



TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER
Senate Resolution 25.16

(Stating the sentiments of the TTUHSC Student Senate regarding congratulating Abby Buterbaugh, MMS, PA-C on her recent promotion as Program Director of the Nadine and Tom Craddick Physician Assistant Studies Program)

WHEREAS, Abby Buterbaugh joined the Nadine and Tom Craddick Physician Assistant Studies Program as an Assistant Professor in March of 2020, and since then has additionally served as the Director of Didactic Education; and,

WHEREAS, Abby Buterbaugh has consistently embodied TTUHSC's core values of One Team, Kindheartedness, Integrity, Visionary thinking, and Beyond Service including her commitment to implementing innovative teaching strategies that elevate student learning; and,

WHEREAS, Abby Buterbaugh's enthusiasm, humor, and clear teaching style made even the hardest concepts feel manageable; and,

WHEREAS, Abby Buterbaugh is remembered by students for her encouragement, high expectations, and genuine investment in their success; and,

WHEREAS, Abby Buterbaugh has over ten years of experience as a physician assistant, contributing her clinical expertise to TTUHSC and demonstrating the vital role of the PA profession and telehealth in enhancing patient care; and,

WHEREAS, Abby Buterbaugh has shown commitment that is advancing the physician assistant profession through implementation of innovative health care services demonstrated by her leadership as Director of Didactic Education, where she strengthened curriculum quality and enhanced student clinical readiness; and,

WHEREAS, Abby Buterbaugh is a respected member of the TTUHSC School of Health Professions who contributes to the program's reputation and growth, bolstering the institution's academic excellence through her steady leadership and commitment to continuous program improvement; and,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Student Senate of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center congratulates Abby Buterbaugh on her well-earned promotion to Program Director of the Nadine

and Tom Craddick Physician Assistant Studies Program, recognizing her proven leadership, her innovative contributions to PA education, and her commitment to strengthening the program's legacy of excellence; and therefore,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution be spread upon the Journal and that copies be sent to **Lori-Rice Spearman Ph.D**, *President of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center*; **Chancellor Dr. Tedd L. Mitchell**, *Chancellor of the Texas Tech University System*; **Darrin D'Agostino, D.O., MPH, MBA**, *Provost and Chief Academic Officer of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center*; **Dean Dawndra Sechrist, OTR, Ph.D**, *Dean of the School of Health Professions*; **the Faculty and Staff of the Nadine and Tom Craddick Physician Assistant Studies Program**; **Jacob Lujan**, *Editor-in-Chief of The Daily Toreador*; and to the **students of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center**.

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