

Student Government Association  
Seaver College  
Advocacy/ Policy

(Your Title Here)  
Resolution # \_\_\_\_\_

1. Whereas, (state current problem) and,
2. Whereas, (what needs to be changed to fix the problem) and,
3. Whereas, (reason why you want action to be taken)and,
4. Whereas, (research showing that people on campus want this change. Research including
5. surveys, testimonials, etc. should accompany the finished resolution) and,
6. Whereas, (explain how problem can be fixed), therefore,
7. Be it hereby resolved that (the specific remedy you want to be taken) and,
8. Be it further resolved that (the specific action you want SGA to take to achieve the remedy).

Author: (Your name here)

Seconded by: (A voting member of SGA)

Pass-Fail

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*End Notes*

**What can a resolution be on?**

A resolution can cover many topics, for example: Residential concerns; Academic offerings; Administrative issues (i.e. tuition, registrar dates, Sodexo, bookstore issues); Relation of student feelings (i.e. faculty retirements, championships, bereavement).

**How much research should I do?**

Know your resolution well. Really research the remedy you want to be taken. Go on-line, come into the SGA office and ask for people that could be helpful to call.

**What do I do after my resolution passes?**

Work with any applicable chair, senator and/or president to make your resolution a reality. Also submit a progress report to SGA notifying the group of where the resolution stands.

**Important notes**

A voting member (Class President, Class Senator or Executive Board member) must second the resolution. Also, make sure that each line in the resolution is numbered.