



State University of New York  
College of Environmental Science and Forestry

**Faculty Governance**

Resolution No: 201415-01

A RESOLUTION of the SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry Faculty  
Introduced by the Student Life Committee of College Governance

**CALLING TO**

Formally recognize our graduating students and faculty/staff who are US Armed Service Veterans

WHEREAS currently there is no formal means to recognize our graduating students and faculty/staff at ESF graduation ceremonies who have served to protect our country

WHEREAS there is an opportunity for the ESF Alumni Office to provide veterans cords to graduating students, faculty and staff at ESF graduation ceremonies in December and May

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that:

1. The Faculty supports the College in formally recognizing our veterans during the graduation ceremony.
2. The Faculty supports the Alumni Office at ESF providing graduating ESF student veterans and faculty/staff veterans with veterans cords
3. The Faculty supports the College in recognizing our student veterans in the graduation program bulletin.
4. Student veterans should be able to identify their interest in being acknowledged on the Undergraduate and Graduate Application for Graduation forms

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that:

The Executive Chair of the SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry Faculty Governance convey in writing (email is acceptable) the contents of this resolution to the President of the College and Faculty Chair of this body, with copies to the Dean of Student Affairs within ten (10) days of the date of approval below. The contents of this resolution shall also be conveyed to the main body of the SUNY-ESF faculty via email, campus news, the faculty governance website, and shall be included *verbatim* in the minutes of the meeting at which it was passed.

**Approved and adopted the 31<sup>st</sup> day of October 2014 via voice vote - Unanimous**

Submitted by:   
Executive Chair of the SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry Faculty

Endorsed by:   
President of the SUNY College of Environmental Science and Forestry Faculty