

Polaris Operational Group
Resolution # 11
Removing Vending Machines
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Be it resolved by Operational Group, that all Dasani vending machines should be removed from school grounds.

1. **Whereas** the vending machines are rarely used;
2. **Whereas** the vending machines take up space that could be used for possible lounge furniture;
3. **Whereas** vending machines are costly, as they use a lot of electricity;
4. **Whereas** vending machines at Polaris only offer water, which students have access to for free;
and
5. **Whereas** bottled water is less environmentally friendly than water accessed for free from the Polaris water fountains and water bottle refill station;

Therefore, be it resolved by Operational Group, that students agree that vending machines on Polaris grounds are not only unnecessary, but take up space as well.

Action Statement: If passed by Operational Group, we will take this resolution to Polaris staff, who will then review and consider this resolution with respects to secondary student's voice.