

The Student Senate

Texas A&M University

S.R. 72-18

Texas A&M University
The Student Senate
72nd Session

Cottonseed Resolution

"A resolution to show appreciation for FDA Approval of edible cottonseed."

Action Taken:

PASSED

Certified By:

Eric Mendoza

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Speaker of the Senate

Date Passed: 10/16/19

Introduced By: Conner Neumann, College of Agriculture & Life Sciences Caucus

Sponsored By: John Ryan Rodriguez, Legislative Affairs Chair, C.O.A.L.S Caucus
Bubba Harris, Finance Chair, Off-Campus Caucus
Cody McQueen, Off-Campus Caucus
Evan Berger, Rules & Regulations Chair, C.O.A.L.S Caucus
Carly Oldag, On-Campus Caucus
Lyndi Luttrull, Off-Campus Caucus
Meghan Hein, Freshman Caucus

Whereas(1): October 16th, 2019 is World Food Day; and,

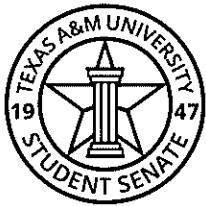
Whereas(2): The U.S. Food and Drug Administration has approved ultra-low gossypol cottonseed, ULGCS, to be utilized as human food and in animal feed, something Texas A&M AgriLife researchers have been working on for nearly 25 years.; and,

Whereas(3): This is only the fifth university-developed, genetically engineered crop in the last 25 years in the United States, and the first by a Texas university.

Therefore

Let it be

Resolved(1): The strides in the disciplines of Agriculture and Life Sciences do not go unnoticed at Texas A&M University; and,



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Further

Resolved(2): Texas A&M University has continually proven that it is a Leader in Agriculture for the State of Texas and the United States; and

Let it be

Further

Resolved(3): The Student Senate of Texas A&M University shows its appreciation for Texas A&M Agrilife, the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, and Dr. Keerti Rathore in their diligent efforts to better the lives of people around the globe; and,

Let it be

Further

Resolved(4): A copy of this resolution be sent to:
John Sharp, Chancellor of the Texas A&M University System
Dr. Patrick Stover, Dean of the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences
Dr. Keerti Rathore, Professor of Soil and Crop Sciences
Dr. Jeff Hyde, Director of the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service
The Texas Tribune
The Battalion