

Resolution of the Board of Trustees
in Support of Diversity, Inclusion and The Principles of Our Equitable Community

WHEREAS, during the course of the meeting of the Board of Trustees held on February 27 and 28, 2014, the Board considered and discussed extensively diversity, inclusion, campus climate and The Principles of Our Equitable Community;

WHEREAS, students, faculty, the President, the Provost, other members of the University administration and representatives of the Council for Equity and Community were invited to participate and participated in discussions with the Board of Trustees;

WHEREAS, integral to the educational mission and the intellectual and social vitality of the University is ensuring an inclusive community and a campus climate wholly consistent with The Principles of Our Equitable Community;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Trustees hereby supports and affirms the actions undertaken and to be undertaken by the President, the Provost, other members of the University Administration and the Council for Equity and Community to promote and secure mutual understanding, respect for individuality and differences, and unity in pursuit of the University's educational mission and to ensure that the University reflects The Principles of Our Equitable Community.

Approved this 7th day of March, 2014.