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The Associated Students of Oregon State University see an immediate benefit of OSU's modem pool given the current volume of students that utilize it. We agree that an annual expenditure of \$36,000 for general maintenance is acceptable with the stipulation that no major capital expenditures are required to sustain the service.

We conclude that when the volume of students utilizing the service falls below 800 the costs associated with maintaining the modem pool will outweigh any according benefit it provides. At this time funding for the service should cease and funds should be allocated to more beneficial and effective services.

We are encouraged with the inclusion of appropriate student voice in the allocation of discretionary funds and look forward to working with you regarding these issues in the future.

Regards,



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ASOSU President

Cc: Jim Corbett