

**ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FIFTY-FOURTH SESSION**

BILL NO. 54-53

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SECONDED BY: RIFIOTIS

A RESOLUTION TO: Support the creation of a Mental Health Center at Michigan State University

THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACT:

WHEREAS, Mental health problems among college students are rising nationwide, and particularly at Michigan State, and;

WHEREAS, On-campus resources continue to be overwhelmed and under-resourced, and;

WHEREAS, MSU can have an indelible impact on the future of mental wellness and in mental health research, and;

WHEREAS, The proposed Mental Health Center (MHC) will be able to coordinate and involve CAPS, SAP, and other relevant MSU departments in order to provide resources for individuals battling mental illness - i.e. psychiatrists, psychologists, counselors, patient advocates, attorneys, social workers, and researchers; and;

WHEREAS, This proposal, if implemented, will fulfill MSU's mission as an academic institution to "advance knowledge and transform lives" by fostering strong mental health for students, faculty, and for our future, and;

WHEREAS, ASMSU is committed to enhancing the collective student experience as well as the university overall through mental wellness advancement, therefore; be it,

RESOLVED, ASMSU shall join the growing list of students, faculty, staff, and community members; registered student organizations such as the Nursing Student Association, American Medical Student Association, Mental Health Awareness Club, Spartan Support Network, Interfraternity Council, Panhellenic Council, Spartans for Mental Health, among others; in supporting and advocating for the creation of a Mental Health Center at Michigan State University, and therefore; be it further,

RESOLVED, The proposed MHC will offer much needed support and resources to the members of our community most in need, and ASMSU will commit to exploring avenues to financially support the construction of the MHC, if needed, throughout the coming sessions.

INTRODUCED ON Mar.29.2018

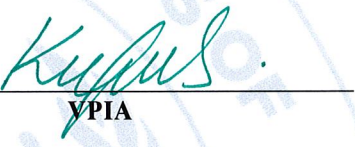
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