STATEWIDE FACULTY RESOLUTIONS ON CONCEALED HANDGUNS ON CAMPUS

For the Faculty Council’s information, Professor William Beckner (mathematics and Faculty Council chair) provided the following resolutions regarding handguns. Faculty members statewide endorsed these resolutions in response to a proposed Senate bill that would permit concealed weapons on campuses.

Resolution Regarding Hand Guns:

WHEREAS, allowing concealed firearms on university campuses threatens our ability to create and maintain a safe, open learning environment for students, faculty and staff,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the members of the University of Texas System Faculty Advisory Council oppose any legislation or initiatives that will overturn the present prohibitions on carrying concealed weapons on university campuses.

HAND GUN RESOLUTION PASSED THE TEXAS COUNCIL OF FACULTY SENATES ON MARCH 7, 2009

WHEREAS, allowing concealed firearms on university campuses threatens our ability to create and maintain a safe, open learning environment for students, faculty and staff,

Be it resolved that the members of Texas Council of Faculty Senates oppose any legislation or initiatives that will overturn the present prohibitions on carrying concealed weapons on university campuses.

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