

**IN THE SENATE**

**RESOLUTION #1**

**BY THE ASCSI SENATE**

**2008**

**TO THE ADMINISTRATION AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN IDAHO REGARDING THE COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN IDAHO SMOKING POLICY:**

**WHEREAS**, in a survey conducted by the ASCSI Senate and the Magic Valley Tobacco Free Coalition, 960 respondents representing all stakeholders of the institution supported the creation of a smoke free environment by a 79% supermajority; and

**WHEREAS**, 79% of the 960 respondents also indicated that they wanted CSI to do more to limit their exposure to second hand smoke; and

**WHEREAS**, over 131 colleges and universities nationwide have adopted smoke free policies and CSI could set the example for the creation of a healthy, smoke free, public campus in Idaho, and

**WHEREAS**, CSI is promoting a healthy lifestyle and environment, the effects of second hand smoke and the accompanying litter run contrary to that purpose; and,

**WHEREAS**, the College and South Central Public Health District will offer free classes, activities, and incentives to support the efforts of individuals to quit smoking,

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE ASCSI SENATE, ACTING AS REPRESENTATIVES OF CURRENT AND FUTURE STUDENTS OF THE COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN IDAHO, THAT WE RECOMMEND TO THE ADMINISTRATION AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES THAT THE COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN IDAHO BECOME A SMOKE FREE ENVIRONMENT AS OF AUGUST 25, 2008.**