

Spring Semester 2003  
Referendum #6  
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### University Art Museum Referendum

#### WHEREAS

The new University Art Museum will contribute significantly to the education and cultural enrichment of University of Louisiana at Lafayette students and faculty, as well as thousands of citizens throughout southwest Louisiana.

#### AND WHEREAS

The students of the University of Louisiana at Lafayette have pride in their new Art Museum which will present exhibitions of regional, national, and international scope, attracting hundreds of thousands of visitors to our campus and community, and generating significant economic development through cultural tourism for our community.

#### AND WHEREAS

The University Art Museum will be the only museum of its caliber between New Orleans and Houston, bringing great prestige to the University of Louisiana at Lafayette.

#### AND WHEREAS

Continual funding is needed to maintain operational expenses for the University Art Museum.

**BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED** that the question be posed to the students on the Spring 2003 ballot, "Should the students of the University of Louisiana at Lafayette enrolled in 6 or more credit hours in the Fall and Spring semesters pay \$5.00 and students who carry 3 or more credit hours in the Summer semester pay \$2.50 to operate the new University Art Museum?"

~~PASSED~~/FAILED

Ben Miller RD  
Senate Chairman  
Date: 2-24-03

APPROVED/~~VETOED~~

Jessica Clarke  
SGA President