

Attn: Committee on Women's Athletics The National Collegiate Athletic Association 700 W. Washington St. P.O. Box 6222 Indianapolis, IN 46206-6222

Olivet College and its Department of Athletics would like to lend our support of USA Cheer's efforts to add STUNT as an NCAA emerging sport. USA Cheer's initiative to place STUNT on the emerging sport list is imperative as it provides additional opportunities for talented female student-athletes to participate in intercollegiate athletics as well as gain the benefits of athletics both on and off the field of play.

We believe the sport of STUNT will help colleges and universities, like ours, provide a valuable athletic offering that will significantly expand the number of female student-athletes on our campus. With a growing roster over the past few years STUNT provides us an effective way to expand female athletic participation and give our students another avenue for competition.

We are committed to continuing the support of a STUNT program at Olivet College as we have continued to see the many benefits for not only our female student-athletes but also for our department as a whole.

Please accept this letter on behalf of Olivet College in support of USA Cheer's effort to secure NCAA emerging status for STUNT, and we urge the Committee of Women's Athletics to approve their proposal for formal designation.

Director of Athletics

Senior Woman Administrator

President

Attachments:

Olivet College STUNT budget details Olivet College additional support