

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT ASHEVILLE
FACULTY SENATE

Sense of the Senate Resolution Number 0216F
Date of Senate Approval 12/08/2016

Statement of Faculty Senate Action:

Executive Committee (EC) Resolution 1:

Sense of the Senate Resolution

Whereas the Faculty of UNC Asheville recognizes the integrity of our election process and upholds its results as legitimate and while we genuinely congratulate our new officials, we are deeply concerned about incidents of harassment against members of our campus community and against members of our broader community following the 2016 Election. We specifically recognize that members of our UNC Asheville family are experiencing emotions at opposing ends along the spectra between security and fear, between elation and despair, and between confidence and uncertainty.

Therefore let it be known

That the Faculty of UNC Asheville, in alignment with UNC Asheville's mission and vision, fervently reaffirm our commitment to our students, to our colleagues (faculty and staff), to our alumni, and to our broader family in vigorously providing and assuring a safe, welcoming, and inclusive community of learning that promotes open, honest, and respectful exchange of ideas unmistakably and unequivocally free from harassment and threats.