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UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA, LAS VEGAS
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SENATE RESOLUTION 56-02

AN ACT IN SUPPORT OF A
STUDENT UNION MULTICULTURAL CENTER

Resolution Number: SR 56-02

Authors of Legislation: Jose Ibarra Lira, College of Liberal Arts Senator, Kelechi Odunze, Student Body President.

Sponsor of Legislation: University Initiatives Committee, CSUN Senate

WHEREAS, the Consolidated Students of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (CSUN) represents all 27,000+ undergraduate students enrolled at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas; **AND**

WHEREAS, the Senate of the Consolidated Students of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas, under the authority of CSUN Constitution VI.D.01, is “empowered to enact any legislation that falls under the jurisdiction of CSUN”; **AND**

WHEREAS, CSUN must actively advocate and represent the needs of all undergraduate students; **AND**

WHEREAS, the University of Nevada, Las Vegas is recognized nationally as one of the most diverse universities in the United States, with students from a wide range of racial, ethnic, and cultural backgrounds, **AND**

WHEREAS, according to institutional enrollment data, minority students represent approximately 71% of UNLV's student population during the Fall 2025 Semester, **AND**

WHEREAS, students from historically underrepresented communities may benefit from intentional spaces that foster belonging and community, **AND**

WHEREAS, a centralized Multicultural Center within the Student Union would effectively provide students with a visible and accessible space where they feel seen, heard, welcomed and support, **AND**

WHEREAS, various other institutions across the nation have established multicultural centers to support student engagement, cultural education, leadership development, and retention initiatives, and the creation of a Multicultural Center aligns with UNLV's institutional commitments to diversity, equity, inclusion, and community engagement **AND**

WHEREAS, the establishment of a Multicultural Center would provide additional opportunities for registered student organizations, cultural programming, educational initiatives, and further drive student belonging and community on campus, **AND**

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Consolidated Students of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas (CSUN) supports the establishment of a Multicultural Center within the Student Union,**AND**

LET IT FURTHER BE RESOLVED, that CSUN Student Government encourages University administration and Student Union leadership to collaborate with students, cultural organizations, and campus partners in the development and implementation of a Multicultural Center, **AND**

LET IT FURTHER BE RESOLVED, that CSUN Student Government supports the prioritization of accessible community spaces that promote cultural awareness, student belonging, inclusion, and engagement, **AND**

LET IT FURTHER BE RESOLVED, that CSUN Student Government encourages the incorporation of student artwork, cultural representation, and student input throughout the design and implementation process of the Multicultural Center, **AND**

LET IT FURTHER BE RESOLVED, that CSUN Student Government recognizes this proposal as a meaningful step toward strengthening support systems and campus resources for historically underrepresented student populations, **AND**

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that this resolution be communicated to the Vice President for Student Affairs, the Associate Vice President of Student Life, Student Union Administration, the Office of Student Connection and Engagement, and relevant campus partners, and be posted on CSUN's online social media platforms and communicated to students via newsletters for public awareness.

SR 56-02, ADOPTED by the Senate on this ____ Day of ____, 20__

Sharon Flores, Senate President

Liana Wieand, Senate Secretary

SR 56-02, APPROVED on this __ Day of __, 20__ by

Kelechi Odunze, Student Body President