STUDENT GOVERNMENT GENERAL MEETING MINUTES February 21, 2016

Preliminary Items

- a Roll Call
- **b** Approval of minutes
 - i Approved
- c Gallery Introductions/Business

Other Reports

- a President of Truman State University Troy Paino
 - 1. Discussion regarding items for Truman on the Capitol
 - a. State Appropriation
 - b. Conceal and Carry Legislation
 - i. Possible delay if legislation is passed
 - c. Tutoring Program
 - d. Counselor Resolution
 - e. Health Service Fee

Preliminary Items (cont.)

- **d** Membership Appointment/Resignations
 - i Appointment of Luis Ortiz to Voting Senator (Turner)
 - Passed by Unanimous Consent
 - ii Appointment of Natalie Wronkiewicz to Associate Senator (Turner)
 - Approved
- **e** Oath of Office

Auxiliary Reports

- **a.** Speaker of the Student Senate
 - i. Make sure you follow Truman's Snapchat!
 - ii. Currently at Mock Trial
- **b.** Student Representative to the Board of Governors
- c. Faculty Advisor
- **d.** Staff Advisor
 - i. Please speak to Christian about any expenditures
 - ii. President's departure, what it means for the blueprint committee
 - 1. Potential interim President
- e. Academic Affairs Chair
 - i. Raymiller Training Sessions, March 18th from 1-3pm
 - ii. Educator of the Year, essays were sent out this past week
- **f.** External Affairs Chair
 - i. Truman at the Capitol is on Tuesday
 - ii. Getting on the bus at 7:15am
 - iii. Getting there around 9:45am
 - iv. Break up into groups
 - v. Finish pictures around 10:15am
 - vi. Lunch around 11:30am
 - vii. Everyone will have a pamphlet
 - viii. Give away First Aid Kits
 - ix. Don't do anything stupid!!
 - x. Go over the code of conduct
- g. Environmental Affairs Chair
 - i. Glass recycling, please take some bags home if your hometown offers glass recycling

- ii. Earth Week is still coming along, set events possibly to come next Friday
- h. Student Affairs Chair
 - i. Student Appreciation Week, Friday to Sunday
 - ii. Giving away a lot of cool stuff!
 - iii. Shining Star Award Matt
- i. Diversity Chair
 - i. Met with Laura Cunningham, International Food and Dance Night
 - ii. Met with Sigma Delta Pi
 - iii. Additional event on Monday, incorporate poster project, two events on that Monday
- j. Grants and Sponsorships Chair
- k. Purple Friday Chair
- **1.** Athletic Fee Accountability Chair
- m. Environmental Sustainability Fee Accountability Chair
 - i. Slate proposed on the 20th of March
 - ii. Possible Second read two weeks after
 - iii. Looking to replace plastic bags in C-Stores
 - iv. Start selling reusable bags for 99 cents
- n. Health, Wellness and Safety Chair
- o. Sexual Assault Prevention Subcommittee Chair
 - i. Poster deadline moved back to Thursday
 - ii. Survey still stands
 - iii. Met with Student Director, sketched out what Sexual Assault Awareness Month (giving away free t-shirts)
 - iv. Trying to get Claire McCaskill
- **p.** SAB Representative
- **q.** FAC Representative
 - i. Check email
- r. Staff Council Representative
- **s.** UGC Representative
- t. Communications Director
 - i. New members, welcome!
 - ii. Stick around to be on the website!
- **u.** Legislative Director
 - i. Conceal and Carry Legislation survey is created and activated

Executive Reports

- A. Treasurer
- B. Secretary
 - a. Committee Chairs, please submit your committee attendance by this evening!
- C. Vice President of the Student Association
- D. President of the Student Association
 - a. Survey will come soon!
 - b. Encourage your friends to take the surveys!
 - c. In two weeks, possible general liberal arts discussion (please do some research on the topics)
 - d. Met with some Freshman about resolution writing, meet with Molly if you are interested in writing the resolution!
 - e. Transportation survey will be coming out
 - f. ExComm will still be on Tuesday

Old Business

- 1. Second Read: A Resolution In Support of an Additional University Counselor (Keller)
 - a. Discussion: Request for three counselors due to a lower counselor ratio, health fees, potential kiosk
 - b. Approved with 14-0-8-0 (YES/NO/SUPPORT/NOT SUPPORT)

New Business

- 1. First Read: A Resolution Thanking Linda Anderson, Vice President for University Advancement, for Her Commitment to Serving Truman State University's Campus (Turner)
 - a. Considered First Read

Discussion Items

Announcements

- 1. College Republicans on Thursdays at 6:30 in Magruder 2090
- 2. College Democrats meet on Mondays at 8pm in BH 251