

**STUDENT GOVERNMENT
GENERAL MEETING
January 13, 2013**

I. Preliminary Items

- a. Roll Call
- b. Changes to the Agenda
- c. Gallery Introductions/Business
 - i. Online Strategic Plan (Minch)
 - 1. Was reviewed by higher learning commission about having higher learning programs here- one recommendation was to have a strategic plan
 - 2. More groups will be reviewing the draft later on
 - 3. Online learning is a growing field
 - 4. This doesn't mean that our school will become an online school, but that we recognize more students are using online courses, especially over the summer
 - 5. Possibility to reach a point where there are people using distance-learning at Truman State University
 - 6. No plan of replacing core classes during Fall or Spring with online content
 - 7. A variety of in-person classes are running pilot programs online over the summer
 - 8. Budget issues in the future- no assurance on how faculty will respond in the future, although most faculty are against becoming online no matter what budget issues we face
 - ii. ASG Student Senate Rep
- d. Membership Appointments/Resignations
 - i. Valerie Dobson to Environmental Affairs Chair (Malin)

e. Oath of Office

II. Auxiliary Reports

- a. Speaker of the Student Senate
 - i. Hope you had a great break!
 - ii. Parking Appeals Chair will be looking for a voting senator for the committee, so if you're interested in filling the role talk to Brendan or Aaron to get in contact
- b. Student Representative to the Board of Governors
- c. Faculty Advisor
 - i. Welcome back!
- d. Staff Advisor
- e. Academic Affairs
 - i. Meeting with Laura to talk about what needs to happen for the EOY banquet that is now being merged with other events
 - ii. Committee will be working to develop Department of the Year award
- f. External Affairs

2. Expansion of Library hours
3. Internet bandwidth
 - a. We should become Google State University and get some GoogleFiber!!!!!!!!!!

IV. Announcements

- a. MLK Day Challenge is the Monday after break. Serve.Truman.Edu or visit them to sign up. THIS IS A REQUIRED EVENT!
- b. Dr. Shaw's rap video was AWESOME!