

NEVADA STUDENT ALLIANCE NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

A RESOLUTION CONDEMNING BIGOTRY AND HATRED ON ANY HIGHER EDUCATION CAMPUS IN NEVADA

WHEREAS, the Nevada Student Alliance is composed of the higher education institutions within the Nevada System of Higher Education, which are: University of Nevada, Reno, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada State College, College of Southern Nevada, Truckee Meadows Community College, Western Nevada College, Great Basin College, and the Desert Research Institution; AND

WHEREAS, the "Unite the Right" protest in Charlottesville, Virginia on August 12, 2017 resulted in one death; AND

WHEREAS, the protest symbolized violence, hatred, and bigotry; AND

WHEREAS; one male in attendance was linked to a school in Nevada; AND

WHEREAS; over 50% of students in NSHE identify as Non-White¹;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Nevada Student Alliance, on behalf of the undergraduate and graduate students enrolled in the Nevada System of Higher education:

- Denounces all acts of bigotry and violence in the United States; AND
- Urges all NSHE institutions to remain an open campus with support for all students who identify as a minority; AND
- Urges NSHE and the Board of Regents to continue to expand and grow our ethnicity and diversity numbers in regards to enrollment; AND
- Urges the organizations that make up the NSA will continue to fight for and protect its students from violations of basic human rights and uphold the laws of the United States.

Attest:



Kanani Espinoza, NSA Chair

Kimberly Tran, NSA Vice-Chair

Christopher Roys, NSA Secretary

¹ Nevada System of Higher Education, NSHE Fall Enrollment https://www.nevada.edu/ir/dashboard.php