

**STUDENT GOVERNMENT
GENERAL MEETING
January 31, 2016**

Preliminary Items

- A.** Roll Call
- B.** Approval of minutes
- C.** Gallery Introductions/Business
- D.** Membership Appointment/Resignations
 - a. Sexual Assault Prevention Committee Slate (Todd)
 - i. Approved
 - b. Appointment of Chester Pelsang to Associate Senator (Todd)
 - i. Approved
 - c. Resignation of Matt Cooper as Student Affairs Chair (Todd)
 - i. Approved
- E.** Oath of Office

Auxiliary Reports

- A.** Speaker of the Student Senate
 - a. Three voting senator positions are still open (one is a graduate senator spot)
 - b. Please share the link and let everyone know!
 - c. Conceal and Carry Legislation Small Debate - Thursday at 8pm in the small theater of Baldwin
 - d. ExComm will be Tuesday at 9pm
 - e. Dog Fest is February 6th 2-4pm
 - i. lots of free stuff
 - f. February 10th, 2016 at 10pm is the State of the University Address
 - g. Senate Meeting next week will be at 2:30pm (due to the Super Bowl)
 - h. Make sure you comment on the facebook group under the Purple Friday Picture your t-shirt size because Purple Friday shirts are in!
 - i. You are entitled to share your opinions about Student Government, however, make sure you are being professional and respecting your position and your peers
- B.** Student Representative to the Board of Governors
- C.** Faculty Advisor
 - a. If you have a chance to go to the All University Meeting, please make sure you go!
 - b. Blue print plans will be discussed, make sure you attend
- D.** Staff Advisor
 - a. Baldwin Hall (in its entirety) is going to be closed next year, some classes will not be offered during the times you would like!
 - b. In Mainstreet, The Grill is not be opening for the rest of the semester and Main Street will be closed during finals week
 - c. If you are here over the summer, some new stores will be open
- E.** Academic Affairs Chair
 - a. Please fill out registration time survey

- b. Nominations page for the academic accolades banquet is open, tell your friends to nominate (open till February 15th)
- F. External Affairs Chair**
 - a. Iowa Caucus is this weekend
 - b. Truman at the Capitol is coming up, please make sure you have spoken to your professors about missing class
 - c. You will be able to speak to to your senator about any upcoming topics
- G. Environmental Affairs Chair**
 - a. First Earth Week Meeting is going to be this week
 - b. If you see glass not being picked up somewhere, please let a committee member know about it
- H. Student Affairs Chair**
 - a. Meeting with the committee this Tuesday (possibility)
 - b. Working on adjusting to the new leadership
- I. Diversity Chair**
 - a. Discussing what events are planned for Diversity Week
 - i. Wednesday - International Food Night
 - b. Working on a LGBTQ+ survey to get the statistics
 - c. Daily Express Interview about the center
 - d. Reach out to Alyssa about banners for Diversity Week
 - e. Social Justice Summit is available for leaders who are socially engaged
- J. Grants and Sponsorships Chair**
 - a. Meeting for the first time this semester will be this week
 - b. Most events are happening during March or April
- K. Purple Friday Chair**
- L. Athletic Fee Accountability Chair**
- M. Environmental Sustainability Fee Accountability Chair**
- N. Health, Wellness and Safety Chair**
 - a. Spiritual Health Awareness week went very well
 - b. Medical Amnesty Bill, emailed to most Student Government's across the state
 - c. Luca is the representative for MOPIP
 - d. MOPIP would like to encourage students from Truman to be honest with the upcoming survey that will come out
 - e. Health Science Department is putting on an Alcohol Awareness Week
 - f. Meeting of the Minds from April 7th-9th, please make sure you let them know by **February 25th**
 - g. Growing need for medical health care has spiked a lot since last semester
 - h. Three counselors would be beneficial for the department
 - i. New counselor will be hired!
- O. Sexual Assault Prevention Subcommittee Chair**
 - a. Committee meetings will be from 8-9pm on Thursday evenings in the CSI Conference Room
- P. SAB Representative**
- Q. FAC Representative**
- R. Staff Council Representative**
 - a. Was able to meet this week

- b. If you need to use the radio, talk to Henrio
- S. UGC Representative
 - a. Next meeting will be on February 11th at 3pm in the Alumni room
 - b. Discussion over the attendance policy, make sure you come!
- T. Communications Director
- U. Legislative Director

Executive Reports

- A. Treasurer
- B. Secretary
 - a. Committee Chairs please send Donald your attendance for your committee by 12AM this Saturday
 - b. Also, please make sure you send in a list of those members in your committee!
 - c. Website is updated with all the minutes from last semester and the minutes from this semester that have been approved. Please let Donald know if you have any questions!
 - d. Keaton has been working very hard to make a new program for the Office Hour Sign-In!
Thank you Keaton!!
- C. Vice President of the Student Association
 - a. Conceal and Carry, had a great discussion with Dr. Paino who approved the debate idea
 - b. Survey is still coming out
 - c. Timing resolution to come out when the new attendance policy is agreed on
- D. President of the Student Association

Other Reports

Old Business

New Business

Discussion Items

1. Student Government Winter Party Details (Holtmeyer)
 - a. February 6th, doodle poll is up
 - b. Hat tradition will be happening this year!
 - c. Create a hat that represents the person you receive (make sure it is appropriate)

Announcements

1. College Republicans on Thursdays at 6:30 in new location in Magruder 2090
2. February is Black History Month, the MAC has done a great job. Make sure you look into it!