

Resolution R-28-16
The University of Alabama
21st Student Senate 2016-2017

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**A RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE BLACK WARRIOR RIVERWALK
CLEANUP**

WHEREAS, the Student Government Association is committed to environmental preservation and stewardship; and,

WHEREAS, the Black Warrior River is a vital environmental resource to the West Alabama Region and to the city of Tuscaloosa; and,

WHEREAS, the Student Government Association Division of Environmental Affairs, the Environmental Law Society, Serving Bama, the Alabama Environmental Council, UA Outdoor Adventure, the Alabama Kayak Club, the Environmental Transportation Initiative, the Air and Waste Management Association, and the Greener Tide Project came together to organize the Black Warrior Riverwalk Cleanup, which took place on September 28th, 2016; and,

WHEREAS, the Black Warrior Riverwalk Cleanup was an astounding success, with over 100 students working together to remove over 800 pounds of garbage from the Black Warrior Riverwalk.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the 21st Senate of the University of Alabama Student Government Association congratulates the Division of Environmental Affairs, the Environmental Law Society, Serving Bama, the Alabama Environmental Council, UA Outdoor Adventure, the Alabama Kayak Club, the Environmental Transportation Initiative, the Air and Waste Management Association, the Greener Tide Project, and all those who volunteered for their exceptional work, and for their efforts to protect our beloved Black Warrior River;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, the Senate of the Student Government Association commends Cameron Smock, Director of Environmental Affairs; Lee Quinn, Director of Sustainability Advancement and President of the Environmental Law Society; and Ryan Anderson, Director of RecycleBama for their initiative and leadership in conceiving, planning, and executing the Black Warrior Riverwalk Cleanup;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, the Senate of the Student Government Association renews its unwavering commitment to environmental preservation and stewardship, and encourages the Student Government Association Division of Environmental Affairs and all student organizations to continue creating opportunities for the student body to actively participate in the preservation of our natural resources;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, copies of this resolution be sent to the following: Lillian Roth, President; Dalton Beasley, Vice President of Student Affairs; Braden Morell, Vice President of External Affairs; Cameron Smock, Director of Environmental Affairs; Lee Quinn, Director of Sustainability Advancement; Ryan Anderson, Director of RecycleBama; the Environmental Law Society; Serving Bama; the Alabama Environmental Council; UA Outdoor Adventure; the Alabama Kayak Club; the Environmental Transportation Initiative; the Air and Waste Management Association; the Greener Tide Project; The Crimson White Media Group; and any other copies deemed necessary.