

**AFFIDAVIT**

Date: February 20, 2017

Purpose: Character Witness



PERSONALLY came and appeared before me, the undersigned Notary, the within named Blake Ruppe & Samantha Dorow, who is a resident of Marquette University, State of Wisconsin, and makes this his/her statement and General Affidavit upon oath and affirmation of belief and personal knowledge that the following matters, facts and things set forth are true and correct to the best of his/her knowledge:


After major reflecting we have come to the decision that we can no longer afford to be silent on the issues facing MUSG. During the past year, there have been infractions made by current President (former Executive-Vice-President) Adam Kouhel. We have composed a list for the infractions which have been committed and have determined that they are all unconstitutional.

To work with budgetary concerns, we were instructed at the time to cut funding by Executive-Vice-President Kouhel in order to maintain the budget. The changes in amounts granted to student organizations were not approved with a vote by the Student Organizations Funding Committee and thus are not constitutionally valid. A short list of some of the organizations effected by this are listed below along with the amounts of money that were cut from their original allocation:

- a. Model U.N. (\$1,380.50 difference)
- b. Mardi Gras (\$1,941.35 difference)
- c. Youth Empowered in the Struggle (\$3,000 difference)
- d. Mazaa (\$1,002.80 difference)
- e. Bayanihan Student Organization (\$1,500 difference)

It is important to note that these reductions were not made through the traditional "price reduction" method, but rather through a haphazard decision which we felt was unfair to the student organizations affected.

  
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