



**Student Government Resolution 112.18**  
**A Resolution Creating the Student Government Sponsorship Program**  
**Sponsored by Treasurer Ryan Gordon and Senator Kathleen Barbosa**

WHEREAS,

- The Student Government is the official governing body of the Student Association and exists to represent the present and long term best interest of the Student Association in the formulation of the University policy and in the fulfillment of the University mission, and;
- Currently, the Senate Grants do not provide for all the needs of student, and;
- Currently, the Student Government does not provide funds for student organizations to host event outside of the Senate Grants, and;
- The 2011-2012 Student Government budget allotted \$2000 for Student Senate Sponsorships, and;
- The purpose of these sponsorships is to aid groups of students and organizations to enhance their effectiveness as a student group or organization, and;
- The Student Senate shall have the power to approve changes to the application and/or guidelines for sponsorship usage, and;
- The Student Government Grant Committee shall have the authority to award funding from those funds allotted to it for sponsorships without a second vote of the Student Senate, and;
- The Student Government Grant Committee shall report to the Student Senate on all awards made at the next general meeting immediately following an award decision, and;
- The Student Senate shall have the power to only reject a sponsorship awarded by the Student Government Grant Committee.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT,

- Creates the Student Government Sponsorship Program.

THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT OF TRUMAN STATE UNIVERSITY DIRECTS THAT,

- The amount of \$2000.00 be used for the Student Government Sponsorship Program, and;
- The Executive Committee shall create a formal application process, guidelines for sponsorship usage, and any restrictions on how allotted funds shall be awarded, and;
- The Student Government Grant Committee shall be responsible for the enforcement of all student sponsorship guidelines, recommend changes to the sponsorship application and guidelines, receive applications, and award sponsorship funding, and;
- Additional copies of this resolution are disseminated to President Troy Paino, Dean of Student Affairs Lou Ann Gilchrist, VPAA/Provost Richard Coughlin, and the Truman Media Network.

**Passed December 4, 2011**

**By a Vote of 14-0-0**

**Ryan Nely**

**President of the Student Association**