

RESOLUTION 15/16/001

**RESOLUTION ON MUTUAL RESPECT
FOR CAMPUS DIVERSITY**

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WHEREAS, The United Greek Council declares and affirms the promotion of culture; and

WHEREAS, We promote educating oneself and learning about cultures outside of one's own; and

WHEREAS, We engage in practices of cultures outside of one's own with respectful invitation; and

WHEREAS, We participate in cultural traditions and ceremonies that are important to our respective cultures in an effort to remain connected to our cultural identities; and

WHEREAS, We respect the use of cultural garments and clothing amongst our campus community and recognize the importance of keeping those garments within appropriate ceremonies; and

WHEREAS, We expect mutual respect for the cultural traditions, customs, and clothing that are an essential part of our cultural, ethnic or racial identity; and

WHEREAS, We appreciate and promote the cultural diversity on campus, as it brings forth a myriad of different perspectives and enriches our experience as students and global citizens; and

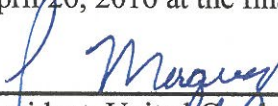
WHEREAS, We acknowledge the presence of multicultural organizations that affirm and celebrate the importance of our minority presence at the University of Illinois.

BE IT RESOLVED that the United Greek Council does not condone the use of costumes, party themes, and other racially-linked demeaning actions as a means for social enjoyment and making light of racial oppression and discrimination faced by minority students.

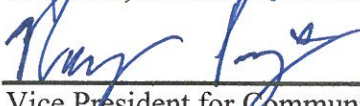
BE IT RESOLVED that our minority students on campus feel the University of Illinois is an institution, that while predominantly-white, accepts and welcomes the diversity that enriches the academic and social experience of all students.

BE IT RESOLVED that the presence of minority students will continue to impact to educate our peers about the importance and necessity for respect of the customs, traditions and language that both empower and connect us to our essential ethnic, racial, and cultural identities.

Resolution on Mutual Respect for Campus Diversity passes by a vote of 21-0-0 on Tuesday, April 26, 2016 at the final Parliament Meeting of the United Greek Council.




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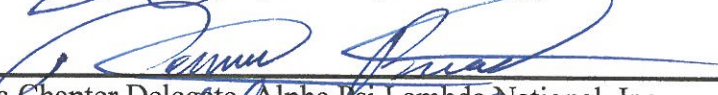
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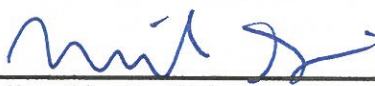
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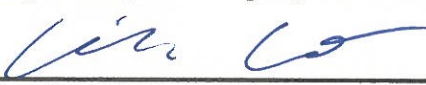
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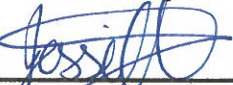
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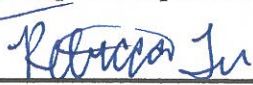
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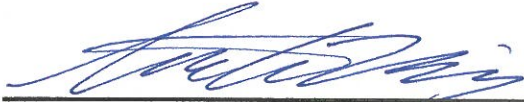
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