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Resolution in Support of Renovating Garage Five and the Surrounding Hot Spot Area

Whereas, I reached out to the Associate Vice Chancellor of Facilities/Construction on December 2, 2019 and was informed that there would be “significant build out of the path/sidewalks that connect the garage to the campus...”;

Whereas, I was also informed by them that “this part of the project is scheduled to be completed before the spring semester.”;

Whereas, since that email exchange those renovations have not occurred;

Whereas, on the *Stay Cougar S.A.F.E* website some of their helpful tips for staying safe on campus is to “walk on well-lit paths” and “take the most-traveled route to and from classes”;

Whereas, following these guidelines may be difficult for garage five users when there aren’t any well-lit paths our routes around the area;

Whereas, in October of 2019 a woman was struck by a vehicle while directing traffic around the garage five area;

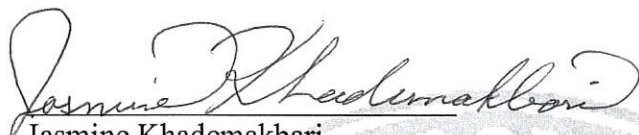
Whereas, individuals that utilize garage five do not feel safe and have viable routes to take to reach their destination.

Therefore, be it Resolved that the Student Government Association of the University of Houston:

Supports the addition of pedestrian walkways with ADA curb ramps, clear crosswalks and increased lighting around the garage five hotspot area in order to ensure the safety of students, faculty, staff and all university visitors.

Be It Further Resolved, that the Student Government Association of the University of Houston requests that trashcans and recycling bins be added to each floor of Garage Five and that the waste thrown into them are properly and regularly disposed.

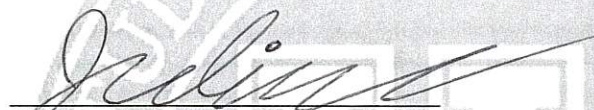
Be It Further Resolved, that the Student Government Association of the University of Houston requests that all individuals that utilize Garage Five have 24-hour elevator access.



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APPROVED



Julian Cheng
Speaker of the Senate

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