

Class C Resolution Concerning Fair Trade Coffee

WHEREAS, a student organization known as the Fair Trade Coffee Coalition has been engaged in negotiations with Housing and Food Services and Tully's Coffee Corporation to provide only 100% Fair Trade Certified coffee at all venues where coffee is served on the University of Washington Seattle campus, and;

WHEREAS, over 4000 students have signed a petition calling on Housing and Food Services to adopt a 100% Fair Trade Certified coffee policy, and;

WHEREAS, the Associated Students of the University of Washington have supported the efforts of the Fair Trade Coffee Coalition by approving a resolution calling for a shift to 100% Fair Trade Certified coffee on the Seattle campus, and;

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Faculty Senate of the University of Washington supports the efforts of the Associated Students of the University of Washington to develop a 100% Fair Trade Certified coffee policy on campus, as reflected in their resolution R-12-8 approved January 10, 2006.

*Approved by the Faculty Senate
March 2, 2006*