Tentative SGA Resolution 7-12-S

A Resolution to get to know your senator

Whereas: Some students are not adequately aware the Senators representing their colleges/

Whereas: Additional efforts, supported by each college, can contribute to creating student awareness of the Senators elected to serve their respective college.

THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED BY THE 74TH CONGRESS OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION OF MIDDLE TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY THAT:

Section 1: A short profile of the senators of each college be kept on display in the main offices of each respective college. This profile will include a name, photo, major classification, and contact information.

Section 2: These profiles shall also be located on the Student Government Association website.

Sponsored by: Senator Richardson

Co-Sponsors: Senator Mosley
Senator Moore
Senator Horton
Senator Price

[Signatures]
Speaker of the Senate
SGA President
VP of Student Affairs
TO:  Dr. Tom Cheatham, Dean, College of Basic and Applied Sciences
Dr. Terry Whiteside, Dean, College of Behavioral and Health Sciences
Dr. Jim Burton, Dean, College of Business
Dr. Lana Seivers, Dean, College of Education
Dr. Mark Byrnes, Dean, College of Liberal Arts
Dr. Roy Moore, Dean, College of Mass Communication
Dr. Michael Allen, Dean, College of Graduate Studies

FROM: Deb Sells, Ed.D.
Vice President for Student Affairs and
Vice Provost for Enrollment and Academic Services

RE: SGA Resolution 7-12-S

DATE: April 13, 2012

I am forwarding the attached legislation requesting that a short profile of the SGA Senators for your college be placed in the main office of each respective college. The profile would include name, photo, major, classification, and contact information.

Resolutions passed by the Student Government Association are generally understood to be recommendations. Legislation resulting in these resolutions is brought before the SGA by any one or more members of the Senate, and is generally subject to debate within the senate. Senate meetings are open to the full student body, and thus debates are sometimes observed by and/or joined by students other than SGA senators.

Once a resolution has been passed by the Senate, I forward that resolution to the administrator or department most likely to benefit from reviewing the student recommendation. Resolutions are not binding upon administrators or departments, but are generally regarded as expressing the will of the Senate on the issue brought before them. I generally ask the administrator to whom I have forwarded the resolution for some timely response that helps SGA to understand the potential feasibility of the proposal. If, in your opinion, the resolution requests action which is not feasible, I ask for your help in explaining why it is not practical, affordable, or otherwise in the best interest of the university.