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as Class Representatives,

Plaintiffs-Appellants,

v.

THE UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA, a  
unit of the Montana University system,

Defendant-Appellee.

Cause No. DV 16-977  
Department No. 5  
Hon. Shane A. Vannatta

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