TO: The University Senate
FROM: Equity and Diversity Committee
SUBJECT: Purdue University identification cards used for voting purposes
DISPOSITION: University Senate for Discussion and Adoption
REFERENCE: Purdue ID Card Office
RATIONALE: Purdue University is committed to promotion of civic engagement as evidenced through our learning outcome focused on working effectively in a global civic society.
Purdue University supports and encourages student’s right to vote and considers this to be part of their civic duty.
A recent change in local policy related to Indiana’s voter ID law makes use of Purdue University’s identification cards that do not have an expiration printed on them invalid for use as voter identification.
Purdue University has updated the campus identification cards to include an expiration date so they can be used for voter identification for future students.
Current students requiring a new identification card for voting purposes will be charged a $10 fee.

PROPOSAL: Purdue University shall provide replacement identification cards at no cost for students who require them for voter identification purposes.

Committee Votes
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