*Whereas*, according the Electoral Bylaws of the AUS:

*1.10 “Elections shall be held between January 15 and April 1. If necessary, by-elections may take place between September 15 and December 1. Referenda shall be held between September 15 and December 1 or between January 15 and April 1.”*

*2.9 “The CRO shall submit for the approval of Council the following dates: the nomination period, the campaign period, and the polling period.”*

*4.8 “Referendum periods shall be announced to the members of the Society through the elections listserv at least three (3) working days prior to the opening of the campaign period.”*

*6.3 “The polling period shall last no less than three (3) working days and shall close when the campaign period closes.”*

*6.6 “All ballots shall be cast through an online voting system, which shall use the highest security encryption that is reasonably available to Elections AUS.”*

*Whereas*, referenda make it possible to amend the AUS Constitution as well as change or introduce any AUS fees,

**Be it resolved**, that a referendum period be called with the following dates according to the AUS Electoral Bylaws:

* Last day to submit referendum questions via petition: Monday, November 2nd at 5 PM
* Last Council to approve referendum questions: Wednesday, November 4th
* Questions sent out to all students in both languages on Saturday, November 7th
* Last day to form referendum committees: Monday, November 16th
* Campaign Period: Wednesday, November 18th – Friday, November 27th at 5PM
* Polling Period/Time: Friday, November 20th at 9AM – Friday, November 27th at 5 PM
* Polling Location: Online Voting System

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