Resolution:

Whereas, one-cup coffee makers such as: Keurig, Tassimo, Senseo, etc. are an efficient way for students to obtain hot beverages;

Whereas, students use money on their meal plans to obtain hot beverages that could easily be made in their residence halls;

Furthermore, students should be able to make hot beverages in the comfort of their own rooms;

Additionally, one-cup coffee makers do not have exposed heating elements or excessive amounts of water;

Furthermore, according to the New York State fire code of 2006 section 605.7, one-cup coffee makers do not pose a threat to fire safety if Underwriters Laboratories (UL) certified.

Let it be resolved, that the Office of Residential Programs shall lift the ban on one-cup coffee makers.

Let it be further resolved, that Senator Bryan Chess will conduct research to determine other universities in New York that allow one cup coffee makers.

Respectfully Submitted:

Senator Bryan Chess