Resolution in Support of the Proposed Undergraduate Health Leadership Certificate

WHEREAS, the Bachelor of Applied Science Program and the University of Wyoming – Casper has proposed the addition of an undergraduate Health Leadership Certificate, as outlined in the accompanying proposal documents; and

WHEREAS, the Faculty Senate's Academic Planning Committee (APC) has reviewed the proposal; and

WHEREAS, the APC is not opposed to the proposed Certificate, it raises the following concerns: General concerns about certificates:

- 1. Is there a university standard for certificates in general?
- 2. Are certificates in addition to an associate degree? Bachelor degree? Professional experience?
- 3. If professional experience is required, what is the application process? Concerns for this proposed Certificate:
 - 1. Is there a minimum education level (Associates degree, Bachelors degree) needed to enroll in the certificate program?
 - 2. Is there a minimum rank of employment and/or years of experience needed to enroll in the certificate program?
 - 3. Can students or professions be enrolled in more than one certificate program at the same time?
 - 4. Can classes within the certificate also count toward a UW degree and vice versa?

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Faculty Senate of the University of Wyoming that it supports the Proposed Undergraduate Health Leadership Certificate as outlined in the accompanying proposal documents.

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