At its meeting of January 29, 2001, the SJSU Academic Senate passed the following Sense of the Senate Resolution presented by Jonathan Roth for the Curriculum and Research Committee.

SENSE OF THE SENATE RESOLUTION
SUPPORTING THE UNIVERSITY’S HOSTING OF THE 15th ANNUAL CSU STUDENT RESEARCH COMPETITION

WHEREAS: For the past 14 years, the CSU has sponsored a research competition for both undergraduates and graduates from all CSU campuses. The purpose of the competition is to promote excellence in undergraduate and graduate scholarly research and creative activity by recognizing outstanding student accomplishments throughout the twenty-two campuses of the California State University.

WHEREAS: The 15th Annual CSU Student Research Competition will be held at SJSU on April 27 – 28, 2001. Members of the Silicon Valley community – businesses, non-profit organizations, elected officials and high school students will be invited to attend and support the competition in order to promote the scholarly and creative work of CSU students. The competition will also include a poster session for the first time.

WHEREAS: SJSU, as host of the 2001 competition, should work to ensure that its 10 competition slots are filled. The SJSU students will be selected by the Senate’s Graduate Studies and Research Committee on February 27 and March 1, 2001.

WHEREAS: SJSU students selected to participate in the April 2001 competition will also showcase their work at the 22nd Annual University Research Forum to be held April 4, 2001. Therefore, be it

RESOLVED: That the SJSU Academic Senate support the university’s hosting of the 15th Annual CSU Student Research Competition by encouraging its members to: assist students in applying, inform colleagues of the event, attend the event, and encourage students to attend the event.

RESOLVED: That this resolution be given to Graduate Studies & Research and posted to the SJSU Senate Web Page with a link to the website for the competition (www.sjsu.edu/csuresearch2001).