

1 Title: **Memorial Resolution for the Victims of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute and**
2 **State University Tragedy**

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7 Resolution Number: 7.07-08

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9 WHEREAS, On April 16, 2007, a gunman fatally shot 32 members of the Virginia Tech
10 community before killing himself; and

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12 WHEREAS, This tragedy occurred in a dorm and a classroom full of students at Virginia
13 Tech University; and

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15 WHEREAS, On our own University of Washington campus, Rebecca Jane Griego was
16 killed by a gunman on April 2, 2007.

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18 THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:

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20 THAT, GPSS offers its sincerest condolences to the Virginia Tech community on the one
21 year anniversary of this tragedy; and

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23 THAT, GPSS observes a moment of silence in their honor; and

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25 THAT, GPSS will continue to lobby, both locally and nationally, to create a safe learning
26 environment on university campuses; and

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28 THAT, A copy of this resolution will be sent to the Virginia Tech student government
29 representatives.

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31 *Presented to GPSS for approval on April 9, 2008.*

32 *Approved on April 9, 2008.*