

EXECUTIVE ORDER 20-01

Associated Student Government operations for the duration of the 102 session

WHEREAS, the normal operation of Associated Student Government can no longer continue with the current circumstances set forth by the Center for Disease Control (CDC), Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE), Governor Kelly, and Emporia State University;

WHEREAS, the Frost and Goetzinger Administration is committed to creating a safe and equitable process to finish out the business of Associated Student Government;

WHEREAS, several policies and procedures need to be suspended to create a more fair and equitable process for students, Recognized Student Organizations (RSO), and for the entire campus community;

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me as Associated Student Government President, the following changes shall occur for the remainder of the 102 session of Associated Student Government to allow for necessary processes and procedures to occur while adapting to COVID-19:

- 1. The Senate meeting on March 26 has been cancelled to allow for proper preparation to occur while moving the meeting to a virtual setting.
- 2. The Student Senate is no longer required to meet a minimum of seven (7) times for the 102 session of Associated Student Government.
 - a. Senators will be responsible for completing tasks that aid in the preparation for the final Student Senate meetings along with committee work. All other Senator duties have been suspended including, but not limited to: office hours, Senator projects, and college projects.
- 3. In order to not create additional burdens of responsibility the rules of quorum will be suspended. Voting will be determined by simple majority of those voting members present.
- 4. General Order voting for SB 20042 "Allocations for Fiscal Year 2021" will occur on April 9 via a virtual meeting.

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- 5. RSO representation is no longer required at Student Senate meetings to receive allocations for FY 2021.
- 6. Representation is no longer required at Student Senate meetings when trying to seek recognition or re-recognition as an RSO. Electronic communication between the Senate Operations Committee and the RSO leadership will suffice.
 - a. RSOs who have begun the process to become recognized or re-recognized must complete all remaining paperwork and have it turned into the Senate Operations Committee Chair by 5:00PM on April 3 in order to proceed to General Order on April 9. Failure to do so will result in the bill dying in committee and the organization will have to begin the process again in the fall.
 - b. Any new requests made by any RSO or other body governed by ASG will not be entertained this session unless approved by the President of the Senate.
- 7. The required 30 community service hours to maintain recognition status has been waived for the 2019-2020 academic year. All community service hours submitted and approved will roll over into the 2020-2021 re-registration requirement. The re-registration process will continue to be from April 6- April 17 per policy.
- 8. The Love Your Campus Mini Grant funds will be rolled into the 2020-2021 academic year for awardees to complete their proposals. RSOs will not be eligible to reapply for the grant until they have completed their proposal. Funds not used by the end of the Spring 2021 semester will be forfeited.

This document shall be filed with Associated Student Government as Executive Order 20-01. It shall become effective immediately and remain in force unless rescinded.

PRESIDENT,

ASSOCIATED STUDENT GOVERNMENT

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