

Resolution 022
A Resolution Honoring the Colors of the United States of America
Sponsored by: Senator Brianna Howard
Co-Sponsored by: Senator Robert Sabbagh

Whereas,

The Office of the President of the Catholic University of America issued a policy order on 15 October 2007 titled “Proper Display and Maintenance of Campus Flags.”

Whereas,

This University policy states, “At the direction of the President, raising, lowering, and displaying the flag(s) is the responsibility of the Department of Public Safety. The Department of Public Safety will also ensure that flags which are ripped, torn or otherwise unfit to serve as a symbol of the United States, the District of Columbia or the Catholic Church are properly removed from service and appropriately retired.”

Whereas,

The American flag, raised in front of McMahon Hall, is visibly torn from weather conditions and therefore is unfit to continue to fly in a manner of honor and respect.

Be it enacted that,

The Student Senate acting in their official capacity as representatives of the student body of The Catholic University of America hereby request the Department of Public Safety of the Catholic University of America arrange for the proper lowering, removal, and retirement of the current American flag, and raise a new American flag in it’s place in accordance with university policy and the United States Flag Code.

Agreed to a vote of _____ yeas and _____ nays on this date _____ with
_____ abstentions and _____ not present.

Kristina Pinault

President of the Student Government Association

Lauren Werling

Vice President of the Student Government Association