A RESOLUTION OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF NORTHERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY, HIGHLAND HEIGHTS, KY REQUESTING THE FURTHER EXPLORATION INTO AN EXTENSION OF THE NIGHT HOURS OF OPERATION FOR THE STEELY LIBRARY.

WHEREAS: The Student Body has expressed to the Student Government Association [SGA] a need to have Steely Library [the Library] hours of operation expanded in the evening, and

WHEREAS: Being that a majority of NKU students hold at least part-time, if not full-time jobs outside of their studies, offering students extended night hours will give those who work more opportunity to take advantage of the services provided by the Library, and

WHEREAS: SGA requested in SGA Resolution 2010-2011.008 the extension of morning hours by thirty minutes to accommodate and alleviate students concerns regarding the hours of operation in the morning, and

WHEREAS: The resolution passed and was implemented the following semester thanks to negotiations between SGA and The Associate Provost of the Library, Dr. Arne Almquist, and

WHEREAS: SGA feels that closing the Library two hours later every night, would allow students more opportunity to complete his/her assignments and excel by utilizing the benefits of the Library, and

WHEREAS: Many libraries at universities and colleges of similar enrollment as NKU currently offer at least some 24-hour service cycles,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED ON THIS 16th DAY OF APRIL 2012, THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION REQUESTS NKU ADMINISTRATION AND LIBRARY PERSONNEL WORK IN CONJUNCTION TO EXAMINE THE EXTENSION OF STEELY LIBRARY NIGHT HOURS TO BETTER SERVE NKU STUDENT NEEDS.

Signed: 

Dustin Robinson, President

Attest: 

Brad Rogers, Senator

Mikey Adkins, Student Rights Committee Chair