STUDENT SENATE
FINAL BILL  2017-001

June 25, 2016

Authored by: Danny Summers, Student Senate Chief of Staff

A BILL TO AMEND STUDENT RULES AND REGULATIONS, APPENDIX B

WHEREAS, the Preamble of the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states that “[t]he Student Senate shall work to build a vital and thriving University community encompassing students,” and

WHEREAS, “[t]he Student Senate shall work to represent students at all levels as a part of the University governance,” and

WHEREAS, Appendix B should be updated yearly to accurately reflect student representation within the University governance,

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled that Student Rules and Regulations Appendix B be amended by the following:

APPENDIX B

B.1 This appendix lists the boards and committees that have Student Senate representation.

B.2 Committees (in addition to four standing committees) and boards within the Student Senate.
1. Status of Minorities Subcommittee
2. Campus Fee Review Subcommittee
3. Student Safety Advisory Board
4. Center for Community Outreach Advisory Board
5. Elections Commission
6. KJHK Advisory Board
7. Legal Services for Students Advisory Board
8. Newspaper Readership Program Advisory Board
9. Recreation Advisory Board
10. Student Environmental Advisory Board
11. Student Health Advisory Board
12. Student Legislative Awareness Board
13. Educational Opportunity Fund
14. Athletics Sports Advisory Board
15. Student Retention Advisory Board
16. Student Executive Committee (StudEx)
17. The Student Survey Board
18. Multicultural Education Fund Board
19. Counseling And Psychological Services Advisory Board
20. Student Senate Outreach Board
B.3 Committees and Boards within University Senate.
1. Academic Computing/Telecommunications Committee and Electronic Communications Committee
2. Academic Procedures and Policies Committee
3. Calendar Committee
4. International Affairs Committee
5. University Judicial Board
6. Libraries Committee and Library Appeals Committee
7. Organization and Administration Committee
8. Planning and Resources Committee
9. Senate Executive Committee (SenEx)
10. Transit Commission
11. University Senate
12. Parking Commission
13. University Events Committee

B.4 Committee within Student Involvement and Leadership Center
1. Office & Cubicle Space Committee
2. Optional Campus Fees

B.5 Committees and Boards within the University of Kansas
1. Athletics Advisory Committee
2. Chancellor’s Awards Committee
3. Center for Teaching Excellence Advisory Board
4. Coke Committee
5. Emily Taylor Center for Women and Gender Equity Advisory Board
6. Friends of the Lied Center and Lied Series Board
7. Memorial Corporation Board (Unions)
8. Tuition Advisory Board
9. University Daily Kansan Board
10. University Core Curriculum Committee (UCCC)
11. KU Retail Dining Concepts Advisory Committee
12. Title IX Roundtable Committee
13. Student Housing Advisory Board
14. University of Kansas Athletic Corporation Board
15. Revolving Green Loan Fund
16. Sustainability Leadership Board

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A BILL TO AMEND STUDENT RULES AND REGULATIONS, APPENDIX M

WHEREAS, the Preamble of the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states that “[t]he Student Senate shall work to build a vital and thriving University community encompassing students, faculty, and administration,” and

WHEREAS, “[t]he Student Senate shall work to increase access and input in University policy decisions and the educational process,” and

WHEREAS, the Student Senate Outreach Policy allows for the Student Senator to represent their constituency and promote increase transparency, participation, and community engagement from University students,

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled that Student Rules and Regulations Appendix M be amended by the following:

Appendix M

Outreach Policy 2016-2017

1.1 Minimum Standards (per semester). The following guidelines are required to be in compliance with the Student Senate Outreach Policy. Senators will be classified as either In Good Standing or Not in Good Standing with regard to personal outreach on behalf of Senate, their constituency, as well as the University of Kansas and Lawrence community as a whole.

1.2 Senators determined as In Good Standing have met the minimum outreach standards. Senators who are Not In Good Standing will be required to meet with the Chief of Staff for the purpose of addressing non-compliance with Outreach requirements, as outlined in Student Senate Rules and Regulations Article III Section 1.5 Responsibilities of a Student Senator: Outreach. Everyone begins each semester in good standing. It is at the discretion of the Chief of Staff and Communications Director to determine the status of Outreach Policy compliance as In Good Standing or Not in Good Standing. It is the duty of the Internal Affairs director to communicate each deadline in a timely manner and to keep a record of compliance with the requirements of this outreach policy.

1.3 Failure to fulfill each of these requirements means that you are not in good standing. The Chief of Staff will call a meeting with those determined to be “not in good standing” in the interest of providing counsel toward regaining In Good Standing status.
A. Schedule and attend a short one-on-one meeting with one member of Executive Staff. The Chief of Staff will act as the facilitator of meetings. Due: Fall Break

B. Hold an outreach meeting with Senate members of the same constituency (once per semester) and report to Internal Affairs Director. The purpose of coordinating with your fellow senators is to determine how an effective outreach effort is maintained with constituents.

C. Participate in Student Senate Outreach Week.

D. Contact assigned organizations before Cycle 2 to introduce yourself as their Student Senate contact and address any questions concerning funding, senate structure, pertinent items (beginning of each semester). From there, senators must meet with their assigned constituency to speak about Student Senate funding and other opportunities provided by Student Senate (once per semester).

E. Author and/or Sponsor at least one (1) piece of Legislation for Student Senate by end of each semester.

F. Social media. Sustain an active and positive Student Senate presence on all web-based technologies. It is the responsibility of Student Senators to follow Student Senate’s online outlets (including Facebook, Twitter, Instagram) and engage with posts in the form of sharing, liking, retweeting etc., in addition to any information concerning Student Senate in a professional capacity (University Daily Kansan articles, Lawrence Journal World Articles, Student Senate Press Releases, Student Senate Initiatives).
   a. If/when you tweet about Student Senate matters, use #KUSenate. Your use of our official hashtag is preferred over @-mentioning our official Twitter account, @KUSenate
   b. If/when you post about Student Senate on other social media platforms, tag us on Facebook:
      Student Senate | University of Kansas and Instagram: kusenate.

G. Attend at least one (1) event funded by Student Senate by end of each semester. Documentation must be provided to the Communications Director within 48 hours of an event. Acceptable documentation includes, but is not limited to: written evidence (a flier, pamphlet, brochure, etc.); a photo (which can be posted on social media but must tag Senate in some way.

H. Attend at least two (2) of the educational events facilitated by Student Senate and provide documentation to the Student Senate Internal Affairs Director within five (5) academic days after the event. These events will occur once a month and/or four times per semester. Dates and times will be communicated by the Internal Affairs director.

I. Attend or show involvement in at least one (1) Community Outreach or Service event. This includes CCO, SLAB or any civic engagement/election-related events. Evidence of participation will be at the discretion of the Chief of Staff and Communications Director once put in contact with the Government Relations Director and/or Center for Community Outreach Director.

J. Standing Committee Chairs are responsible for maintaining an active presence on social media for each respective committee. This includes the overall maintenance of the Committee-specific Twitter account as designed in conjunction with the Communications Director. Each standing committee will have its own Twitter account, which is to be overseen by the Vice-Chair of that committee and kept active.

Graduate, Law, Non-Traditional and Pharmacy Senators are required to remain “in good standing.” Clause B, D, E and G are mandatory for Graduate, Law, Non-Tradational and Pharmacy Senators to fulfill outreach standards. The remaining clauses are encouraged. Accommodations and Exceptions will be personally communicated by the Chief of Staff and/or Communications Director before the end of Cycle 1.

Executive Outreach

1. These are outreach policies which apply to Executive Staff members that are in addition to their regular position requirements as outlined in SSRR.

   A. Attend the Executive Staff Safe Zone training
B. Work in teams to meet with each Multicultural student group at least once per semester.
C. Attend at least two Office of Multicultural Affairs event.
D. Participate in each continued cultural competency and educational training event that is administered through Student Senate.
E. Attend at least two Student Senate associated Community Outreach or Service events.

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A BILL TO AMEND STUDENT RULES AND REGULATIONS, APPENDIX O

WHEREAS, the Preamble of the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states that “[t]he Student Senate shall work to build a vital and thriving University community encompassing students, faculty, and administration,” and

WHEREAS, the Office Hour Policy is vital to keep the Student Senators involved with the workings of the Student Senate Executive Staff, and

WHEREAS, the policy allows for direct communication with student organizations and groups as well as promote accountability on Student Senators’ assistance and outreach capabilities,

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate has assembled that Student Rules and Regulations Appendix O be amended by the following:

APPENDIX O

Office Hour Policy

1.1 All Student Senators (with the exception of Graduate, Non-Traditional, Law, Pharmacy, and University Senate Student Senators as outlined in Student Senate Rules and Regulations 3.1.2.1) are required to determine their individually tailored office hour plan after meetings with either a Student Senate Executive Staff member or the Student Senate Chief of Staff.

1.2 In lieu of tangible office hours required each cycle, Student Senators are granted the autonomy to write bills, conduct outreach, office assistance etc., on their own time. It is the responsibility of the Student Senator to communicate with either the Student Senate Chief of Staff, Communications Director or Internal Affairs Director as pertinent items are being completed.

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A BILL TO AMEND STUDENT RULES AND REGULATIONS, APPENDIX L

WHEREAS, the Preamble of the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states that “[t]he Student Senate shall work to build a vital and thriving University community encompassing students, faculty, and administration,” and

WHEREAS, the Office Policy Manual is the Student Senators, Standing Committee Chairs, Court of Appeals Justices, and Elections Commission members accountable for their actions while within the office, and

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate has assembled that Student Rules and Regulations Appendix L be amended by the following:

Appendix L

Office Policy Manual
Student Senate | University of Kansas
Revised August 2016

As approved by the Student Executive Committee

ARTICLE I. FOREWORD

1.1 This Policy Manual has been established for the members and the Executive Staff of the University of Kansas Student Senate. This manual shall not replace or override Student Senate Rules and Regulations but shall exist as a supplementary manual to aid in the clarification of office policy. This manual is empowered by the authority of the Student Executive Committee, as stated in Student Senate Rules and Regulations Article VI, Sections 1.4 and 1.4.5.

1.2 Each member of the Student Senate and its Executive Staff are to be held accountable to the expectations herein established. The Policy Manual shall be distributed to each member of the Senate body and the Executive Staff at the time they take their respective offices. The Policy Manual will be available upon request in the Student Senate Office.

1.3 In the case of the Executive Staff, the Policy Manual and aforementioned document shall be used in addition to the standard student appointment packet and student contract form which specifies that “students appointed to positions at the University of Kansas are subject to all provisions of the laws of Kansas and of the regulations, minutes and resolutions of the Board of Regents and of the University of Kansas.”
1.4 The members of the Student Senate shall include, but not necessarily be limited to: Student Senators, Standing Committee Chairs, Court of Appeals Justices, and Elections Commission members.

1.5 The Executive Staff shall include the Student Body President, Student Body Vice President, Student Senate Chief of Staff, Student Senate Treasurer, Student Senate Assistant Treasurer, Student Senate Communications Director, Transportation Coordinator, Center for Community Outreach Co-Directors, Student Senate Government Relations Director, Student Senate Director of Diversity & Inclusion, and Student Senate Policy & Development Director.

ARTICLE II. GENERAL OFFICE POLICY

Section 1. APPLIANCE

2.1.1 The following policies of Article II shall apply to both the members of the Student Senate and the Student Senate Executive Staff.

Section 2. OFFICE PROTOCOL

2.2.1 The function of the Student Senate Office is to act as a work place for members of the Student Senate and the Executive Staff.

2.2.2 The Student Senate Office is to be used primarily for Student Senate related work with all other matters being secondary.

2.2.3 The Student Senate Office is to be a welcoming environment in which sensitives are shown for individual and cultural differences all while fostering open dialogues and active listening.

2.2.4 In the absence of the Student Senate Staff Assistant, members of Student Senate shall politely and professionally offer their services to all people who enter the Student Senate office, assisting them as thoroughly as possible.

2.2.5 Any person found in violation of these policies as stated in Section 2 by the Executive Staff or the Student Senate Staff Assistant will be asked to cease such activity. Should said behavior continue, the person(s) will be asked to leave the office, and will be subject to disciplinary action found acceptable by the Student Senate Executive Committee.

Section 3. OFFICE SUPPLIES & RESOURCES

2.3.1 Telephones, computers, copying machine and fax machine are available for use by Student Senate Executive Staff. Other registered student organizations for Student Senate or organizational business may ask for usage of these machines upon request.

2.3.2 Personal use of telephones, computers, copying machine and fax machine are permitted as long as they do not interfere with normal business operations in the Student Senate Office and are kept to a minimum.

2.3.3 Responsible Purchasing: Any corporation, organization, or group using Student Campus Fees for the purpose of purchasing paper products as per purchasing contracts of the State of Kansas, may not be able to purchase paper marketed for the purpose of copier and printer use at a content of less than thirty percent (30%) post-consumer recycled. This includes organizations, corporations, or groups that receive funding raised through Student Campus fees that cannot differentiate whether their purchases is from Student Campus Fees or another funding source.
2.3.4 Energy Consumption: The Student Senate Staff Assistant and/or Student Senate Executive Staff members shall shut down all computers, printers, copiers and other electronic appliances and turn off the office lights when he or she leaves the Student Senate office for the day, excluding days of scheduled meetings of the Student Senate or its Standing Committees. If any electronic appliance is in use by a Student Senator or a member of a Student Senate funded group, he or she shall be responsible for shutting down the appliances in use upon completion of whatever task in which they are engaged.

2.3.4.1 On days of scheduled meetings of the Student Senate, the Student Senate Executive Secretary shall be responsible for shutting down all electronic appliances and lights in the Student Senate office once the Senate adjourns.

2.3.4.2 On days of scheduled meetings of the Standing Committees of the Student Senate, the Secretary of the last Standing Committee to adjourn shall be responsible for shutting down all electronic appliances and lights in the Student Senate office.

2.3.4.3 All Student Senate Executive Staff members shall be responsible for turning off the lights and electronic appliances in their offices before leaving each day.

Section 4. OFFICE CAMPAIGN POLICY

2.4.1 No campaigning shall be allowed within the Student Senate Office.

A. Campaigning shall include, but not be limited to, speeches, meetings, electronic communication (e-mail messages, fax messages, phone messaging, etc.), discussions, recruitment, and flyer, button, or poster distribution, use of Social Media (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Skype, Reddit, Tumblr, etc.).

2.4.2 No campaign materials shall be allowed within the Student Senate Office.

A. Campaign materials shall include, but not be limited to, buttons, flyers, posters, banners, T-Shirts, campaign giveaways, etc.

2.4.3 Campaign activities should not keep Executive Staff members from fulfilling their duties to the best of their abilities and must make the Student Senate Chief of Staff aware of their involvement in the upcoming election season.

Section 5. THE STUDENT SENATE LIST SERV

2.5.1 The Student Body Vice President shall oversee all maintenance of the Student Senate listserv.

2.5.1.1 The Student Body Vice President must ensure that the listserv is transitioned to the incoming Vice President before the joint session in the Spring.

2.5.2 Purposes.

A. The SENATE-L listserv shall exist to transmit information regarding Senate meetings, office hours, legislation, and Senator opportunities. This listserv shall also serve as a vehicle for discussion on Student Senate related issues.

B. The SENATE-L listserv shall not be used for any partisan act during elections. Emails gathered by Student Senate shall not be made available for any coalition and/or candidates participating in the election process.

2.5.3 Guidelines.
A. Messages that do not address the purpose of the mailing list are prohibited. The list administrator should be contacted to determine the appropriate content for any mailing list.

B. Messages regarding university, local, state or national campaigns are prohibited.

C. Personal attacks on subscribers are strictly prohibited. Such conduct will not be tolerated and can result in a loss of privileges. Excessive or unnecessary profanity is also prohibited and should always be avoided in any correspondence with another individual. One warning shall be issued before privileges are revoked.

D. Commercial postings and advertisements are not allowed. No individual is to use the mailing list in order to SPAM, or provide unsolicited, inappropriate, bulk e-mail to the subscribers.

2.5.4 Disciplinary Action. The Student Body Vice President reserves the right to unsubscribe any person who is deemed unfit to interact on the list (if their presence on the list is not healthy for the support of open discussion). If there has been an offensive remark made by some subscriber, the list administrator may remove the offender without warning. Any appeals can be made through writing or in person to the Student Senate Chief of Staff person, to be heard by the Student Executive Committee.

ARTICLE III. EXECUTIVE STAFF OFFICE HOUR POLICIES

Section 1. APPLIANCE

3.1.1 The following policies of Article III and IV shall apply only to Executive Staff Members.

3.1.2 All policies as stated in Article I of the Policy Manual shall apply to Article III of the Policy Manual.

Section 2. ATTENDANCE

3.2.1 Regular attendance during all scheduled hours of work, reporting for work on time, and continuing to work to the end of the work period are expected of every Executive Staff member.

3.2.2 The Student Senate Staff Assistant shall be responsible for monitoring the attendance of Executive Staff office hours and informing the Student Senate Chief of Staff of any attendance problems.

3.2.3 Attendance is also expected at Standing Committees, Full Senate, the Student Executive Committee, and Staff Meetings scheduled by the Student Body President, Student Body Vice President, or the Chief of Staff.

Section 3. WORK ROUTINE.

3.3.1 Hours of work.

A. Executives Staff members shall be responsible for setting their own respective office hours with the Student Body Vice President and Student Senate Chief of Staff. Hours are to be given in writing to the Student Senate Staff Assistant at the beginning of each semester of their term.

B. Executives shall be held accountable for maintaining these specific office hours.
C. These hours may be modified at any time through the Executive Staff member’s term, provided that the Student Senate Staff Assistant is notified one (1) week in advance.

D. Office hours must be posted on the individual’s office door.

3.3.2 Executive staff members are expected to meet the goals and expectations set with the Chief of Staff.

ARTICLE IV. CONFERENCE ROOM USAGE

4.1 The conference room should be made primarily available for official Student Senate business.

4.2 Other organizations may utilize the conference room, but this privilege does not take precedence over Student Senate’s use of the room. Student Senate reserves the right to deny any request, made by non-Senate personnel, to reserve the conference room. Reservations must be made with the Student Senate Staff Assistant at least 72 hours before the room will be needed. Use is subject to approval by the Student Senate Staff Assistant or the Student Senate Chief of Staff.

4.3 The conference room will not be reserved for more than 3 hours a day for non-Senate use, unless approved by the Student Senate Staff Assistant or the Student Senate Chief of Staff.

ARTICLE V. DISCIPLINARY ACTION FOR EXECUTIVE STAFF

Section 1. Failure to comply with any the Policy Manual may result in the following procedures:

5.1.1 Formal written warning by the Student Body President, Student Body Vice President, the Student Senate Chief of Staff, or the Student Executive Committee, shall be made to the individual in question.

5.1.2 Said individual and the sponsoring Executive Staff member will meet within one week of the formal complaint at which time both parties will review the expectations agreed upon at the beginning of the term. Upon the completion of this review, said individual is required to sign a statement that clarifies the expectations, and the potential consequences of noncompliance.

5.1.3 Additional failures to comply with aspects of the Policy Manual may result in the suspension or removal of the individual in violation of the Policy Manual. This removal may come from the Student Body President or the Student Executive Committee.

5.1.4 Failure to comply with aspects of the Policy Manual by the Student Body President or the Student Body Vice President may result in the execution of Article IV, Section 11 V, Section 16 as stated in the Student Senate Rules and Regulations.

ARTICLE VI. POLICY MANUAL REVISION AND APPROVAL

Section 1. REVISION

6.1.1 The Policy Manual shall be revised as necessary by the Student Senate Executive Committee.

6.1.2 Revisions shall be made by a majority vote of the Student Senate Executive Committee.

Section 2. APPROVAL

6.2.1 The Student Executive Committee shall have the power to approve the Policy Manual.
6.2.2 Approval of the Policy Manual shall be made by a majority vote of the Student Senate Executive Committee.

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STUDENT SENATE
FINAL BILL 2017-005

June 25th, 2016

Author: Allyssa Castilleja, Student Senate Treasurer

A BILL TO SUPPLEMENT THE CENTER FOR SEXUALITY AND GENDER DIVERSITY (SGD) COORDINATOR SALARY

WHEREAS, the Preamble to Student Senate Rules and regulations states, “The KU Student Senate shall work to enhance the learning experience of all KU students both in and out of the classroom” and,

WHEREAS, the Preamble to Student Senate Rules and regulations states, “Members of Student Senate and standing committees shall use cultural sensitivity. This includes allowing for full discussion, questions, and answers to ensure that the voting body adequately understands the heritage, event, and unique needs of a student organization,” and,

WHEREAS, the Center for Sexuality and Gender Diversity (SGD) is a clearinghouse of information regarding issues affecting the gender and/or sexuality minority community (LGBTQIA+) — as well as our straight friends, family members and allies and,

WHEREAS, the federal Department of Labor has made its final determination for revisions to the Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA) to establish new salary minimums necessary for positions to retain salaried (exempt) status and,

WHEREAS, that annual minimum amount is $47,476.00 ($913.00 weekly) and,

WHEREAS, the SGD coordinator currently makes $41,300, which means that without Student Senate’s monetary support, they will not be allowed to work over 40 hours after December 1st, 2016.
THEREFORE, be it enacted by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled that the sum of $7,370 be allocated from the Student Senate Reserve Account to the SGD Coordinator

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STUDENT SENATE
FINAL BILL  2017-006

June 25th, 2016

Author: Allyssa Castilleja, Student Senate Treasurer

Sponsors: Mady Womack, Student Senate Government Relations Director
Ike Uri, Center for Community Outreach Executive Director
Elizabeth Hazelwood, Alternative Breaks Co-Director
Danny Summers, Student Senate Chief of Staff

A BILL TO FUND THE STUDENT SENATE, CENTER FOR COMMUNITY OUTREACH,
AND ALTERNATIVE BREAKS EXECUTIVE STAFF

WHEREAS, the Preamble to Student Senate Rules and regulations states, “The KU Student
Senate shall work to enhance the learning experience of all KU students both in
and out of the classroom” and,

WHEREAS, in order to fulfill the duties in Article V, the Student Senate Executive Staff must
work over the summer and,

WHEREAS, in order to fulfill the Center for Community Outreach’s mission as laid out in their
by-laws, the CCO Executive Staff must work over the summer and,

WHEREAS, in order to fulfill the Alternative Breaks’ mission and hold summer break
opportunities, the Alternative Breaks’ Co-Directors must work over the summer and,

WHEREAS, working over the summer will put the executive staff members of these three
student groups over 45 weeks for the year and,

WHEREAS, an employee cannot work in a paid position without being compensated and,

WHEREAS, without this transfer, these student organizations would not be in compliance with
HR policies and,

THEREFORE, be it enacted by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled that the
sum of $19,499 be allocated from the Student Senate Reserve Account to Alternative Breaks,
Center for Community Outreach, and Student Senate for hourly and salary wages.
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STUDENT SENATE
FINAL BILL 2017-007

June 25, 2016

Author: Ike Uri, Center for Community Outreach Executive Director

Sponsors: Insia Zufer, Center for Community Outreach Managing Director

A BILL TO FUND THE CENTER FOR COMMUNITY OUTREACH INTO THE STREETS WEEK DIRECTOR

WHEREAS, the Preamble to Student Senate Rules and regulations states, “The Student Senate shall work to further the cultural, social, and political growth of KU students” and,

WHEREAS, the Center for Community Outreach is under Student Senate’s purview and,

WHEREAS, the CCO holds Into the Streets Week (ITSW) in the Spring and during this week of service, each CCO program hosts an event, focusing on either volunteering, advocacy, or a presentation on a topic pertinent to both community service and KU students. Additionally, a keynote speaker always begins the week and,

WHEREAS, the week has been planed for years by two or three coordinators. While this did provide these students experience in event planning, they were limited in the traditional CCO "coordinator experience." They did not work directly with nonprofits, had very little to do during the spring semester, and were overloaded in March and April and,

WHEREAS, the Executive and Managing Directors decided that in 2015-2016, the Development Director would plan the event and,

WHEREAS, the planning of I.TSW does not fit within the purview of the Development Director position. This year’s process was frustrating both for our Development Director and the rest of the staff to negotiate the planning and,

WHEREAS, the CCO Advisory Board has redefined the role for the Development Director for the upcoming academic year, not including any I.TSW responsibilities due to the difficulty of finding a person proficient with both development related tasks (fundraising, alumni outreach, internal growth and development, etc.) and I.TSW (event planning) and,

WHEREAS, because of the reasons listed above, the CCO would like to create a new position that would be responsible for planning I.TSW. Addressing previous concerns, this
person serving on the CCO’s staff in a paid position would eliminate concerns that came with the coordinator model while also solving issues that arose when the Development Director was asked to fill this role and,

WHEREAS, this person would be hired in the fall because ideally the position would have flexibility to attend meetings and begin preliminary work during the fall semester. At 14 weeks with 10 hours per week during the spring, plus 20 hours total during the fall semester, this would total 160 hours. Paid at $8/hour, this totals $1,280.00.

THEREFORE, be it enacted by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled that the sum of $1,280 be allocated from the Student Senate Reserve Account to the Center for Community Outreach for the Into the Streets Week Director.

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FINAL BILL  2017-008

June 25, 2016

Authored by:  Connor Birzer, Student Senate Communications Director

A BILL TO FUND ADVERTISING WITH THE UNIVERSITY DAILY KANSAN

WHEREAS, the Preamble of the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states that "[t]he Student Senate shall work to further the cultural, social, and political growth of KU students," and

WHEREAS, "[t]he Student Senate Communications Director shall be responsible for managing the Student Advertising Program," and

WHEREAS, these funds will provide advertising for freshman elections and general Student Senate engagement, and

WHEREAS, $195.50 remains of the 2015-2016 advertising contract with the University Daily Kansan ending July 31, 2016, and

WHEREAS, the date marking the end of the Student Senate FY (June 15, 2016) has passed,

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled that the following amount will be drawn from the unallocated funds in order to fulfill the Kansan contract:

3 sponsored @KansanNews tweets  $112.50
Print ad (2.43x5in black & white; July 11)  $70.00

TOTAL  $182.50

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A BILL TO AMEND STUDENT RULES AND REGULATIONS, Article IV, Section 1

WHEREAS,  the Preamble of the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states that “[t]he Student Senate shall work to build a vital and thriving University community encompassing students, faculty, and administration,” and

WHEREAS,  “[t]he Student Senate shall work to increase access and input in University policy decisions and the educational process,” and

WHEREAS,  the Student Senate Outreach Policy allows for the Student Senator to represent their constituency and promote increase transparency, participation, and community engagement from University students,

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate has assembled that Student Rules and Regulations Article IV, Section 1 be amended

ARTICLE V. STUDENT SENATE EXECUTIVE STAFF

Section 1. RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT

5.1.1 The Student Body President shall execute no less than the following responsibilities:

5.1.2 The Student Body President shall execute and enforce the University Senate CODE where it does apply to a position.

5.1.3 The Student Body President may approve or veto bills, petitions, and resolutions. If legislation is not signed within ten (10) days, the legislation automatically takes effect. Student Senate may override a Presidential veto by two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present and voting. (Senate CODE, Article V, Section 4).

5.1.4 STANDING COMMITTEES. The Student Body President may direct the attention of any standing committee as provided in Article VI, Section 2.2.1, to legislation or other matters.

5.1.5 SPECIAL COMMITTEES. The Student Body President may appoint committees and commissions to study matters, make reports, and propose legislation.

5.1.6 The Student Body President shall appoint student members to the boards of the Student Senate in accordance with Article VI, Section 3.1. These appointments are subject to
the approval of the Student Senate by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present and voting. After initial approval, the Student Body President may update and amend the membership of committees based on adequate attendance and participation and update the Student Senate on a semesterly basis.

5.1.7 The Student Body President may augment the membership of any Student Senate board or committee with ex officio, non-voting members if the President sees fit.

5.1.8 The Student Body President shall appoint executive officers of the Student Senate (Student Senate Chief of Staff, Student Senate Communications Director, Director of Internal Affairs, Student Senate Graduate Affairs Director, Student Senate Treasurer, Student Senate Assistant Treasurer and the Government Relations Director, Student Senate Director of Diversity & Inclusion, and Student Senate Policy & Development Director) with a majority vote of the Student Senate members, present and voting. Appointed executive officers must be approved individually by the Student Senate members. The Student Body President will, in conjunction with the Finance Committee and the Student Executive Committee, determine the hours and pay scale for the appointed employees.

5.1.8.1 The Student Body President is responsible for direct oversight of the executive officers and the Staff Secretary. This oversight shall include, but not be limited to: reviewing job descriptions, direction of employees, enforcement of the office policy manual (Appendix L) and disciplinary procedures, including removal by appropriate means if necessary in accordance with Article V, Section 15.

5.1.8.2 The Student Body President shall have oversight of the Transportation Coordinator. The oversight by the Student Body President shall be advisory in nature. Any other type of oversight shall be the reserved power of the Transit Commission unless Transit has deferred such powers to the Student Body President.

5.1.8.3 The Student Body President and the Center for Community Outreach Advisory Board shall have joint oversight of the CCO Co-Directors. The oversight by the Student Body President shall be advisory in nature. Any other type of oversight shall be the reserved power of the Center for Community Outreach Advisory Board.

5.1.9 The Student Body President or their designee shall serve as an ex officio member on the following boards and committees:
A. Emily Taylor Women's Resource Center Advisory Board,
B. Kansas Board of Regents Students' Advisory Committee,
C. Memorial Corporation Board,
D. University Senate (non-voting)
E. Student Executive Committee (voting),
F. Campus Fee Review Subcommittee (non-voting),
G. Legal Services for Students Advisory Board (non-voting), may instead provide a designee,
H. Center for Community Outreach Advisory Board (voting),
I. Student Legislative Awareness Board (voting),
J. Student Survey Board, may instead provide a designee,
K. University of Kansas Athletic Corporation Board of Directors,
L. Educational Opportunity Fund (Chair),
M. Student Senate Outreach Board (non-voting).

5.1.10 The Student Body President is responsible for making student appointments to the following boards and committees:
A. Chancellor's Awards Committee,
B. Parking Commission,
C. University Events Committee,
D. Tuition Advisory Board (10),
E. Memorial Corporation Board (4),
F. KJHK Advisory Board (2),
G. Student Health Advisory Board (10) [6.3.2.1],
H. Status of Minorities Subcommittee (2),
I. Legal Services for Students Advisory Board, one of which must be the Vice President or Chief of Staff if they don't designate themselves (1) [6.3.4.1],
J. Recreation Advisory Board [6.3.5.1],
K. Center for Community Outreach Advisory Board [6.3.7.1],
L. Student Safety Advisory Board [6.3.8.1],
M. Student Environmental Advisory Board (2),
N. Any other board, committee or task force created by the university administration, University Governance or Student Senate that mandates appointments by the Student Body President,
O. Student Retention Advisory Board,
P. Between three (3) and six (6) to the Educational Opportunity Fund Board

I. Spencer Museum Student Advisory Board
[6.3.14.2.E].
Q. Three (3) to the Athletic Sports Advisory Board [6.3.15.2],
R. Seven (7) to the Transit Commission (1 representative from Daisy Hill and Able Hawks, the Student Senate Treasurer, and four additional students),
S. One (1) Friends of the Lied Center Board of Directors representative,
T. Four (4) to the KU Retail Dining Concepts Advisory Committee,
U. One (1) to the University Daily Kansan Board,
V. One (1) to the Optional Campus Fees Committee,
W. One (1) to the Student Survey Board, which shall prioritize the Vice President if they do not designate themselves.
X. Newspaper Readership Program Advisory Board (3).
Y. Student Senate Outreach Board (3).

5.1.10.1 Chairs of the following boards shall be appointed for the following academic year no later than the joint session of Student Senate immediately after the Student Senate elections.
A. Student Retention Advisory Board,
B. Student Safety Advisory Board,
C. Newspaper Readership Program Advisory Board,
D. Student Health Advisory Board,
E. Student Recreation Advisory Board,
F. Athletics Sports Advisory Board,
G. Student Environmental Advisory Board,
H. Legal Services for Students Advisory Board,
I. Student Senate Outreach Board.
J. CAPS Advisory Board The **Student Senate Office is to be a welcoming environment in which sensitives are shown for individual and cultural differences all while fostering open dialogues and active listening.**

5.1.10.1.A The ratification of these appointees shall be exempt from the prohibition of considering legislation found in Section 3.3.3.

5.1.10.1.B Upon ratification this amendment shall take effect on July 1, 2008.

5.1.10.1.C Appointments of Chairpersons is subject to 6.3.1 of Student Senate Rules and Regulations.

5.1.11 The Student Body President shall, at the end of their term, compile a comprehensive year-end report. This report shall include all legislation passed by the Student Senate, a copy of the original committee charges, and a report on how those and all other subsequent charges were acted upon.

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Gabby Naylor
Student Body Vice President

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STUDENT SENATE
FINAL BILL 2017-010

August 20th, 2016

Author(s): Allyssa Castilleja, Student Senate Treasurer

A BILL TO FUND SEARCH SYMPOSIUM

WHEREAS, the Preamble to the Student Senate Rules and Regulations states, The KU Student Senate shall work to enhance the learning experience of all KU students both in and out of the classroom, and

WHEREAS, the Student Senate shall work to build a vital and thriving University community encompassing students, faculty, staff, and administration. The Student Senate shall work to strengthen ties between the University community and all the residents of Lawrence and the State of Kansas, and

WHEREAS, the Molecular Graduate Student Organization is a graduate student organization, open to all students, that is registered with the Student Involvement and Leadership Center, and

WHEREAS, the Scientists Exploring nonAcademic caReer CHoices (SEARCH), a subcommittee of the Ecology & Evolutionary Biology (EEB) and Molecular Biology (MB) graduate student organizations, are hosting an inaugural symposium, and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the symposium is as follows: 1) Inform trainees of the diversity of science careers by hosting scientists in occupations including policy, biotechnology/industry, science writing, data science, and government/law, 2) Prepare trainees for non-academic careers by discussing professional skills that students can develop while in graduate school or during postdoctoral training, and 3) Foster connections between trainees and local scientists through a career fair featuring companies seeking advanced-degree job applicants, and

WHEREAS, the symposium will took place on Saturday, April 2, 2016, in Alderson Auditorium in the University of Kansas Union and included a career fair, lunch, a networking reception, and panels and keynote presentations from a variety of prestigious speakers, and
WHEREAS, Dr. Genevieve Smith the Director of Insight Data Science, an intensive fellowship program to help transition academics into the field of data science, will serve as a keynote speaker, and

WHEREAS, Tom De Man, a Bioinformatician at the Centers for Disease Control, will serve as a panelist, and

WHEREAS, other speakers will include: Dr. Meredith Drosback, Assistant Director for Education and Physical Sciences at the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy; Dr. Karen Deak, a patent Lawyer; Dr. Stephen Voght, Technical Editor at the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center, and

WHEREAS, the event is marketed to all students at the University of Kansas, in particular the STEMM students, as well as STEMM graduate students at other local institutions, however, those hoping to attend must register in advance at http://searchsymposium.ku.edu/, and

WHEREAS, additional funds have been supplied by the Biodiversity Institute, Kansas Biological Survey, Department of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology, Department of Molecular Biology, Higuchi Biosciences, and the White House, and

WHEREAS, additional funds have been sought through the Graduate Affairs, and the University of Kansas Office of Research, but have proven unsuccessful, and

WHEREAS, the Molecular Biology Graduate Student Organization requests general funding for any unseen and unpredicted printing costs and office supplies.

WHEREAS, this funding was approved for last year but misinformation from central accounting halted the payment and,

WHEREAS, year end was June 30th, 2016, so this request it to rectify the above situation.

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the University of Kansas Student Senate here assembled that the sum of $1000 be allocated from the Student Senate Unallocated Account to the Molecular Biology Graduate Student Organization for the following:

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