

CHAPTER 104 - MEMBERSHIP STANDARDS ACT

ARTICLE I. STANDARDS FOR MEMBERSHIP

- §1 **AUTHORIZATION.** This chapter is authorized pursuant to Article 3(10)(j) of the Student Government Constitution.
- §2 **PURPOSE.** This chapter outlines the additional standards and responsibilities each member of Student Government can be held accountable in order to promote or advance Student Government.
- §3 **REQUIRED EVENTS.** At the discretion of the President, he may declare any two events sponsored by any component of Student Government to be required events which will count against anyone who fails to attend in the same way as being absent to a required meeting.
- (a) The President must announce a required event thirty (30) days before the event.
 - (b) Excused absences will be allowed in accordance with the standard reporting process for meetings as outlined in the *Standing Rules*.
 - (c) The Senate has the power to overturn or modify the required event at its discretion via a Simple Senate Resolution passed by two-thirds vote.
 - (d) The Senate may also have the power to declare any two (2) additional University functions or Student Government sponsored events to be required for its members, via a Simple Senate Resolution passed by a majority.
 - (e) The House may also have the power to declare any two (2) additional University functions or Student Government sponsored events as mandatory for its members via Simple House Resolution.
- §4 **OUTREACH.** Any Commission or Committee Chair, the Vice President or President may require specific members of Student Government to collect and record feedback from their constituents through an accountable surveying of students.
- (a) When a collection of formal surveys is required, each member must collect information from at least ten (10) distinct members of the student body.
 - (b) Surveys can be created by any committee, Commission or the Cabinet but the Programs Commission will coordinate the cataloging of results.