TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER Senate Resolution 23.11

(Stating the sentiments of the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center Student Senate congratulating the TTUHSC School of Nursing in Amarillo graduates and faculty members on the first graduating class from the Amarillo SON campus.)

WHEREAS, the January of 2022 cohort of the Amarillo TTUHSC SON will be the first graduating student body of the Amarillo SON campus since its opening in January of 2022 with a total of 15 students graduating with their Bachelor of Science in Nursing; and,

WHEREAS, this cohort of students founded the Texas Nursing Student Association (TNSA), which has participated in multiple volunteering events since its creation; and,

WHEREAS, this class was taught by the TTUHSC SON Amarillo campus first instructors which include Dr. Louise Rice, Ms. Amanda Hedtke, Dr. Elizabeth Matos, and Mrs. Amanda Guerrero who embody the TTUHSC ideals impeccably while teaching with the upmost compassion; and,

WHEREAS, Regional Dean of the Amarillo Campus, Dr. Valerie Kiper, plays a large role in the success of these graduates and has modeled prodigious leadership skills for all of the TTUHSC SON Amarillo campus students to assimilate going forward into their careers in the nursing profession; and therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Student Senate of Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center congratulates the Amarillo SON faculty and May graduates on the first Amarillo campus TTUHSC SON graduating student body; 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; **Darrin D'Agostino, D.O., MPH, MBA.**, Provost and Chief Academic Officer; **Valerie Kiper, DNP, MSN, RN, NEA-**