WHEREAS, the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (hereafter UWM) and Bublr Bikes have maintained since 8/21/2015 a Memorandum of Understanding (hereafter MOU), providing fee-paying UWM students unlimited 60-minute rides for one year after the $8 purchase of a Bublr Bikes permit.

WHEREAS, the current MOU will expire on 06/25/2020, after which time UWM students will no longer be offered a discounted rate for a Bublr Bikes permit.

WHEREAS, it is the shared desire of UWM and Bublr Bikes to increase transportation options and expand access to transit for students.

WHEREAS, the office of Transportation Services has pledged a sum of $10,000 towards a new MOU between UWM and Bublr Bikes.

WHEREAS, the Environmental Sustainability Mentorship Committee has pledged via the Green Fund (pending Student Association Senate approval) a sum of $40,000 towards a new MOU between UWM and Bublr Bikes.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED; that the Student Association Senate formally requests the preparation and swift ratification of a new one-year MOU between UWM and Bublr Bikes, whereby the latter party will receive the total sum enumerated above ($50,000), with final stipulations and conditions to be negotiated by representatives of both parties.

THEREFORE, BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED; that, upon passage, this legislation be communicated to Vice Chancellor of Finance and Administrative Affairs Robin Van Harpen, Chief Sustainability Officer Kate Nelson, Executive Director of Bublr Bikes James Davies, Director of Transportation Services Prasanna Nanda, members of the Environmental Sustainability Mentorship Committee, and the University Legal Clinic.

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