Faculty Senate Bill No. 422

**Whereas;**

One of the most important assets of The University of Alabama in Huntsville is the health of the institution’s faculty and staff; and

**Whereas;**

The UAH Faculty and Staff Clinic was established in June 2007 to serve

the health needs of the faculty and staff; and

**Whereas;**

The Faculty and Staff Clinic has seen thousands of faculty and staff with

10,476 clinic visits and saved the University an estimated $1,560,924 in

insurance co-pays and other expenses and 31,428 hours of lost productivity; and

**Whereas;**

UAH may save more money by allowing spouses of staff to be treated at the Clinic; and

**Whereas;**

The success of the Clinic in terms of serving as a valuable source of health

care for faculty and staff and a financial savings for the institution; therefore

**Be it resolved by the UAH Staff Senate that;**

The University administration increase funding to the Faculty and Staff

Clinic to provide a registered nurse (1.0 FTE) to expand availability and services for University employees and their spouses beginning as soon as possible, but not later than the beginning of the 2018-2019 academic year.