[Bill Name]

 BY: [Author, Club Name]; [Sponsor 1, Club Name]; [Sponsor 2, Club Name]

WHEREAS, [Each whereas is simply a statement of the status quo that provides a logical reason for passing the legislation.], and

WHEREAS, [a piece of legislation may have any number of ‘Whereas’ or ‘inoperative clauses’ typically there are between 3-5, however, more formal/declarative legislation may have many more], and

WHEREAS, [“Whereas” literally means “because of”; If this doesn’t fit with the statement, it is not inappropriate to use other similar formal words of acknowledgement (E.g. Noting, In response to, Seeing that, Recalling, Emphasizing, etc)], therefore;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

[A resolution addresses, creates or suggests policies or attitudes to be adopted by the body or comments on actions or policies of other related organizations];

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT:

[A “BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT” is optional, if it is unused then you may delete this line. Often this line is used to give further instruction as to how to proceed under the new policy (E.g. to send a letter explaining the policy to administration or to refer the newly adopted policy to a committee to draft a bill acting on the resolution)].

Senate Vote: Date: Chairman’s Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 I hereby veto this legislation, or the above marked lines.

Reasons: