

MEASURE B: Shall the undergraduate students of UCSC assess themselves a fee of \$1.10 per year for the purchase of class schedules by the Student Union Assembly for free distribution at the colleges?

Discussion: This measure requires a simple majority of a minimum voting pool of at least 25% of the student body.

Passage of Measure B would result in students assessing themselves a fee of \$1.10 per year for the purchase of Fall, Winter, and Spring class schedules by the Student Union Assembly for free distribution at the colleges. If Measure B fails, the class schedules will be sold at the bookstore.

Supporting Opinion: VOTE YES ON MEASURE B!! LET THE ADMINISTRATION KNOW THAT STUDENTS ARE CAPABLE OF MAKING DECISIONS FOR OURSELVES!! KEEP CLASS SCHEDULES IN THE COLLEGES!!!

Last Summer in a break with past policy, the administration made the decision to charge students 50 cents for Schedules of Classes, and to sell them ONLY at the Bookstore and the Express Store. THIS DECISION WAS MADE WITHOUT STUDENT CONSULTATION!!!

This decision meant that students could no longer pick up their schedules at their college offices, another blow to the decentralized structure of the college system. **WE CANNOT ACCEPT CENTRALIZATION!** It also meant that students would have to wait in the already overcrowded Bookstore simply to pick up a schedule of classes. Finally, the bookstore's price of the schedules is 15 cents higher than the costs of producing them, meaning that the UC Regents are making a profit off of our need for these course schedules!!

Measure B will: a) **PUT DECISION MAKING POWER BACK IN THE HANDS OF STUDENTS;** b) **RETURN THE SCHEDULES TO THE COLLEGES;** and c) **LOWER THE PRICE OF SCHEDULES TO THE COST OF PRINTING** at 35 cents.

The Student Union Assembly, in response to the administration's tendency to do things to students rather than for students, took action last fall to keep the college system alive, preserve easy access to schedules, and prevent the university from profiting off of student necessities. The SUA took the course schedules out of the hands of the administration and brought them directly to the colleges. The SUA is now asking to institutionalize this delivery system through the billing process. If we do not pass this measure, the SUA cannot cover the costs of delivery, and the schedules will be available only at the bookstore, at a profit-making price. Students can prevent this by voting yes on Measure B.

A YES VOTE ON MEASURE B IS A VOTE TO KEEP THE COLLEGES ALIVE! VOTE YES ON MEASURE B!

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Opposing Opinion: No opposing opinion was received.