RESOLUTION

1. The Faculty Senate of Western Kentucky University herewith commends and congratulates Joe Rains, the Student Government Association, and the students of WKU for their enthusiastic participation in the rally protesting further budget cuts in higher education in Frankfort on October 14. The Faculty Senate recognizes and appreciates the participants’ concern for the future of Western Kentucky University.

2. The Faculty Senate of Western Kentucky University implores the Governor and the legislature to forego ANY additional cuts in funding for higher education in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, and, furthermore, we implore the Governor and the legislature to restore, as soon as fiscally possible, those funds previously cut from the higher education budgets.

3. The Faculty Senate of Western Kentucky University commends Dr. Thomas Meredith, his administration, and the Budget Committee for their actions in attempting to protect the budget for academics in the face of the serious budget reductions we have experienced over the past year. We encourage the full preservation of academic support in future budgetary decisions.

Passed: (1) 11/12/92 (one reading)
(2) 11/12/92 (one reading)
(3) 12/10/92 (second reading)

Action: (1) letter from Faculty Senate Chair Kuhlenschmidt to Joe Rains dated
(2) letter from Faculty Senate Chair Kuhlenschmidt to Governor Jones dated ; response received from Governor Jones dated 12/10/92.
(3) letter from Faculty Senate Chair Kuhlenschmidt to President Meredith dated 1/29/93.