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The University of Alabama
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A RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING THAT THE UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA ALLOW A UNIFORMED SERVICE MEMBER ON FIELD FOR ALL HOME FOOTBALL GAMES IN HONOR OF THE CRIMSON TIDE BATTALION AND THE UNIVERSITY’S MILITARY HISTORY

Be it enacted by the Senate of the Student Government Association assembled.

WHEREAS, The University of Alabama’s Crimson Tide Battalion has been on campus for 160 years; and,

WHEREAS, The University of Alabama has a history of being a traditional Military Academy; and; and,

WHEREAS, The University of Alabama has a large Alumni network of former and current military service members; and,
WHEREAS, The Crimson Tide Battalion has produced 42 General Officers, 6 State Governors, thousands of Military Officers, hundreds of company CEOs, and one Medal of Honor Recipient.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, The Student Government Association recommends that The University of Alabama and the Crimson Tide football team allow a uniformed service member on the field for the duration of all home football games to honor the heritage and long-standing traditions of The Crimson Tide Battalion.

*Be it further resolved,* that this resolution be enacted by December 2019.

*Be it further resolved,* that the uniformed members representing the Crimson Tide Battalion be in full issued uniform.

*Be it further resolved,* that the standing service members may be Alumni, Active Duty, Reservists, National Guard, or guests to the University of Alabama’s Crimson Tide Battalion.

*Be it further resolved,* that copies of this resolution be sent to: Dr. Stuart R. Bell, President of the University of Alabama; Dr. Kathleen Cramer, Vice-President for Student Life; Savannah Bullard, Editor-In-Chief of *The Crimson White*; Harrison Adams, President of Student Government Association