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Texas A&M University

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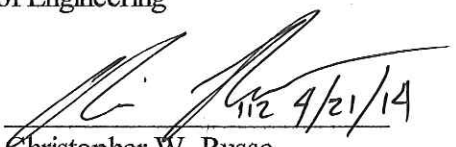
The Student Senate
66th Session
Texas A&M University

Introduced By: Senator Joseph A. Puente, Off-Campus
Senator Luis C. Flores, Northside

Sponsored By: Senator Rebecca Yung, Dwight Look College of Engineering

Action Taken **FAILED**

Certified By:


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Christopher W. Russo
Speaker of the Senate

The Latino/Chicano Studies Minor Advocacy Resolution

"A resolution to propose and support a Latino/Chicano Studies minor at Texas A&M University"

Whereas(1): The Texas A&M University Student Senate is the official voice of the student body of Texas A&M; and,

Whereas(2): The College of Liberal Arts offers Africana and Asian studies minors, and;

Whereas(3): A Hispanic Studies minor is offered, but does not meet the curriculum demanded by an increasing Hispanic student body; and,

Whereas(4): Texas Board of Education has neglected the history and culture of Latino and Chicano populations in its public school textbooks; and,

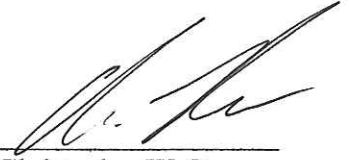


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Further Certified By:


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Whereas(5): Universities such as the University of Texas, University of Houston, University of Minnesota and University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign offer Latino/Chicano Studies programs; and,

Whereas(6): Various student organizations and members of the Texas A&M University faculty are engaged in an effort to create a new Latino/Chicano Studies Minor.

Therefore

Let it be

Resolved(1): That the Texas A&M University Student Senate support these various organizations and Texas A&M faculty in their endeavors to create a Latino/Chicano Studies Minor; and,

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Let it be

Resolved(2): That a copy of this resolution be sent to the following:

- Dr. Jose Luis Bermudez, Dean of the College of Liberal Arts
- Dr. Felipe Hinojosa, Assistant Professor in the Texas A&M History Department
- Alfredo Garcia, President of the Council for Minority Student Affairs
- Ariana Ramirez, President-elect of the Hispanic Presidents' Council
- Barbara Mora, Chair of the Memorial Student Center Committee for the Awareness of Mexican-American Culture
- Denise Quintanilla, President of the Mexican Student Association
- Jorge Salinas, President of the Phi Iota Alpha Fraternity