
GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNCSA STUDENT ARTISTS ASSOCIATION

WADE ADMINISTRATION, 2009-2010

RESOLUTION 02

**A RESOLUTION TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT TO ENDORSE AND ENACT A POLITICAL DEBATE FOR PRESIDENTIAL
CANDIDATES RUNNING FOR STUDENT ARTISTS ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT**

Short Title: Presidential Debate Endorsement Act (Public)

Sponsored by: President WADE (corresponding)

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Referred to: _____ Student Artists Association GENERAL ASSEMBLY _____.

- 1 **Section 1.** The General Assembly of the University of North Carolina School of the Arts
2 Student Artists Association adopts the following Resolution:
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- 4 **WHEREAS,** the history of student government at the University of North Carolina School of
5 the Arts is unknown and its accountability has been near non-existent; and,
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- 7 **WHEREAS,** this has left the Student Artists Association in a state of rebuilding both
8 government operations and responsibility to the student body; and,
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- 10 **WHEREAS,** since the creation of the Student Artists Association, there has been constant effort
11 to regain this trust with the administration and the student body; and,
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- 13 **WHEREAS,** elections for the Student Artists Association have not been comparable to those of
14 its sister institutions in the University of North Carolina system; and,
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- 16 **WHEREAS,** providing a legitimate presidential debate between qualified candidates running
17 for office in the 2010 spring elections would assist in rebuilding the authenticity
18 of this University's student government; and,
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- 20 **WHEREAS,** this debate would be held before the election date to provide students with
21 information spoken from the respective candidates and assist in their selection of
22 who students believe the best candidate to be; and,
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- 24 **WHEREAS,** this debate would provide students with an example of the speaking ability and
25 thoughtfulness of the respective candidates as they will be a vocal representative
26 for them the following academic year; now, therefore, be it
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- 28 **RESOLVED,** the University of North Carolina School of the Arts Student Artists Association
29 endorses and enacts the implementation of a debate for qualified presidential
30 candidates for the spring 2010; and be it further
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32 **RESOLVED**, that this debate will allow all candidates to respond and provide a rebuttal to any
33 response by an opposing candidate to protect a specific viewpoint and/or to ensure
34 accuracy in the debate.

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36 **Section 2.** This Act shall be effective upon enrollment.