



Student Government Resolution 091.017

A Resolution to Allow All On Campus Meal Plan Options to Be Offered Off Campus

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
- As per Arete, the Student Senate Vision Document, Sodexo should support “students, whether they live off or on campus, eat[ing] in the dining halls and the Student Union Building, or grab[ing] a quick meal from the convenience store;¹” and
- Sodexo currently offers four different meal plan options for on campus residents:
 - 220 Meals plus \$50.00 Dining Dollars
 - 165 Meals plus \$100.00 Dining Dollars
 - 140 Meals plus \$150.00 Dining Dollars
 - 20 meals per week; and
- Students living off campus are currently offered only one meal plan:
 - 165 Meals plus \$100.00 Dining Dollars; and
- Off campus students are ineligible for the meal plan options available to on campus students.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT,

- The Student Government supports the effort of Sodexo, Inc. to allow students living off campus the option of purchasing any meal plan offered to students living on campus.

THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT OF TRUMAN STATE UNIVERSITY DIRECTS THAT,

- Additional copies of the resolution be disseminated to the members of the Board of Governors, University President Dr. Darrell W. Krueger, Dean of Student Affairs Lou Ann Gilchrist, Sodexo, Inc. General Manager Dennis Markeson, University Budget Director Dave Rector, and the Truman Media Network.

Passed March 15, 2009

By a Vote of 7 – 0 – 0

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¹ Truman Tomorrow: Arete