Whereas, the UWM Student Association (SA) and University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (UWM) are multicultural institutions that are committed to diversity and inclusion,

Whereas, the Muslim Student Association (MSA) at UWM is a registered student organization that is partially funded by SA,

Whereas, MSA has partnered with Student Involvement, Sociocultural Programming, Student Affairs, Global Inclusion and Engagement, and others to host a Distinguished Lecture Series (DLS) with NBA legend and African American Muslim Kareem Abdul-Jabbar, on March 2nd, 2017 at 7pm at the Milwaukee Theatre,

Whereas, Mr. Abdul-Jabbar will be speaking about his personal journey and experiences, both as a Muslim icon and a social activist in America, who has achieved great professional success against many odds,

Whereas, the learning outcome of this event is to provide insight into the identities of Muslim Americans and a more profound knowledge of Muslims beyond that of the general public opinion,

Whereas, tickets will be available starting February 15, 2017, this event is free for UWM Students and open to the general public, and it is anticipated that there will be significant interest from the public,

Therefore be it resolved, the Student Association is committed to supporting the MSA/DLS event on March 2nd by publicizing it to the UWM student body and providing volunteers at the event,

Therefore be it further resolved, that UWMSA’s support of this event will continue to affirm the organization’s commitment to diversity, inclusion, and understanding of others,

Therefore be it finally resolved, that this resolution be forwarded to the Muslim Student Association, Student Involvement, Student Association Professional Staff, Outreach and Recruitment Director Brandi Hernandez, and Marketing and Programming Director Cassidy Hepp.
Legislative History

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Mike Sportiello
Student Association President

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