

Senator Wamble & Speaker Haab

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## **RESOLUTION 3**

A RESOLUTION to express condolences to the communities affected by the recent flooding along the Guadalupe River in Texas.

**WHEREAS**, on July 4, 2025, historic flooding devastated areas along the Guadalupe River in Central and South Texas, resulting in tragic loss of life, displacement of families, and widespread destruction of property and infrastructure; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mississippi State University community strives to stand in solidarity with those affected by natural disasters, offering support, compassion, and recognition in times of hardship; and

**WHEREAS**, among those affected were members of Camp Mystic, a summer camp for girls located along the Guadalupe River, where Alyson Crouch Hardin and her daughter Josephine—wife and daughter of Dr. Bill Hardin—were serving as counselors at the time of the flood; and

**WHEREAS**, the flooding has deeply impacted the MSU family through the involvement of Dr. Bill Hardin, former MSU Warren Chair of Real Estate and longtime faculty member in the College of Business, who survived the flooding while Alyson and Josephine remain missing following the destruction of their family home in Hunt, Texas; and

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that we, the Student Association Senate of Mississippi State University, extend our deepest condolences to the victims, families, and communities affected by the flooding in Texas, and offer our heartfelt sympathy to the campers of Camp Mystic and their families; and

**THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that we extend our deepest sympathy to Dr. Bill Hardin and the Hardin family during this time of unimaginable uncertainty and loss, and that

the Mississippi State University community continues to support them in mourning, prayer, and unity; and

**THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a copy of this resolution be sent to Dr. Bill Hardin at Florida International University, the Student Affairs Office at Mississippi State University, Governor Abbott's Office of the State of Texas, as well as appropriate officials at our peer institutions in the state of Texas.