

GSA Bill #27 A bill supporting the event "A Night of Listening"

1 **WHEREAS**, Dr. Max Mueller, of the Department of Classics and Religious Studies, and 2 the Center for Civic Engagement have organized the event "A Night of Listening" for students and 3 members of the University community to come together and voice their fears, concerns, and 4 thoughts on future policy and actions to Nebraska representatives; and,

5 **WHEREAS,** "A Night of Listening" will include invited members from city governments, 6 the Nebraska Legislature, and other State and Federal officials for the State of Nebraska; and,

WHEREAS, the focus of the event is non-partisan participations from students, faculty
and staff to actively engage in the political process in a safe, moderated space, allowing fruitful
discussion from all tenets of the political spectrum; and,

WHEREAS, the Graduate Student Assembly (GSA) is committed to social engagement,
 promoting participation by students from throughout the University community and ensuring that
 GSA programming is available and pertinent to the diverse graduate student community.

**THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED,** that the GSA supports the political engagement of
 the University community by endorsing "A Night of Listening" on February 21, 2017.

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Referred to	Assembly	DATE	02/02/2017
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Presidential Signature	(s) President Correas	DATE	02/08/2017