Infants and Children; and,

Whereas, These services provide a significant investment in the future of this community and student success; and,

Whereas, The WIC clinic would offer increased student engagement for students pursuing studies in dietetics and nursing through volunteer opportunities in a real life application; and,


Whereas, The creation of a satellite clinic on campus would cost nothing to MSU other than an allotment of space; and,

Whereas, The family and graduate housing director Chancey Ringer has shown interest and offered a location at the community center on South 15th; and,

Whereas, MSU had a WIC satellite clinic 8 years ago, which served 70 clients; and,

Whereas, Currently 35 families of one or more local WIC participants expressed interest in a satellite location on campus; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Associated Students of Montana State University support the creation of a WIC satellite clinic on campus.


Bradley Jones – Senate Speaker