

**STUDENT GOVERNMENT
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING
November 18, 2020**

Called to order: 7:50 p.m.

1) Preliminary Items

a) Roll Call

2) Auxiliary Reports

a) Speaker of the Student Senate

i) Smith:

(1) No report

(2) I'm proud of my resolution; looking forward to more gavel swinging; I'm proud of Kiren for doing a good job with External

b) Academic Affairs Committee Chair

i) Purinton:

(1) No report

(2) Proud of conversations and knowledge gained from Santino talking to the symposium committee and to see the impact of our efforts as a body, as well as the insights I have gained from Bertha Thomas; looking forward to working with John Marx on helping undecided students in their self and society experience; shout out to Shania for your honesty and graciousness, your work ethic, and your powerful advocacy; and thanks to everyone for your professionalism, your willingness to advocate for students, and your leadership

c) Diversity Committee Chair

i) Montúfar:

(1) Money motion for land acknowledgement art commission was passed

(a) Laura has been in communication with the artist about getting the contract set up -- set for January!

(2) Projects for break will be land acknowledgement, micro-fund research, DPS focus group, ABC petition, and LGBTQ+ resource center

(3) Proud of my committee being able to accomplish goals despite hectic semester and to be in somewhat of an advisory role with other committees and organizations; looking forward to taking a break next semester and taking a mindfulness class; shout out to Caroline

d) Environmental Affairs Committee Chair

i) Kershaw:

(1) No report

(2) Proud of getting the compostable take out boxes, after a lot of hard work; looking forward to birdhouses and divestment resolution for next semester; shout out to Warren for pulling Student Appreciation Week together, despite challenges, and for stepping into committee leadership as a freshman

e) External Affairs Committee Chair

i) MacLeod:

(1) Mask mandate resolution is written; Katie and Josh have looked it over, will send it out to ExComm channel for more feedback

- (2) Most proud of election day resolution; looking forward to working on biking project with Emma Rollings and working with county clerk's office on precinct lines; shout out to Josh for being a good vice president and a helpful resource and good friend

f) Health, Wellness, and Safety Co-Chairs

i) Woods:

- (1) Will be starting work on the wellness brochure; everyone has parts written and will be double checking information at meeting
- (2) Proud of focusing on mindfulness and helping quarantine students; looking forward to wellness brochure getting finalized; shout out to Adam for being so supportive both in terms of business and in general

ii) Barker:

- (1) Proud of committee members working with various faculty and staff on campus and for ResLife communications; looking forward to addressing some policies on mental health crises on campus next semester; shout out to Jesse for being a fantastic treasurer, for putting in a lot of work outside of treasurer position, and for being such an inspiration

g) Purple Friday Committee Chair

i) Myers:

- (1) January 22nd for welcome back Purple Friday -- \$99
- (2) Waiting to see if there are new options for tabling next semester
- (3) Proud of pulling off the Halloween purple friday; looking forward to doing a "complete purple friday"; shout out to Ethan for being a good guy to talk to and get to know, even outside of Student Government

h) Student Affairs Committee Chair

i) Barge:

- (1) Student Appreciation Week tabling went well today -- lots of folks showed up to the table!
 - (a) T-shirts will come tomorrow
- (2) Proud of becoming a member of Student Government and learning a leadership mindset, as well as the outcome for Student Appreciation Week; looking forward to working with different organizations at Truman next semester to make sure StuGov has solid relationships with them; shout out to Kiren for helping me out with joining Student Government, to Jesse for answering questions and being a good person, and to Sam for being a hard worker in Student Affairs and for coming up with good ideas

3) Executive Reports

a) Treasurer

i) Wren:

- (1) No report
- (2) Proud of how smoothly everything went; looking forward to appropriations next semester; shout out to Katie for being a mentor, for being true to herself, and for being a phenomenal and inspiring leader

b) Secretary

i) Lesch:

- (1) No report

- (2) Proud of taking up this position despite misgivings; looking forward to getting to know everyone more next semester and getting the shared Drive set up; shout out to Sutton for being a kind presence and for doing such a great job stepping into Academic Affairs, as well as for working to help support faculty and staff
- c) The President and Vice President of the Student Association
 - i) German:
 - (1) We got masks that were supposed to be for Truman Week
 - (2) Quarter zips are in!
 - (3) Most proud of Rainbow Friday event; looking forward to seeing what more we can do with the city; shout out to Emily for doing a great job as a speaker, keeping discussion directed and engaged, and for answering questions about the standing rules and the constitution
 - ii) Alexander:
 - (1) Meeting with President Thomas:
 - (a) Statewide lockdown would be the only situation in which we would not return to campus; city restrictions might be an issue, but no clear solution as of yet
 - (b) Discussed feedback for strategic plan, mentioned qualitative analysis; these sorts of things would end up in the definitions of the KPIs, but specific ways of analyzing data won't appear in the general descriptions of the plan
 - (i) Would also like students to be more involved in the process for feedback and would like StuGov to help develop this involvement
 - (c) Montúfar: More discussions regarding ABC petition?
 - (i) German: She is open to having further conversations
 - (2) Most proud of how we moved through this semester as an organization and seeing all we have accomplished; looking forward to trying to finish up longer-term projects and creating a good end-of-year report; shout out to Tori for being positive and encouraging and kind, and for helping others feel better even when you weren't feeling your best

Adjourned: 8:51 p.m.