

TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER

Senate Resolution 20.01

(Stating the sentiments of the Student Senate supporting the Midland/Odessa community after the August 31 mass shooting)

WHEREAS, the TTUHSC Student Government Association (SGA) is the recognized governing body for students at the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center (TTUHSC), a multi-campus institution that aims to educate healthcare professionals to serve the greater community,

WHEREAS, our emphasis on "One Team" as a core tenet of our Values-Based Culture, recognizes that we must collaborate through open communication and empower another through difficult times,

WHEREAS, the recent mass shooting in the Midland/Odessa area affects the mental, physical, and emotional health of the entire community, including the TTUHSC students currently studying in the West Texas Permian Basin,

WHEREAS, the SGA supports the Program of Assistance for Students in guiding students through distressing events and the Stop the Bleed course in educating students on responding to trauma,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Student Senate of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center stands with the Midland/Odessa community, is committed to the protection of students, faculty, staff, and the community, and endorses programs that support these efforts,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution be spread upon the Journal and that copies be sent to **Tedd Mitchell, MD**, Texas Tech University System Chancellor; **Richard Lange, MD, MBA**, TTUHSC- El Paso President; **McKenzie Morris**, Editor of *The Daily Toreador*, and to the students of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center.

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