



Student Government Resolution 116.005

A Resolution to Begin the Search for a New Student Representative to the Truman State University Board of Governors

Sponsored by Molly Turner, President of the Student Association and Chair of the All-Student Board of Governors Slate Selection Committee

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 University policy and in the fulfillment of the University mission; and
- The Truman State University Board of Governors holds the responsibility of policy making while providing guidance for the University as the governing board of Truman State University; and
- The board is composed of 10 members appointed by the governor of Missouri, one of which is held by a Truman Student; and
- The Truman Student selected for the position will serve as a non-voting member for a term of two years, acting as an intermediary between the Board of Governors, the Student Association, and Student Government; and
- Membership to the board will allow the Truman Student representative to serve on the Academic and Student Affairs Board Committee within the Truman State University Board of Governors, and the executive committee of Student Government as an ex-officio member; and

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,

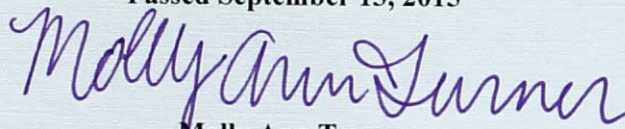
- That in order to elect the Student Representative as outlined in the Student Government Constitution, the President of the Student Association has created an all student committee comprised of the President of the Student Association, Molly Turner (chair), the current student representative to the Board of Governors, Kelly Kochanski (vice-chair), a voting member of Student Senate, a residential living representative, a Student Activities Board representative, a campus media representative, and a student-at-large; and
- Seeing a need for more diversity and a wider student representation within the All Student Board of Governors Slate Selection Committee, at the discretion of the Chair, the committee has been expanded to include a Funds Allotment Council representative, a Multicultural Affairs Center representative, Women's Resource Center representative, and a Student Athletic Advisory Committee representative along with those mentioned above; and
- The committee will select a slate of three names to present to the Student Government seeking approval from the Student Senate, in order to send the selected three names to the Governor of Missouri as outlined in the Student Government Standing Rules; and
- The committee, aside from Chair, Molly Turner and Vice-Chair, Kelly Kochanski, will remain confidential until the slate is brought before the Student Government for approval by the Student Senate; and

- Applications for the Student Representative to the Truman State University Board of Governors cannot be released until the committee has been created; and
- After working since the beginning of the academic year, the application has been edited and improved, and the committee was finalized as of Thursday, September 3rd, 2015; and
- Applications can be found at: <http://senate.truman.edu/get-involved/applications/board-of-governors/> and must be submitted electronically to truman.bog.student.rep@gmail.com by 5:00 PM October 8, 2015; and
- Release forms (<http://senate.truman.edu/get-involved/applications/board-of-governors/>) must be filled out, printed, and submitted to the Office of Student Affairs SUB 1110 by 5:00 PM October 8, 2015; and
- The committee will bring the slate of names to the Student Government seeking approval from the Student Senate by November 1st, 8th, or 15th 2015.

THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT OF TRUMAN STATE UNIVERSITY DIRECTS THAT,

- Additional copies of this resolution are distributed to the University President, Troy Paino; Provost/Vice President of Student Affairs, Susan Thomas; University Board of Governors Chair, Jim O'Donnell and Vice-Chair, Sarah Burkemper and Secretary, Mike LaBeth and Student Representative, Kelly Kochanski; Dean of Student Affairs, Lou Ann Gilchrist; Director of Public Relations, Heidi Templeton; and Truman Media Network.

Passed September 13, 2015



Molly Ann Turner
President of the Student Association