A RESOLUTION OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY, HIGHLAND HEIGHTS, KENTUCKY, TO SUPPORT THE CREATION OF A RIDE SHARE BOARD TO INCREASE USEFUL RESOURCES AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS ON CAMPUS AND DECREASE THE UNIVERSITY'S CARBON FOOTPRINT ON THE ENVIROMENT

- WHEREAS: According to the 2008 NKU Climate Action Plan, 84% of NKU students commute to campus on a daily basis, and
- WHEREAS: 42% of NKU's carbon footprint (approximately 67,525 metric tons of CO₂ equivalent) was attributed to student commuting activities, and
- WHEREAS: A ride share board would provide an opportunity for students to save money and help preserve the environment, and
- WHEREAS: A ride share board could ease parking/ traffic congestion on and around campus created by the upcoming connector road construction in 2011, and
- WHEREAS: In accordance with President Votruba's and SGA 2010-2011 yearly goals (stated at the August 31 SGA meeting minutes) to pursue the NKU "Go Green" initiative, and
- WHEREAS: NKU is a signatory to the American College and University Presidents Climate Commitment (ACUPCC), and
- WHEREAS: Signatories to the ACUPCC commit to working towards climate neutrality by a predetermined date,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, on this 15th day of November, that the Student Government Association supports the creation of a ride share board to aid commuting students and improve the environment.

Signed:

Kevin Golden, President

Attest:

Jamie Hazenfield H., Legislative Liaison

Erik Pederson, Senator

Michael Curtis, Senator

John Jose, Senator