

Student Government Association
Tennessee Technological University

SGA Bill SB-F22-010

An Act to Improve Accessibility in the Intramural Program for Students with Disabilities

- Whereas,* there are over six hundred students that are registered on campus with the accessible education office; and,
- Whereas,* a large portion of those students cannot participate in intramurals due to safety and the location of the intramural events; and,
- Whereas,* this denies a large number of students access to events and prevents them from receiving the full collegiate experience, and,
- Whereas,* improving the accessibility of intramural locations and adding some accessible intramural sports will allow for this community of students to equally participate in intramural activities.

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT ENACTED BY THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF TENNESSEE TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY THAT

- Section 1:** This Bill shall be known as the “Accessible Intramurals Act of 2022.”
- Section 2:** This bill shall require the university to create an accessible way for students with disabilities to access the intramural fields. It will also add additional sports that specifically are designed for people with disabilities to participate in alongside able-bodied students.
- Section 3:** This bill will significantly improve the experience for students who have wanted to participate in intramurals but were unable to do so due to the lack of accessibility. This bill will not change the intramurals guidelines but provide more accessibility to the student body.
- Section 4:** This Bill shall take effect immediately following passage by the Student Government Association, the welfare of the students requiring it.

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| Constitutional Committee | Harrison Simpson | Passed w/ Amendment |

Senate Record

| SGA Secretary: | Aye: | Nay: | Abstain: | Status: |
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