The tenth meeting of the Fourteenth Senate was called to order by Paige Settles at 5:00pm on November 3, 2015.

The minutes from last meeting were approved by unanimous consent.

**President- Jay Todd Richey:** I’m extremely excited to see all the legislation that’s up for first read. The “It’s On Us” video will soon be completed, and we have scheduled times where it will be shown during WKU sporting events. This Saturday at 7am we will be tabling for the football game. Please stop by to see us.

**Executive Vice President- Nolan Miles:** No report.

**Administrative Vice President- Liz Koehler:** No report.

**Chief of Staff- James Line:** The “I AM a Kentuckian” event last week was very well-attended and informative. I’ll be working with a few organizations on campus to build a coalition for students with disabilities.

**Director of Public Relations- Sawyer Coffee:** I hope everyone voted for Megan Skaggs yesterday, our homecoming queen candidate. I’ve created the poll for “Dub the Pub,” and we’ve already gathered about 245 responses, which is fantastic. We held a meeting for the “It’s On Us” video.

**Director of Academic & Student Affairs- Barrett Greenwell:** All scholarship applications are closed for the semester, so the committees will be working on judging those over the next months. We have a few bills up for first read this week, so please take a look at those.

**Director of Information Technology- Rachel Keightley:** No report.

**Speaker of the Senate- Paige Settles:** Please see my email.

**Secretary of the Senate- Cole McDowell:**

**Academic Affairs- Kate Hart:** We have a lot of scholarships which all have to be graded, so if you would like to help with that, please do.

**Campus Improvements- Zach Jones:** We will have a meeting after senate, and we have two bills up for first read.

**Legislative Research- Megan Skaggs:** Just be sure to read over the few pieces of legislation that are up for first read.

**Public Relations- Emily Pride:** Please attend the homecoming parade! Thanks to everyone who voted in today’s election. Be sure to check up with your academic advisors. Next Thursday, there is a spirit master recruitment event.

**Student Affairs- Temple Ricke:** We have 109 scholarship in, and so far, I’ve only had two or three people stay to help me grade.

**Cultural & Diversity Affairs- Hannah Neeper:** Again, SGA will be tabling at 7am on Saturday for the game. We will have an open forum for international students on Tuesday November 17 to speak to us about issues with living on campus as an international student. The next day, we will have another forum about the Syrian refugee crisis. During this month, we will be posting “Did you know?” posters around campus to feature international students.

**Sustainability- Chelsea Faught:**

**University Committee Reports:**

**Budget Council**: An advisory board that will make recommendations to the president about budget decisions. Our primary issue we are looking at right now is teacher compensation. They want some input from us.

**Campus Dining:** Hoping to have the pub in Garrett and Chili’s open by January. The Passport Bistro opened up yesterday. They are looking into allowing students to use leftover meal plans at the end of each week. They are looking to get rid of Burger Studio down the hill, and replace it with a Moe’s.

**Library Advisory Council:** There were complaints about too much noise in the common areas in the libraries, but they are common areas, so silence is not required. There will be a homecoming buffet this Saturday morning. Some people want more actively quiet study spaces in the library. They are also considering extending their hours both the week before finals and the week of finals.

**Undergraduate Research Committee:** They had a lot of logistical issues sorting out who the officers were, and then they discussed holding a research conference in the spring, possibly trimming it down to a weekend rather than hosting an entire REACH week.

**Judicial Council Report:**

The meeting was adjourned by unanimous consent at 5:47pm.