

10 **A Resolution Concerning**
20 **THE BANNING OF GANG BANDANNAS IN MARYLAND PUBLIC HIGH**
30 **SCHOOLS**

40 **WHEREAS:** Gang bandannas add more tension between rival gangs; and,

50 **WHEREAS:** High School is a place to learn and not a gangland; and,

60 **WHEREAS:** Much of gang violence happens at school, so wearing
70 bandannas increases the tension between rival gangs; and,

80 **WHEREAS:** The bandanna can also be referred to as a “flag”; and,

90 **WHEREAS:** The gang bandanna identifies the person’s gang affiliation.

100 **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED:** That the Maryland Student
110 Legislature urge the Maryland General Assembly and Maryland Governor
120 Martin O’Malley to ban all gang bandannas in Maryland public high
130 schools.

140 **MANDATES:**
150 Governor Martin O’ Malley
160 Lt. Governor Anthony Brown
170 Senator Ben Cardin
180 Senator Barbara Mikulski
190 The Honorable Steny Hoyer, Delegate

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