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**Bowling Green State University
Graduate Student Senate Resolution 2009.F1**

Expressing Support Towards the Bowling Green State University
“Charting Our Future” Strategic Plan

WHEREAS, Bowling Green State University has formulated a strategic plan titled Charting Our Future; and

WHEREAS, the document was generated with active input from the University Community at large; and

WHEREAS, the stated goals of Charting Our Future are:

1. Facilitate lifelong learning, critical thinking and personal growth;
2. Produce high-quality scholarship and creative achievements throughout the University;
3. Build a diverse community and a culture of inclusion;
4. Develop mutually beneficial relationships between all stakeholders;
5. Support faculty and staff performance and development;
6. Create an optimal fiscal and physical plant infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, the strategies of Charting Our Future are:

1. Create distinctive coherent undergraduate learning experiences that integrate curricular and co-curricular programs;
2. Expand the student populations for BGSU enrollment and implement programs to recruit them and retain them to successful program completion;
3. Identify and pursue economic development and curricular engagement opportunities;
4. Enhance institutional capabilities for research and creative achievements;
5. Realign individual and institutional incentives and resources to support institutional priorities;
6. Adapt institutional processes and resources for attracting new faculty and staff and for the development of their talent and contributions;
7. Increase institutional diversity and inclusion through communication of benefits; and

WHEREAS, the Bowling Green State University Graduate Student Senate represents the Graduate Student Body; and

WHEREAS, the Bowling Green State University Graduate Students make up a key component of the University Community; and

WHEREAS, Graduate Students have a vested interest in the long term development in the University through a strategic plan; and

WHEREAS, Graduate Student Senate anticipates being an integral part of the implementation process of Charting Our Future through University, Faculty, Senate, and various ad hoc committees in the future; and

WHEREAS, the Graduate Student Senate applauds the spirit of the Charting our Future Strategic Plan;

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED that the Bowling Green State University Graduate Student Senate expresses its support in principle for the Charting Our Future University Strategic Plan; and

BE IT THEREFORE ALSO RESOLVED that the Bowling Green State University Graduate Student Senate will continue to be an integral part of the "Charting Our Future" implementation process.

Submitted by: Stephen Dinda, Representative at Large
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Approved by the BGSU Graduate Student Senate General Assembly

Voted upon by the GSS General Assembly on Friday, September 25th
Senators For: 42 Senators Against: 3 Abstentions: 1



Carl H. Walling, GSS President
Signed on September 25, 2009