I. Opening  
   a. Call to Order  
   b. Pledge of Allegiance  
   c. Roll Call: Senator Corbett, Chairperson Wood, and Associate Members Foster and Willim were not in attendance.

II. Hearing of Agenda Related Items

III. President’s Report  
   a. Deadlines to register to vote for surrounding states are Missouri 10/10, Kansas 10/16, Nebraska 10/19, and Iowa 10/27. We still have some cards in our office and if students from Missouri just post mark them by tomorrow they will be registered so let’s really push to get student registered.  
   b. Last week’s Advocacy Hour question was: What do you do to stay safe when you are out on the weekends and off-campus constituents what do you do to keep people safe at parties at your residence?  
      i. Some people responded that they assign designated drivers and go out in groups to stay safe. It was also brought up that we should try to do more programs on campus to educate students about being safe when going out and how to keep other safe.

IV. Vice President’s Report  
   a. Thanks to everyone who has helped with Voter Reg. We currently have 200 people registered to vote which is under our goal, but we are also finding out that many people are already registered so now we really need to focus on transitioning students from getting registered to actually going out and voting.
   b. Here are the updated committee members:

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V. Secretary’s Report  
   a. Additions, corrections, deletions to the minutes of the last meeting? There were none.  
   b. Correspondence: There were none.  
   c. Committee Summaries for the Newsletter need to be submitted by tomorrow (Wednesday) because I will be compiling the newsletter and posting it next Tuesday.

VI. Treasurer’s Report  
   a. Balance- $36,742.33  
   b. Balance is placed on file, subject to audit

VII. Committee Reports  
   a. Events Planning  
      i. Thank you to everyone who has helped out with all the Project Vote NW events. Pledge to vote was today and we had a lot of people participate. Our next two events will be October 25th and Walk-out day so everyone keep the help coming.
   b. Public Relations  
      i. Don’t forget register your organization on the student senate website and then turn it in to the OCA. The deadline to register is October 15th. Also everyone follow Senate on Facebook and Twitter.
ii. Take Back the Night Thursday 6:30-8:30 pm at College Park Pavilion.

c. Student Affairs
   i. October Constituency Report is getting finished up and will be sent out by the end of the week.

d. Governmental Affairs
   i. We will have a committee meeting Thursday at 3:30 in the senate office.

e. Organizational Affairs
   i. Three organizations came for recognition:
      1. Project Xpression is an organization that will hold Open Mic Nights on Fridays provide a platform for the art, music, and poetry for all students. It was moved from committee to recognize Project Xpression. Senator Petizmeier (Mel) moved to vote and Senator Clark seconded it. A show of hands vote was taken and the motion passed unanimously.
      2. Health and Human Services Future Professionals is a reorganized version of the HPERD club because of the department realignments. It was moved from committee to recognize their organization. Senator Smith (Liz) moved to vote. Senator Weddle seconded the motion, a show of hands vote was taken, and the motion passed unanimously.
      3. Minority Educators at Northwest Missouri State is an organization that aims to help educators of minorities whether it be a matter of race, religion, disability, etc. They have already held two meetings and have had guest speakers. They are very motivated to go out into the community and help to educate the minority population. The Organizational Affairs committee moved to recognize this organization. Senator Clark moved to vote and Senator Smith (Liz) seconded it. A show of hands vote was taken and the motion passed unanimously.

   ii. We will have a committee meeting Thursday night at 7 pm in meeting room C.

f. Civic Service
   i. The First Bearcat Restoration got cancelled. The next one will be Sunday Oct. 21st. We’re not sure what we’re doing yet so more details are to come.
   ii. We will also be doing canned art for homecoming so please donate canned food items, no more than 25 of the same item.

VIII. University Committees

IX. Student Liaison
   i. Oct. 22nd City Council will be reporting on their findings of raising the bar age to 21 in other communities.

X. Student Regent
   a. No Report.

XI. RHA

XII. SAC
   a. Human Scrabble – Oct. 11th Towerview Room 9pm
   b. Timeflies – Oct. 19th (Tickets can be purchased in Admin Building)
   c. Steve-O – Oct. 31st (Tickets can be purchased in Admin Building)

XIII. Chief of Staff
   a. Guess that Senator
      i. Got a haircut the day they were born
      ii. Pet shark named taz
      iii. Eats no fruits or vegetables except bananas, peas, and broccoli.

XIV. Parliamentarian

XV. Organizational Information
   a. Sigma Society is selling homecoming t-shirts in the union Wed and Thursday from 11-2. They will be $10 and all the proceeds go to the family of Tomarken Smith.
   b. Northwest is doing a social media scavenger hunt this week. For more information about the scavenger hunt go to: http://www.nwmissouri.edu/universityrelations/nwhunt.htm.
XVI. Unfinished Business  
a. Act I will mostly just be cleaning up the bylaws and we don’t feel this section is necessary.  
   i. Senator Raffety motioned to untable and Grad Rep Saeger seconded it. Senator Peitzmeier (Mel) moved to vote, seconded by Senator Smith (Liz). A show of hands vote was taken. Twenty-four senators passed the motion, none failed it, and there was one abstention.  

XVII. New Business  
a. Tobacco Resolution will bring in approximately $64 million in revenue. This will give more funding to higher education and education as a whole in Missouri. Senator Kunkel moved to vote, Senator McCoy seconded it. A show of hands vote was taken. Twenty-four senators passed the motion and one was opposed. Vice President Sumy asked to poll the associate members to see how they would have voted and five were in favor of the resolution with one abstaining. Motion passed.  
b. John Wiese was sworn in as an associate member.  
c. President Ziemer brought up an allocation for a Social Justice speaker. Exec discussed it and moved that we give $150 for the speaker. Senator Peitzmeier moved to vote and Senator Kunkel seconded it. A roll call vote was taken and twenty-three senators were in favor with two being opposed. Motion passed.  

XVIII. Hearing of Non-Agenda Related Items  
a. There will be a speaker at 7:30pm tomorrow in the PAC giving the facts of “ObamaCare”. The speaker will not take a side on the healthcare plan they will merely present the facts.  

XIX. Closing  
a. Announcements  
   i. We are looking for someone to fill the position of Sergeant at Arms. The Sergeant at Arms’ duties include: delivering messages at the meetings and helping with set-up and clean-up of the Senate meetings.  
   ii. Nuts and bolts will be tomorrow night from 6-8pm in the Union Living Room.  
b. Inspiration: Parliamentarian Butler  
   i. John lennon: “Life is what happens while you are busy making other plans.”  
      1. A lot of people get too caught up in making goals and plans for their lives. It’s not a straight road, there are curves, twists, and even potholes. So remember to live life in the moment and to the fullest because the experiences that you will have will be as much a part of your life as those goals and plans you are busy making.  
c. Inspiration for next week: Senator Weddle  
d. Senator Peitzmeier (Mel) moved to adjourn. Senator Peitzmeier (Abby) seconded it.