

## Resolution R-10-22 The University of Alabama 26th Senate 2021-2022

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## A RESOLUTION ENCOURAGING UA DINING FACILITIES TO RETURN TO PRE-COVID HOURS OF OPERATIONS FOR THE 2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR

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

*WHEREAS*, prior to the COVID-19 pandemic, Lakeside Dining and other on-campus dining facilities offered a variety of late night dining options including and up to as late as 1:00am, and;

*WHEREAS*, during the COVID-19 pandemic, UA Dining Services were forced to modify their hours of operation in an effort to effectively reduce the spread, and;

*WHEREAS*, however, in recent months, numerous scientific breakthroughs have led to the emergence of several vaccines that have been used to effectively mitigate the spread of COVID-19 and its most damaging effects, and;

*WHEREAS*, there has been significant interest voiced by the student body to return UA Dining to its pre-COVID hours of operations in an effort to expand the availability and accessibility of budget friendly late-night dining options, and;

*WHEREAS*, the University of Alabama Student Government Association commends UA Dining and its partners for its upcoming late night dining event, which will be held on February 17, 2022, as a potential precursor for the full return of UA Dining's pre-COVID late night dining hours of operations.

**THEREFORE**, *be it resolved*, that The University of Alabama Student Government Association commend UA Dining and Aramark Inc. for their recent efforts to facilitate the return of late night dining options within on-campus dining facilities and encourage the full-return of said hours during the upcoming 2022-2023 academic year, if not possible earlier

**Be it further resolved**, that copies of this Resolution be sent to: Dr. Stuart R. Bell, President of the University of Alabama; Dr. James Dalton, Executive Vice President and Provost; Dr. Myron Pope, Vice-President for Student Life; The University of Alabama Student Government Advisor; Angel Narvarez Lugo; Kristina Patridge, Director, University Dining Service; Cory Hardesty, Residential Food Service Director, Lakeside Dining Keely Brewer, Editor-in-Chief of *The Crimson White*; and others as may be deemed necessary at a later date.