

**ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
GENERAL ASSEMBLY
SIXTY-FIRST SESSION**



BILL NO. 61-59

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(Education)**

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A BILL TO: Advocate for April to be Officially Recognized as MSU Pride Month

THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACT:

WHEREAS, Pride Month is nationally recognized as the month of June; and,

WHEREAS, The Gender and Sexuality Campus Center (GSCC) exists to “celebrate, affirm, and empower LGBTQIA2S+ members of the Michigan State University community”¹; and,

WHEREAS, The Gender and Sexuality Campus Center currently celebrates Pride during the month of April² to ensure that LGBTQIA+ and allied students are able to celebrate their diverse identities within their campus communities and support systems; and,

WHEREAS, MSU not recognizing Pride Month at the same time as the GSCC, which is a vital resource for LGBTQIA+ students, causes a lack of support for this initiative; and,

WHEREAS, The celebration of Pride on MSU’s campus would be enhanced and widespread if MSU were to recognize Pride Month at an institutional level during a time when students are on campus and when programming is occurring; therefore be it,

RESOLVED, That the Associated Students of Michigan State University shall offer support for Pride Month events during April by working with other student groups on campus, including the GSCC, and work with relevant administrators to ensure their tangible support as well; therefore be it further,

¹ <https://gscclmsu.edu/>

² [Signature Programs | The Gender and Sexuality Campus Center | Michigan State University](#)

RESOLVED, That the Associated Students of Michigan State University shall also release a statement recognizing the month of April as the official Pride Month at ASMSU, and urge MSU administration, especially President Guskiewicz, to officially recognize April as the official Pride Month at Michigan State University as well.

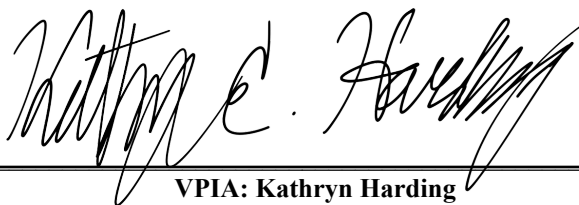
INTRODUCED ON 01.30.2025

REFERRED TO Academic COMMITTEE ON 01.23.2025

SPECIAL ACTION TAKEN _____ DATE _____

COMMITTEE ACTION	<u>X</u>		<u>Voice Majority</u>	<u>01.23.2025</u>
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FINAL ACTION TAKEN	<u>X</u>		<u>Voice Majority</u>	<u>01.30.2025</u>
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PRESIDENT: Connor Le

VPIA: Kathryn Harding