**Sense of the Senate Resolution**

**Regarding the Postponement of Athletic Events for Fall 2020**

**The Executive Committee**

**First Reading**

**September 14, 2020**

**Whereas** the pandemic of COVID-19 continues, unabated in many regions, and

**Whereas** the risk of infection and morbidity continue, and

**Whereas** Ohio University shares a responsibility to protect students, faculty, staff and the communities our campuses serve, and

**Whereas** athletic events increase the population density and result in large crowds.

**Be it resolved,** the Faculty Senate commends the Mid-American Conference and the Ohio University Athletic Department for their decision to postpone all Fall sports seasons in 2020.