SGA Tentative Resolution 11-12-S

A Resolution to create improved signage in MTSU buildings

Whereas: MTSU is a rapidly growing, 515 acre campus including over 130 buildings, with

offices relocating and new spaces opening continuously;

Whereas: Locating offices and classrooms can be challenging without adequate directional

signage.

Whereas: Many new buildings, such as the College of Education as well as the Business and

Aerospace buildings, have directories in centralized locations, but many historic

buildings do not;

THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED BY THE 74TH CONGRESS OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY THAT:

Section 1: New and historic classroom buildings will place directories in centralized

locations, viewable in reasonable length from the entry.

Sponsored by: Senator Rachel Lee



Speaker of the Senate

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TO: Ms. Patti Miller, Assistant Vice President

Campus Planning

FROM: Deb Sells, Ed.D

Vice President for Student Affairs and

Vice Provost for Enrollment and Academic Services

RE: SGA Resolution 11-12-S

DATE: April 13, 2012

I am forwarding the attached legislation requesting that building directories be placed in centralized locations at new and historic classroom buildings. These directories should be placed within reasonable length from the building entry.

Resolutions passed by the Student Government Association are generally understood to be recommendations. Legislation resulting in these resolutions is brought before the SGA by any one or more members of the Senate, and is generally subject to debate within the senate. Senate meetings are open to the full student body, and thus debates are sometimes observed by and/or joined by students other than SGA senators.

Once a resolution has been passed by the Senate, I forward that resolution to the administrator or department most likely to benefit from reviewing the student recommendation. Resolutions are not binding upon administrators or departments, but are generally regarded as expressing the will of the Senate on the issue brought before them. I generally ask the administrator to whom I have forwarded the resolution for some timely response that helps SGA to understand the potential feasibility of the proposal. If, in your opinion, the resolution requests action which is not feasible, I ask for your help in explaining why it is not practical, affordable, or otherwise in the best interest of the university.

In the immediate instance, I believe it would be appropriate for you to review the SGA's recommendation and provide such a response to me within 30 days. Please contact Jeremy Poynter, SGA President, or Dr. Danny Kelley if you have any questions regarding this legislation.

Mr. Jeremy Poynter Mr. Shaun Luber c:

Ms. Erika Maclin

Mr. John Thomas

Dr. Danny Kelley