



**Student Government Resolution 119.027**

**A Resolution Authorizing Student Government's Participation in the City of Kirksville's  
Adopt-A-Street Program**

**Sponsored by Emily Smith, External Affairs Committee Chair; Luke Rascher, Jose Reyes,  
and Irete Rotimi, Committee Members**

WHEREAS,

- The Student Government is the official governing body of the Student Association and exists to represent the present and long term best interests of the Student Association in the formulation of the University policy and in the fulfillment of the University's mission; and
- Student Government currently does not have a street assigned for cleanup by the City of Kirksville; and
- The External Affairs Committee strives to promote communication between the Student Association and the greater Kirksville community; and
- Student Government values the connection between the Student Association and the City of Kirksville; and
- Service opportunities within the city are a good way to further that connection; and
- In the past, the External Affairs Committee has experienced difficulties in communicating with local organizations to orchestrate service opportunities; and
- Adopting a street through Kirksville's Adopt-A-Street program provides a service opportunity that must be completed twice a calendar year; and
- Such service events serve to demonstrate the Student Government's commitment to the community; and
- Other on-campus groups currently maintain adopted streets; and
- External Affairs committee members have initiated correspondence with the City of Kirksville's Public Works Department to participate in the Adopt-A-Street Program; and
- Adopting a street is a straightforward process with no associated costs;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT,

- Recognizes the value of participating in the Adopt-A-Street program; and
- Will adopt a street through the program before November 1st, 2020; and

- Recommends holding a mandatory street clean up session organized by the External Affairs Committee for Student Government members each semester, in compliance with the program's guidelines.

THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT DIRECTS THAT,

Additional copies of this resolution be disseminated to President Sue Thomas; Board of Governors; Janna Stoskopf, Vice President for Student Affairs; Office of Special Collections and the Truman Media Network.

Passed by Unanimous Consent, April 19, 2020.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Deanna Schmidt". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "D" and a long, sweeping underline.

Deanna Schmidt, President of the Student Association.