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The Adoption of the Old Main Oath Act of 2015

Whereas, The University of Arkansas does not currently have a creed or oath
that outlines the spirit, morals, and values of being an Arkansas
Razorback; and

Whereas, Peer institutions such as Vanderbilt University, University of South
Carolina, University of Alabama, and Auburn University have
established creeds that express the values of their campus; and

Whereas, There have been several alarming events across that country that
effected individuals on college campuses that prompted the
examination of campus expectations; and

Whereas, It is critical for the University of Arkansas to establish and
emphasize integrity, openness, and general principles of civility by
defining common values in our institution; then

Be it therefore resolved: That the University of Arkansas adopt the “Old Main
Oath” as our university creed:

“Old Main Oath”

As a member of the University of Arkansas, knowing that accepting
membership in this community entails the obligation to be a steadfast, a
responsible, and an engaged citizen,

I commit to Academics, to seek truth, progress, and personal discovery, and to
partner intellect with courage to realize my purpose;

I commit to Integrity, to be inspired by an ethical approach, and to advance
with truth as my leader in all facets of life;

I commit to Diversity, to respect the rights of all in my thoughts, words, and
deeds in order to embrace an environment of inclusion and acceptance;
I commit to **Leadership**, to serve with accountability and creativity, and to inspire guidance and direction for a global society;

I commit to **Tradition**, to call all members of our community to engage in the spirit of our campus while upholding our reputation;

I commit to **Community**, to serve proactively in an ever-changing society to make a difference as an individual, campus, state, and nation;

I commit to **Honor**, to uphold the beliefs set forth in this creed;

I commit to being a **Razorback**.

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Jace Motley, ASG Chair of the Senate  Date

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