Fifty Ninth Legislative Council
of the
Associated Students

Begun and held at the University of California at Santa Barbara, in the City of Santa Barbara on the eleventh day of November, two thousand nine, in the fifty ninth year of our association.

A Bill
To Support Public Safety in Isla Vista

Whereas: Public safety is a growing concern in the community of Isla Vista.

Whereas: There is a severe lack of public lighting and stop signs in Isla Vista, which endangers the pedestrians and cyclists in the community.

Whereas: Isla Vista is populated by students who rely on walking or biking to and from class, however they are at risk of injury due to the lack of bike lanes, stoplights, and stop signs on the streets.

Whereas: Investing more assets into improving public safety in Isla Vista, such as adding stoplights, more bike lanes, and more stop signs would result in a decrease in traffic accidents, as well as protect the pedestrians and cyclists that reside in Isla Vista.

Therefore let it be resolved by the Associated Students in the Legislative Council assembled: That the students of UCSB urge Doreen Farr, and the County of Santa Barbara to invest more in improving public safety in Isla Vista.

That Associated Students of UCSB recognizes that public safety is a potentially serious problem in Isla Vista.

That Associated Students of UCSB supports any efforts from Goleta’s elected officials to improve the wellbeing of Isla Vista pedestrians and cyclists.

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