

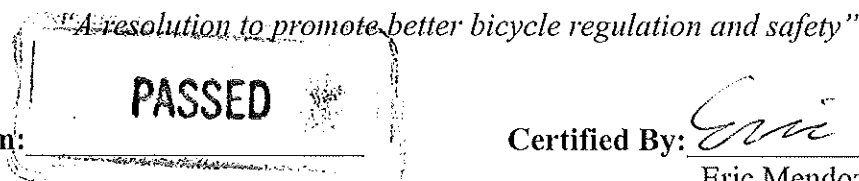
# The Student Senate

Texas A&M University

S.R. 72-10

Texas A&M University  
The Student Senate  
72nd Session

## The Safer Biking Resolution



Action Taken:

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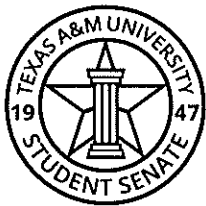
Eric Mendoza  
Speaker of the Senate

Date Passed: \_\_\_\_\_

Introduced By: Suyash Gupta, Executive Director of Operations

Sponsored By: Regan McGill, Student Services Chair  
John Ryan Rodriguez, Legislative Affairs Chair  
Clarissa Rodriguez, Diversity and Inclusion Chair  
Shaila Ramirez, College of Science  
Tate Banks, Academic Affairs Chair  
Edson Damian, College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences  
Garrison Kleman, College of Engineering  
Bridget Frank, College of Liberal Arts  
Patric Morgan, College of Education and Human Development  
Dang Dang, Off-Campus Caucus  
Hannah Hardison, Off-Campus Caucus  
Christian Noyola, Transition Academic Programs  
William Garcia, Off-Campus Caucus  
Jonathan Resendez, College of Engineering

Whereas(1): According to Transportation Services, as Texas A&M's preferred mode of alternative transportation, an estimated 9,000 to 13,000 cyclists commute to, from, and within campus throughout the week; and,



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**Whereas(2):** Multiple incidents have occurred in the first few weeks of school concerning accidents between cyclists, pedestrians, and motor vehicles; and,

**Whereas(3):** The general knowledge of how to ride a bike legally is not present on campus; and,

**Whereas (4):** As Texas's 4th largest downtown, traffic between pedestrians and vehicles should be a priority to ensure our students are safe and feel comfortable travelling to and from campus; and,

**Therefore**

**Let it be**

**Resolved(1):** The Student Senate encourages bikers to abide by all laws, remain in bike lanes, and reduce speed while travelling on campus; and,

**Let it be**

**Further**

**Resolved(2):** Safe bicycle practices include stopping at all stop signs, dismounting in appropriate areas, wearing helmets, and yielding to pedestrians; and,

**Let it be**

**Further**

**Resolved(3):** The Student Senate supports the efforts made by Transportation Services to educate students on bike safety; and,

**Let it be**

**Further**

**Resolved(4):** A copy of this resolution be sent to:

The Battalion

Peter Lange, Associate Vice President of Transportation Services

Ron Steedly, Alternative Transportation