

THE SENATE OF THE UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT BODY

## **S.R. 2016/2017 – 03**

**A Resolution formally creating a diversity statement for the Undergraduate Student Government.**

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT BODY

October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016

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Approved by the Senate of the Undergraduate Student Body, and prepared for the presentation to the Advisor of the Undergraduate Student Body and Vice-President for Student Affairs.

Jodi Webb, Adviser and Dean of Students

Dr. Thomas Gibson, Vice President of Student Affairs

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Approved by the Adviser of the Undergraduate Student Government and Vice President for Student Affairs at Bowling Green State University, and so order into effect.

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Nadia Oehler  
Speaker of the Senate

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Jodi Webb  
Adviser of the Undergraduate Student Government

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*In the Senate of the Undergraduate Student Body here assembled,*

1. **Whereas**, the Undergraduate Student Government represents the undergraduate student
2. voice at Bowling Green State University; and
  
3. **Whereas**, Bowling Green State University and the Undergraduate Student Government
4. aim to empower and uplift all student voices; and
  
5. **Whereas**, within the Undergraduate Student Government there presently is no statement
6. of affirmation which outlines the Undergraduate Student Government's wholly support
7. for
8. students in their pursuit to extinguish forms of oppression that exist; and
  
8. **Whereas**, by showing our support through a diversity statement we are publicly
9. expressing our commitment to aid in empowering students to follow their previously
10. outlined pursuits.
  
11. **Therefore, let it finally be resolved that**, The Undergraduate Student Government of
12. Bowling Green State University releases the following diversity statement.

## The Undergraduate Student Government

We The Undergraduate Student Government of Bowling Green State University support and affirm all efforts made by students, locally and nationally, who seek the erasure of racism, police brutality, misogyny, homophobia, Islamophobia, and any ideology that marginalizes and dehumanizes a group of people for any reason. USG seeks to uplift and empower all students who are affected by systems of oppression by passing legislature at the university level which challenges the standard of diversity and inclusion, with great hope that our efforts transcend us and positively impact the world.

Diversity Statement

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*Passes by the Senate and ordered presented to the president of the Undergraduate Student Body  
for Approval or Veto.*

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Nadia Oehler  
Speaker of the Senate

*I do hereby approve and order this legislation into effect.*

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Jodi Webb  
Adviser of the Undergraduate Student Government

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Dr. Thomas Gibson  
Vice President of Student Affairs at Bowling Green State University

*I do hereby disapprove and order this legislation to be returned to the Senate.*

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Jodi Webb  
Adviser of the Undergraduate Student Government

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Dr. Thomas Gibson  
Vice President of Student Affairs at Bowling Green State University