As the daughter of an immigrant, I recognize that immigration is what makes our communities as vibrant and diverse as they are. Harming immigrants, especially on a college campus, is morally abhorrent.

Allowing violent organizations such as ICE to occupy our campuses, or even make their presence known in surrounding areas directly harms students of color. These students are an integral part of our campuses, and we should not allow anyone to threaten their involvement in our communities. No one should be scared that they are going to be detained while walking between classes, or anywhere else.

Voting YES on HB0047 helps protect our students and communities, keeping people safe and keeping families together.