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3 **The Student Association of the University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma**

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5 Author: *Freshman Ward Senator* Halli Humphrey and  
6 *Social Sciences and Business Ward Senator* Chelsea Fuston

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8 **USAO Young Democrats**

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10 An act relating to allocating funds to the USAO Young Democrats Organization to fund projects  
11 and activities for the USAO campus.

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13 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT ASSOCIATION SENATE OF THE UNIVERSITY**  
14 **OF SCIENCE AND ARTS OF OKLAHOMA:**

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16 SECTION 1: This act shall be known and maybe be cited as USAO Young Democrats Act.

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18 SECTION 2: There is a growing need to have additional active political organization on campus  
19 where students are able to come and have their opinions heard in a healthy  
20 environment. As such, the USAO Young Democrats are one of the organizations  
21 whose goal is to provide that kind of forum.

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23 SECTION 3: The Student Government Association, would provide \$500 to the USAO Young  
24 Democrats Organization where both Senator Humphrey and Senator Fuston are on  
25 the executive board for. This money would be allowing the Young Democrats an  
26 opportunity to hold events and activities for the upcoming semester.

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28 SECTION 4: With the Fall 2020 and Spring 2021 semesters primarily being restricted due to the  
29 COVID-19 pandemic, USAO Young Democrats were unable to have fundraisers  
30 to raise money for the organization and allocating money from the general fund  
31 would give them a solid head start for the upcoming year.

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33 SECTION 5: Some of the ideas that the USAO Young Democrats have to utilize the money  
34 would be to set up an event for Asian Americans, hosting guest speakers on  
35 campus, and funding initiatives to register new voters.

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37 SECTION 6: Copies of this act shall be distributed to the following:  
38 All current members of the USAO Student Government Association (SGA)  
39 Senate, all current members of the SGA Executive Council, all current members  
40 of the SGA Supreme Court, and all current advisors of the SGA.

46 SECTION 7: Following passage, ratification shall take place in accordance with  
47 Article IX of the USAO SGA Constitution / Article XVI of the USAO SGA  
48 Bylaws.  
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