A Resolution Supporting A Single College of the Arts and Sciences

Sean Fitzpatrick (for himself) introduced the following resolution which was referred to the Committee on Academic Affairs.

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Whereas the Undergraduate Student Government represents all undergraduates, and

Whereas the five Colleges of the Arts and Sciences contain the majority of our undergraduate student population, and

Whereas the current structure is bureaucratically inefficient, and

Whereas the College of the Arts and the College of the Humanities already function as a single unit, and

Whereas the restructuring of these five colleges will create a single College of the Arts and Sciences with three divisions: Arts and Humanities, Social and Behavioral Sciences, and Natural and Mathematical Sciences, and

Whereas the restructuring should have little to no impact on day to day student academic life, and

Whereas the new structure will consolidate bureaucracy, streamline the funding process, and increase the amount of funding directly in the classroom by over 2 million dollars;

Therefore Let it Be Resolved that the Undergraduate Student Government Senate encourages the Council on Academic Affairs, the University Senate, and the Board of trustees to pass the restructuring of the Arts and Sciences Colleges into a single College of the Arts and Sciences, and

Therefore Let it Be Resolved that the Undergraduate Student Government Senate encourages continued student representation at all levels within the new College of the Arts and Sciences.

Floor Vote: Aye: __  Nay: ___ Present: ___

Micah Kamrass
President
Date Adopted: ___

Andrew Mikac
Speaker of the Senate
Termination Date: ___