First Reading: November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017 Second Reading: November 28<sup>th</sup>, 2017

Pass: Fail: Other:

Bill 34-17-F. Funding for the Posters for "Make Your Voice Heard."

PURPOSE: For the Student Government Association of Western Kentucky University to allocate \$30 to fund the printing of posters for the "Make Your Voice Heard" compilation series. This will be a compilation of sexual assault survivors' stories that will be posted on the SGA website, along with a link to resources.

WHEREAS: Sexual assault is a prominent problem on many college campuses, including WKU. In order to help raise awareness for this issue and provide an avenue for WKU students to safely and anonymously disclose their own experiences as survivors of sexual assault, SGA will offer a place to share their stories and make their voices heard, and

WHEREAS: The Washington Post has completed a similar project that has been helpful to many survivors and has shown the multitude of events that can be referred to, and

WHEREAS: This event is open to survivors of all genders, and all experiences and voices are welcome, and

WHEREAS: The submissions will be recorded using an anonymous Google Form that SGA will then compile on one document and put on the SGA website with a separate link. There will be a trigger warning before, as well as links to WKU and Bowling Green resources like local counseling centers and the link to report incidents, and

THEREFORE: Be it resolved that the Student Government Association of Western Kentucky University will allocate \$30 to fund the "Make Your Voice Heard" series.

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