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During times of economic trouble in the United States, people of color suffer more disadvantages than the population at large. I sympathize with them in coping with this problem.

Within the limits of its capabilities the University will do the best it can to alleviate the problems of minority students. I will use my influence with the various departments in finding ways to respond to the needs of the minorities, such as supportive services and financial aid.

Good faith negotiations will continue to be conducted with the Third World Coalition concerning the needs of the minorities on this campus. There will be a meeting on Monday morning February 24, at 8:30 A.M. between the Third World Coalition, university officials, and myself to begin finding solutions to the above concerns.

*R.W. Fleming*

I will be willing to issue this statement, provided you make arrangements with your people to vacate the building as of closing time tonight.

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