Milwaukee Police Department Resolution of Solidarity

WHEREAS, the Milwaukee Police Department and the people of Wisconsin are in mourning for the third time in less than seven months, after Officer Matthew Rittner was shot and killed on February 6th, 2019.

WHEREAS, Officer Matthew Rittner was a member of the Milwaukee Police Department for 17 years and served 8 years in the United States Marine Corps.

WHEREAS, Officer Matthew Rittner leaves behind an honorable legacy of service to our country and the communities of Wisconsin.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED; the Student Association sends our thoughts and sincere sympathy to the family and friends of Officer Matthew Rittner.

THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Student Association reaffirms our support to the brave individuals serving at the Milwaukee Police Department.

THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED; we pay tribute to the quiet courage of Officer Matthew Rittner and all of the officers of the Milwaukee Police Department who come to work each day without notice, without heralding, without publicity, who get up and put their uniform on, pin their badge on and come into work and face the threat of immediate death and violence.

THEREFORE, BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED; this resolution will be forwarded to the Milwaukee Police Department, and the family of Officer Matthew Rittner.

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Student Association President

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Legislative History
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