

**SENATE RESOLUTION #1923**

**Title:** Silent March in Support of Tolerance, Nonviolence and Diversity

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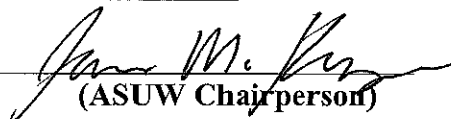
**Sponsors:** Senators Meeker, Reed, and Sjogren

1. WHEREAS, the one year memorial of Matthew Shepard's death will occur
2. October 12<sup>th</sup>, 1999; and
3. WHEREAS, the event caused the University of Wyoming and the larger
4. community to reflect on the values, beliefs, and diversity of the community; and
5. WHEREAS, the University of Wyoming fosters respect for an individual's right
6. to learn, work, and live in an atmosphere without discrimination; and
7. WHEREAS, the one year memorial will coincide with the University of
8. Wyoming Homecoming Parade.
9. THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Associated Students of the University of
10. Wyoming support and encourage the practice of tolerance, nonviolence and
11. diversity; and
12. THEREFORE, be it further resolved that the Associated Students of the
13. University of Wyoming support a silent march open to all individuals in the
14. October 9, 1999, UW Homecoming Parade to encourage tolerance, nonviolence
15. and diversity at the University of Wyoming and the larger community.

**Referred to:** Committee of the Whole

**Date of Passage:** October 5, 1999

**Signed:**

  
(ASUW Chairperson)

“Being enacted on 10/7/99, I do hereby sign my name hereto  
and approve this Senate action.” Nathan Affmann  
ASUW President