

RESOLUTION 2015-07

A Resolution in Support of the University of Alabama at Birmingham Athletics Program

WHEREAS, the economic impact of the University of Alabama at Birmingham benefits the City of Birmingham and the surrounding municipalities; and,


WHEREAS, several citizens of the City of Demopolis have played or been involved with the football program at the University of Alabama at Birmingham such as Leroy Harris, Sentell Winston, Brian Taylor, and Greg Irvin; and,

WHEREAS, the elected officials of the City of Demopolis believe in the values and community which athletics, the marching band, spirit and cheering squads provide to the college environment and experience.

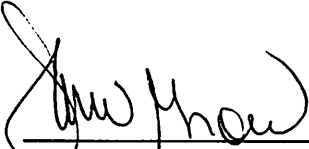
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Demopolis, Alabama urges the University Of Alabama System Board Of Trustees and the University of Alabama at Birmingham President to reestablish the University of Alabama at Birmingham Football, Bowling and Rifle Programs.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Demopolis, Alabama urges the University of Alabama at Birmingham alumni and current students as well as the local business community to take responsibility for supporting the sports programs through attendance and donations of time and/or financial resources to ensure the uninterrupted continuation of such extracurricular activities.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this the 19th day of February, 2015.


Mike Grayson, Mayor

ATTEST:


Sam Gross, City Clerk