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**MUSG to Hold Fall Final Elections for Residential Senators**

MILWAUKEE – Sept. 17, 2009 –Marquette University Student Government is giving undergraduate students the opportunity to choose their 2009-2010 residential senators in its fall election Wednesday, Sept. 23.

Students will be able to vote for their respective hall or apartment candidates Wednesday, Sept. 23 from 12 a.m. to 10 p.m. Residential senator positions will be filled in all halls and on-campus apartment buildings. There are also two commuter student positions. This year's election has several halls that will be heavily contested, including McCormick, O'Donnell and Straz.

“As a senior member of MUSG, it is encouraging to see such an abundance of students interested in being a part of our organization so early in the school year,” said Adam Tandez, MUSG Legislative Vice President.

Each year MUSG holds elections for students to choose their residential representatives. Residential senators are responsible for being a voice for and connection to MUSG for Marquette students. In conjunction with the Residence Hall Association, the students will be elected to actively identify and resolve any concerns or issues regarding the hall or apartment they represent. Along with hearing some of the common concerns of the everyday student, they have the opportunity to interact with their respective residence halls.

“Historically, residential senators have made a very strong impact when it comes to campus safety and student life,” added Tandez. “We at MUSG value the contributions from every one of these senators.”

For more information on MUSG's news and events, visit <http://musg.mu.edu> or contact the MUSG office, AMU 133.

The Marquette University Student Government was developed in 1882 as the governing body of the Marquette community. Its goal is to identify, understand, actively address and represent students' needs, concerns, and interests through acts of leadership and service, which reflect Catholic, Jesuit ideals and contribute to the betterment of the Marquette University community.

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