UTHSCSA SGA PROPOSED RESOLUTION # FY-14
A RESOLUTION ENTITLED: Accommodations for Student Families Usage of Intramural Sports Facilities.

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WHEREAS, The Student Government Association is vested with authority to address student concerns to University leadership by resolution; and

WHEREAS, the missions of UTHSCSA illustrates an importance of research to understand health and disease, promote community health, and educate a diverse student body; and

WHEREAS, the age demographics of UTHSCSA students coincides with peak fertility age (20-31 yoa) and increased parental age positively correlates with increased risk of offspring inheritance of autism, schizophrenia (paternal effect), Down syndrome (maternal effect), and other developmental diseases which will challenge future healthcare resources; and

WHEREAS, many UTHSCSA students and trainees have children during undergraduate, graduate, residency, and fellowship training years; and

WHEREAS, the UTHSCSA should be inclusive of all types of diversity, including the parent non-traditional portion of our student body; and

WHEREAS, use of the intramural track specifically excludes stroller use, although many of our students, residents, and fellows with children have children of ages that necessitate stroller use; and

WHEREAS, non-student spouses are allowed to participate in intramural sports, students and their spouses with children ought to be allowed and encouraged to use the intramural track with their strollers; and

WHEREAS, the sandy tire-swing and wooden play area near the sand volleyball courts are old, antiquated, small, and boring; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the SGA endorses action to removal the restrictions on stroller usage for the track portion of the intramural fields; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the SGA endorses action to replace the sandy tire-swing and wooden play area with an expanded playground area for student parents to enjoy with their children while associated with UTHSCSA.
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution is to be forwarded to the office of the president of UTHSCSA.

I hereby certify that this resolution, entitled Accommodations for Student Families Usage of Intramural Sports Facilities.

Resolution Title

was heard by the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio Student Government Association on September 19, 2013. It has been PASSED/FAILED by a vote of 16 in favor, 1 against, and 1 abstaining.

[Signature]

Date: October 7, 2013

President’s Signature