UNIVERSITY OF IOWA STUDENT GOVERNMENT

Joint Legislative Session
Student Senate
J.R. #3

Sponsor: Senator Teagan Roeder, Vice President Pak
Referred to the Internal Affairs Committee
Student Senate Action: Passed/Failed/Tabled

A Resolution

A resolution that acknowledges the past one hundred years of student governance at the University of Iowa.

Section 1. Short Title

“Joint Resolution on the Student Governance Centennial Proclamation”

Section 2. Discussion

Whereas, through great trials, the first Student Government was established on the University of Iowa campus nearly one hundred years ago on November 12th, 1919.

Whereas, both University of Iowa Student Government and Graduate and Professional Student Government arose from this original Student Government.

Whereas, Student Government has led the way for positive change on campus for the past one hundred years.

Whereas, Student Government, through its various iterations and forms, has remained an integral part of campus.

Whereas, in the first Student Government Constitution, stated in Article II-Purpose “The Purpose of this Student Council is to cooperate with the administration in promoting and controlling student affairs of the University; to encourage high standards of living and scholarship; and to establish and maintain a broader democracy and greater union among the student body” (see Appendix A).
Whereas, the first Student Government Constitution states in its Article II, “The Purpose of this Student Council is to cooperate with the administration in promoting and controlling student affairs of the University; to encourage high standards of living and scholarship; and to establish and maintain a broader democracy and greater union among the student body.”

Section 3. Position

Therefore be it resolved, that like our founders before us, we continue the mission of cooperation with the administration, promoting student welfare, and promoting a greater union among the student body.

Therefore be it resolved, that UISG and GPSG calls on the Faculty Senate and Staff Council to endorse this declaration.

Section 4. Enactment Clause

Be it enacted by the University of Iowa Student Government upon the signature of the President.

_______________________________, Speaker of the Senate
Elli Lenz

I hereby attest and certify that this bill originated from the 2019-2020 Student Senate Session.

_______________________________, Secretary
Caren Li

APPROVED on ____________

_______________________________, UISG President
Noel Mills

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Dexter Golinghorst

Appendix A