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3 **A Resolution to Support the Allocation of \$500 to the Health Experiences and Expressions**
4 **Speak-out**

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6 *A bill for the consideration of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Student*
7 *Government*

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9 20 February 2018

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11 Sponsors: Anne Goettemoeller, Gurliv Chahal, Sai Pamidighantam, Vedhika Raghunathan

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13 **Whereas**, the mission of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Student Government
14 (hereafter LSA SG) is to “actively seek the voices of LSA students and advocate their interests to
15 improve academic and non-academic life”;¹ and,

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17 **Whereas**, the Health Subcommittee at the University of Michigan is coordinating the first annual
18 Health Experiences and Expressions Speak-out (hereafter the Speak-out) on March 28th, 2018
19 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm.

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21 **Whereas**, the purpose of the Speak-out is to host an event where students have the opportunity to
22 share a story, poem, song, dance, or other piece about their history with health in order to
23 encourage dialogue about health, reduce health experience related stigmas, and create a climate
24 on campus supportive of issues across the spectrum of health; and,

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26 **Whereas**, LSA SG has sponsored/hosted similar health events in the past designed to combat
27 student health issues, most notably the Mental Health Monologues in Winter 2017; and,

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29 **Whereas**, the event will be free, open to the public, and LSA SG will help facilitate
30 conversations between us, constituents, and underrepresented groups.

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32 **Be it further resolved**, LSA SG shall contribute \$500 from the General fund for this event which
33 will be spent on marketing, supplies, and amenities for the event; and,

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35 **Be it finally resolved**, if for some reason this event fails to occur LSA SG shall retain the \$500
36 and it will carry over into the Fall 2018 budget.

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¹ The Constitution of the College of Literature, Science, and the Arts Student Government. Article II