SENATE RESOLUTION #2542

TITLE:

ASUW Support of the University of Wyoming Aception o

MORE Campaign

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March 21, 2017

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Vice President Wolfgang

SPONSORS:

Senators Drake, Ellingrod, Frahm, Julian, Strock and Wetzel;

Executive Ott; Freshman Senator Jones

1. WHEREAS, it is the duty of the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming

2. (ASUW) Student Government to represent the interests and concerns of students; and,

3. WHEREAS, the University of Wyoming (UW) is dedicated to providing its students,

4. faculty, staff, and visitors a living and learning environment that is safe and secure; and,

5. WHEREAS, UW has many prevention and response services in place to help provide the

6. highest levels of campus safety; and,

7. WHEREAS, there has been growing concern among UW students, faculty, and

8. staff with the number of sexual assault reports on campus during the 2016-2017 academic

9. year; and,

10. WHEREAS, according to the 2007 National Institute of Justice report, "About one in five

11. women and six percent of men are victims of a completed or attempted sexual assault while

12. in college"; and,

13. WHEREAS, the University of Wyoming Police Department (UWPD) Chief Samp has stated

14. that it is critical for all community members to "say something when you see something";

15. and,

16. WHEREAS, President Laurie Nichols charged Associate Vice President and Dean of

17. Students Sean Blackburn and Interim Title IX Coordinator Jim Osborn to form a team

18. comprised of UWPD, ASUW, Safe Project, and Stop Violence to expand sexual misconduct

- 19. prevention and response efforts; and,
- 20. WHEREAS, this team has already implemented a few efforts to improve prevention and
- 21. response efforts, such as a new REPORT IT website, more mandatory student and employee
- 22. education; and,
- 23. WHEREAS, the team and UW have agreed to adopt the NO MORE national campaign to
- 24. raise awareness and to show support for students, faculty, and staff who have been subjected
- 25. to sexual misconduct; and
- 26. WHEREAS, NO MORE is a national campaign launched in March 2013 to raise public
- 27. awareness and engagement around ending domestic violence and sexual assault as seen by
- 28. their mission statement in Addendum A
- 29. THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Associated Students of the University of Wyoming
- 30. Student Government supports the University of Wyoming's adoption of the NO MORE
- 31. campaign.

Referred to: Student Outreach and Policy
Date of Passage: 03/26/17 Signed: 14/11/ World
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"Being enacted on 04/03/2017, I do hereby sign my name hereto and
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approve this Senate action."
ASUW President

Addendum A

About NO MORE

NO MORE aims to raise public awareness and engagement around ending domestic violence and sexual assault. Launched in March 2013 by a coalition of leading advocacy groups, service providers, the U.S. Department of Justice, and major corporations, NO MORE is supported by hundreds of national and local groups and by thousands of individuals, organizations, universities, and communities who are using its signature blue symbol to increase visibility for domestic violence and sexual assault.