A RESOLUTION THAT THE UNITED STATES PRIVATIZE THE SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM.

WHEREAS: The Social Security program will likely be bankrupt by the year 2030; and

WHEREAS: The rate of return from investments in Social Security is very small; and

WHEREAS: Money invested in the stock market almost always earns a higher rate of return; and

WHEREAS: Senior citizens will get more Social Security if the program is privatized;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...
State Congress

Fargo South

Public Welfare (regulates domestic issues in U.S.)

A RESOLUTION THAT ALL 50 STATES PARDON ALL NON-VIOLENT DRUG OFFENDERS TO REDUCE PRISON POPULATION

WHEREAS: Prisons are overcrowded; and,

WHEREAS: Non-violent drug offenders are subject to mandatory minimums; and,

WHEREAS: Non-violent drug offenders do not pose a risk to society; and,

WHEREAS: Pardoning non-violent drug offenders makes progress toward correcting the disproportionate prosecution of people of color; and,

WHEREAS: Minimum sentencing guidelines have created excessive and unjust sentences that need to be corrected.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...
A resolution in favor of North Dakota not placing a cap on the number of refugees that are accepted into the state

WHEREAS: We have an obligation to help refugees who are in need;

WHEREAS: American foreign policy has helped cause the current refugee crisis;

WHEREAS: Refugees can bring value to our state by helping our economy and increasing our diversity;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...
A RESOLUTION THAT THE UNITED STATES DECRIMINALIZE PHYSICIAN-ASSISTED SUICIDE IN ALL 50 STATES FOR TERMINALLY ILL PATIENTS.

WHEREAS: States have differing policies on assisted suicide; and,

WHEREAS: The differences in policies from state to state requires a comprehensive federal policy; and,

WHEREAS: The right to die with dignity should be guaranteed just like the right to live with dignity; and,

WHEREAS: Allowing individuals choice in their final days gives them peace.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...
A RESOLUTION THAT THE UNITED STATES AMEND THE CONSTITUTION SO THAT PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS BE DETERMINED BY THE POPULAR VOTE

WHEREAS: The American people should be the deciding factor in presidential elections, not delegates; and,

WHEREAS: The American people deserve their voices to be heard through the popular vote, not through a gerrymandered systems that work to propagate party lines; and,

WHEREAS: Several states have shown questionable practices in the gerrymandered systems in which absurd redistricting happens, clearly labeled as undemocratic by recent court cases; and,

WHEREAS: The electoral college does not accurately represent states’ populations on the national level; and,

WHEREAS: A popular vote will improve the idea of democracy in America; and,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...
West Congress

West Fargo High

Ways and Means/Appropriations (allocating, raising, and regulating of federal funds)

A RESOLUTION THAT THE UNITED STATES PROVIDE FREE MEDICAL CARE FOR ALL RESIDENTS.

WHEREAS: Not all residents can afford medical insurance or care; and,

WHEREAS: Currently only 16% of the United States population is covered by Medicare; and,

WHEREAS: Medical care is a human right and must be treated as such; and,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...
West Congress

Valley City High School

Public Welfare (regulates domestic issues in U.S.)

**A RESOLUTION THAT THE UNITED STATES STOP THE DEPORTATION OF GREEN CARD HOLDERS TO GIVE THEM A SENSE OF SECURITY AND FAITH IN OUR COUNTRY**

WHEREAS: Green Card Holders also known as Lawful Permanent Residence (LPRs) have already passed all necessary background checks to enter and stay in our country; and,

WHEREAS: Under the current law, Green Card Holders can be deported, with 68% of them being deported for minor, nonviolent crimes and misdemeanors; and,

WHEREAS: Most LPRs are unaware that they can be deported, causing them to live in a false state of security

WHEREAS: The only difference between an LPR and a citizen is a $725 application fee, which something most families cannot afford; and,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...
West Congress

Mandan High School

Public Welfare (regulates domestic issues in U.S.)

TO REQUIRE ALL DNA COLLECTION AGENCIES TO SUBMIT A SAMPLE TO A NATIONAL DATABASE FOR USE IN CRIMINAL CASES.

WHEREAS: The Golden State killer, who was responsible for many cold cases dating back to 1976, was caught in 2018 due to a DNA collection agencies sample.

WHEREAS: According to MIT 26 million people have submitted their DNA to a collection agency.

WHEREAS: According to The Washington Post 40% of U.S. murders go unsolved every year, and 250,000 cold cases have accumulated since 1980.

WHEREAS: A required submission for DNA agencies to a DNA collection database would allow for easier and quicker convictions and would bring closure for the victim’s families.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...
A RESOLUTION THAT THE US SHOULD REPEAL EVERY STUDENT SUCCEEDS ACT

WHEREAS: focuses more on test scores rather than the students actual knowledge; and
WHEREAS: Standardized tests are biased and have deep flaws; and
WHEREAS: This act has extremely high qualifications that teachers need to exceed; and
WHEREAS: There would be budget cuts in non-tested schools; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...
West Congress

West Fargo Sheyenne

Public Welfare (regulates domestic issues in U.S.)

A RESOLUTION THAT LAW ENFORCEMENT IN THE UNITED STATES CAN NO LONGER LEGALLY INTERFERE WITH PEACEFUL PROTESTS AND PROTESTERS IN AMERICA

WHEREAS: When officers interfere, it leads to more destruction, harm, and ultimately death which makes the situation worse; and,

WHEREAS: In a democracy, everyone has a voice that needs to be heard and so do protestors; and,

WHEREAS: Penalizing with jailtime and fines only fuel the fury and it creates more criminals out of otherwise innocent people; and,

WHEREAS: As stated in the third clause, this can also lead to an overflowing prison population thus creating another problem for the federal government; and,

WHEREAS: Peaceful protesting has led to great advancements in both the law and society such as equality amongst race and gender equality; and,

WHEREAS: Peaceful assembly and demonstrations are legal under the First Amendment, however, law enforcement sometimes hinder protestors from exercising their right to free speech; and,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...
A RESOLUTION THAT THE UNITED NATIONS PUT PRESSURE ON CHINA TO END THE XINJIANG RE-EDUCATION CAMPS.

WHEREAS: China has been keeping Muslims under illegal surveillance; and,

WHEREAS: China is forcing Muslims to participate in activities that violate their religion; and,

WHEREAS: America is the only country with enough political and economic power to successfully persuade the Chinese government.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...
A RESOLUTION TO ASSIST MEXICO WITH FUNDING FOR IMMIGRATION

WHEREAS: Illegal immigration has caused conflict, violence and instability in Central America due to lack of funding and enforcement; and

WHEREAS: Central American countries are currently experiencing much instability leading to thousands of asylum seekers; and

WHEREAS: The flow of unchecked immigrants from Central America to the US through Mexico has created violence and crime; and

WHEREAS: Funding from the US to assist Mexico with this influx of people will allow for fewer undocumented immigrants entering the US; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...
East Congress

Richardton-Taylor High School

Public Welfare (regulates domestic issues in U.S.)

A RESOLUTION THAT UNITED STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES NO LONGER BE ALLOWED TO ASSOCIATE THEMSELVES WITH ANY SPECIFIC RACE AND RELIGION.

WHEREAS: Minority and religiously based colleges and universities create false ideologies; and,

WHEREAS: The original intent of these colleges and universities have been achieved; and,

WHEREAS: Diverse colleges and universities will allow for greater achievement; and,

WHEREAS: If we allow colleges and universities to continue this practice, we will put ourselves back in the mind frame of separate but equal; and,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...
A RESOLUTION THAT ALL STUDENTS IN GRADES 9 - 12 IN NORTH DAKOTA SCHOOLS BE REQUIRED TO PERFORM A MINIMUM OF SIX HOURS OF COMMUNITY SERVICE EACH YEAR TO GRADUATE.

WHEREAS: Many students are already required to perform service work for National Honor Society.

WHEREAS: Performing community service builds community in the schools;

WHEREAS: Performing community service opens the eyes of students to the many needs in their communities.

WHEREAS: Students who perform community service will someday be adults who help in their communities.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...
THAT ALL MISSING PERSON CASES INVOLVING MINORS HAVE FOUL PLAY PRESUMABLY INVOLVED FROM THE BEGINNING.

WHEREAS: According to the National Center for Missing Children, 800,000 children go missing in the United States per year.

WHEREAS: Police often push missing minor cases aside due to the presumption they “ran away”.

WHEREAS: Teenagers are often never found due to this “run-away” presumption.

WHEREAS: If put in place, police departments could use all of their resources towards finding the missing minor instead of having a nonchalant attitude.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED...