



**Resolution on Paid Time Off for DU Staff and Supporting Students on Election Day
(passed by Faculty Senate, 10.9.20)**

Whereas DU is a great private university dedicated to the public good,

Whereas getting out the vote is a critical public good at the very core of American democracy,
and

Whereas faculty and students are more likely to have somewhat more flexible schedules,

We thereby call upon DU to give all university staff at least 3 hours of paid time off on Tuesday
Nov. 3, 2020 to help facilitate more people being able to vote on Election Day.

We also call upon DU to support students in fulfilling their democratic responsibilities. Thus,
we call for the university to encourage faculty to be flexible in accommodating students who
need to miss class on Election Day in order to vote.