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Student Government Resolution 113.003 A Resolution Launching a Massive Campus Voter Registration Drive Sponsored by Aaron Malin, President of the Student Association

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
- Truman State University currently has a large quantity of students that are not registered to vote¹; and
- Increasing democratic participation is vital to the interests of the University; and
- A massive voter registration drive could significantly increase voter registration rates at Truman; and
- As a public institution, Truman State University has an obligation to serve the state of Missouri; and
- A way to fulfill the public obligation of the University is to register voters.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT:

- Hereby declares the period of time between September 17, 2012 and October 10, 2012 the "Student Senate Voter Registration Marathon"; and
- The goal of said registration drive is to register 500 students as Adair County Registered Voters; and
- The Student Senate Voter Registration Marathon is to be entirely non-partisan, and under no circumstance is a Senator that is registering voters permitted to ask questions of party affiliation.

THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT OF TRUMAN STATE UNIVERSITY DIRECTS THAT:

• Additional copies of this resolution are disseminated to President Troy Paino, Dean of Student Affairs Lou Ann Gilchrist, Assistant Dean of Student Affairs Beth Kral, the Pickler Memorial Library Office of Special Collections, and the Truman Media Network.

Passed September 16, 2012 By a Vote of 8-0-0

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