

## RESOLUTION

Concerning support for the fossil fuel divestment petition currently in the hands of the  
Socially Responsible Investment Committee

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Whereas, the Syracuse University Board of Trustees adopted a Socially Responsible Investment Policy in November 2013, in which it reiterated its commitment to investments that are both profitable and demonstrate good corporate citizenship; and

Whereas, the policy specifies that when members of the University community have concerns about the endowment, a committee will be formed to review the concerns;

Whereas, the SU Student Association has passed a resolution to support divestment of the University's endowment from holdings in the top 200 fossil fuel companies in April 2013, and submitted to the Chancellor and other officers a formal request that the University divest from fossil fuels per the Socially Responsible Investment Policy procedure; therefore be it

Resolved, it is the sense of the University Senate that it supports the fossil fuel divestment petition currently in the hands of the Socially Responsible Investment Committee.