WHEREAS, UIS does not have policies specifically articulating the differences between majors, minors, and concentrations at the undergraduate level; and

WHEREAS, the UIS catalog does not publish such policies related to any definitions of majors, minors, and concentrations at the undergraduate level that will explain the differences between majors, minors, and concentrations; and

WHEREAS, the UIS Academic Affairs website does not publish the aforementioned definitions either; and

WHEREAS, establishing such policies the publication of such definitions will provide departments with a consistent framework for creating and revising academic programs; and

WHEREAS, publishing such policies definitions in the catalog will provide help students with a concise description of understand the differences between majors, minors, and concentrations as well as the types of academic programs available at UIS;
THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Campus Senate of the University of Illinois at Springfield approves the proposed policies related to the publication of the definitions of majors, minors, and concentrations at the undergraduate level; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Campus Senate of the University of Illinois at Springfield endorses the publication of the said policies such proposed definitions by the Undergraduate Council in the catalog and on the Academic Affairs website; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that any substantive changes regarding the definitions of majors, minors, and concentrations in the future will have to be approved by the Undergraduate Council prior to their publication in the catalog and on the website.