

## **Platform 1: CyberBullying - Adopted**

Presenters:

- Sierra Amundson
- Alex Jacobson

Whereas:

- Students are sending mean messages or threats to another student's social media account or cell phone or spreading rumors online or through texts
- Whereas, Over half of High School students have been bullied online, and about the same number have engaged in cyber bullying.
- Whereas, More than 1 in 3 young people have experienced cyberthreats online.
- Whereas, Over 25 percent of students have been bullied repeatedly through their cell phones or the Internet.
- Whereas, Over half of students do not tell their parents if they have been cyber bullied.

Therefore, be it resolved that member schools of the Wyoming Association of Student Councils actively promote the prevention of CyberBullying in their schools and communities by, which include, but are not limited to:

- Encouraging students to tell an adult, or someone, if cyber bullying is occurring.
- Providing an outlet for victim students by being someone who they can feel safe around, and to talk to.
- Raising awareness in schools to inform students on the importance of cyberbullying prevention
- Encourage students to think before they post, or send anything, if it would offend anyone

**I move the adoption of this platform.**

## **Platform 2: Student Involvement - Adopted**

Presenters:

- Hannah Williams
- Mariah Scharosch

Whereas:

- Most students only attend certain sports games
- Whereas: most activities, and events are not supported by the student body
- Whereas: Art shows, Concerts, and certain sporting events aren't as supported by the student body
- Whereas: the lack of student support greatly impacts the success of said events

Therefore, be it resolved that member schools of the Wyoming Association of Student Councils actively promote the attendance and support of all school activities, not just the most popular events, in their schools and communities by, which include, but are not limited to:

- Advertising for all school events
- encouraging all students to support all activities
- creating a reward/ incentive program, rewarding students who consistently attend school events
- Leading by example, by attending as many school programs as possible.

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### **Platform 3: Distracted Driving - Defeated**

Presenters:

- Alexis Lehmann
- Renelle Hindman

Whereas:

- Texting while driving isn't the only major distraction
- Whereas: Most students who can drive say that they have eaten, drank, or applied make-up while driving.
- Whereas: One in three licensed students say they have texted while driving.
- Whereas: Most licensed drivers say that they have either talked on the phone while driving, or spent time changing the music that they listen to while driving.

Therefore, be it resolved that member schools of the Wyoming Association of Student Councils actively promote the Prevention of distracted Driving, in their schools and communities by, which include, but are not limited to:

- Raising Awareness of the after effects of distracted driving
- Encouraging students to only focus on driving while driving
- Encouraging students to, if possible, designate someone else in the car to change the music, text, or talk on the phone for the driver
- Promoting programs that encourage safe driving

**I move the adoption of this platform.**

### **Platform 4: Students in Need - Adopted**

Presenters:

- Karen Russell
- Micah Whiting

Whereas:

- Schools are unaware or overlook certain necessities of some students
- Whereas: Certain students may not be able to have the necessary essentials at home
- Whereas: These certain students feel embarrassed and uncomfortable telling anyone about the problem
- Whereas: the lack of knowledge and communication leads to a lack of support and help

Therefore, be it resolved that member schools of the Wyoming Association of Student Councils actively promote Awareness for Students in need, in their schools and communities by, which include, but are not limited to:

- Encouraging these students to talk to someone about their home situation
- Helping to provide information and assistance for the students in need
- Raising money for programs that contribute to the assistance of these students

**I move the adoption of this platform.**