A Resolution Supporting the UMD Campus Pantry as the Beneficiary of the 2016 Dining Dollar Donation Drive

WHEREAS the Residence Hall Association (RHA) is the representative body for all on-campus students at the University of Maryland (UMD), and

WHEREAS the RHA maintains a strong commitment to philanthropy and supporting on-campus resources for students, and

WHEREAS RHA collaborates with Dining Services to hold a donation drive each semester, and

WHEREAS with the shift to Anytime Dining, Dining Services has agreed to implement a modification of the formerly-known Meal Point Donation Drive by allowing students to donate Dining Dollars in lieu of meal points, and

WHEREAS the Dining Dollar Donation Drive will permit individuals with Dining Dollars to donate a maximum of one Dining Dollar on the date of November 17, 2016, and

WHEREAS volunteers will be stationed in the North Campus Dining Hall, the South Campus Dining Hall, and 251 North between the hours of 10:00AM to 7:00PM, and

WHEREAS past donation drives have benefitted organizations such as Food Recovery Network (2013), Hungry Harvest (2014), Capital Area Food Bank (2015), and So Others May Eat (2016), and

WHEREAS the mission of the University of Maryland Campus Pantry is to alleviate food hardship among UMD students, faculty, and staff, and

WHEREAS RHA Resolution ML001 2007 requires that the RHA Senate approve donation drive beneficiaries,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the RHA dedicate its Fall 2016 Dining Dollar Donation Drive to raise money for the UMD Campus Pantry.

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