



Student Government Resolution 116.026

**A Resolution Supporting a Tutoring Program in Collaboration with
Ray Miller Elementary**

**Sponsored by Kyra Cooper, Academic Affairs Chair; Brett Combs, Sarah Holtmeyer, and
Remy McClain, Voting Senators; Molly Turner, 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 University policy and in the fulfillment of the University mission; and
- In Fall of 2015, it was brought to the attention of Kyra Cooper, Academic Affairs Chair of Student Government that Ray Miller Elementary was seeking a Truman organization to implement a tutoring program; and
- The Academic Affairs committee visited with the principal of Ray Miller Elementary, Dr. Jennifer Botello, and discussed the need for a long-term tutoring partnership with Truman; and
- Ray Miller Elementary has a significant student population that could benefit from consistent tutoring outside of the classroom; and
- The Academic Affairs committee held a training session in March of 2016 at Ray Miller Elementary as a prerequisite to being involved in the tutoring program. This training session received a positive reception from both the Truman students involved and the administration at Ray Miller; and
- The remaining available time in the 2015-2016 academic year is nearing an end, indicating the need to establish a format by which the Ray Miller tutoring program could resume at the start of the 2016-2017 school year; and
- Student Government's role on campus allows for the consistency needed to establish and maintain a tutoring program.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,

- That the Student Government thanks the faculty and students at Truman for their participation and involvement in working to establish a tutoring program; and
- Thanks the administration at Ray Miller, particularly Jennifer Botello, for their efforts to create a tutoring program and willingness to train students for the program; and

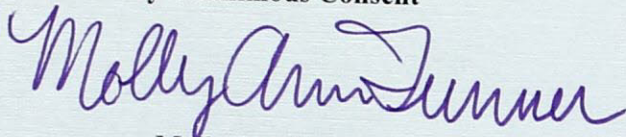
- Encourages the future Academic Affairs Chair of Student Government to further pursue a tutoring program with Ray Miller Elementary.

THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT OF TRUMAN STATE UNIVERSITY DIRECTS THAT,

- Additional copies of this resolution are disseminated to each current member of the Truman State University Board of Governors; President, Troy Paino; Executive Vice President and Provost of Academic Affairs, Susan Thomas; Vice President of Student Affairs, Lou Ann Gilchrist; University Archives; Truman Media Network; Principal of Ray Miller Elementary, Jennifer Botello.

Passed April 24, 2016

By Unanimous Consent



Molly Ann Turner

President of the Student Association