

**University of Notre Dame  
Student Senate**

**Resolution SS0506-22**

**(From Committee on Residence Life)**

**RE: Outdoor Athletic Facilities Report**

**Whereas** the Committee on Residence Life of the Student Senate and the Task Force on Campus Grounds & Structures of the Campus Life Council has undertaken the initiative to investigate outdoor recreational facilities by speaking with RecSports, Residence Hall Athletic Commissioners, and other members of Student Government; and

**Whereas** the Committee and Task Force have produced a joint report that offers specific recommendations to improve the University's outdoor athletic facilities, and they do so by addressing five topics, noting their current status, identify shortcomings, and offer solutions; and

**Whereas** the University Campus Plan is a constantly evolving document that is changed as new needs are presented and identified, and the current Plan already alludes to many of the suggestions made in the report; and

**Whereas** they system of residentiality at the University of Notre Dame is unique and strengthened by the use of outdoor athletic facilities by Residence Hall sports teams; and

**Whereas** the provision of adequate outdoor athletic facilities is important to a student's development, by promoting a healthy lifestyle on campus and continuing the good habits after graduation;

**Therefore Be It Resolved** that the Student Senate affirm and support the Outdoor Athletic Facilities Report produced jointly by the Committee on Residence Life of the Student Senate and the Task Force on Campus Grounds & Structures of the Campus Life Council; and

**Therefore Be It Further Resolved** that the Student Senate recommend that the suggestions of the report be strongly considered in future campus development and construction decisions.