State distributes funds to Truman

Truman receives more than $50,000 from MOHELA, future funding uncertain

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Truman’s Student Undergraduate Council is proposing more emphasis on the Missouri Higher Education Loan Authority (MOHELA) for Truman’s future funding.

In its budget proposal to the Truman Student Senate, the Undergraduate Council is proposing more emphasis on the MOHELA fund as one of Truman’s potential sources of funding. This comes after the state of Missouri distributed $51,364 from the Initiative for the Pershing, Truman recovery Initiative to Truman.

According to a press release from Gov. Blunt’s Lewis and Clark Discovery Initiative since it is part of a $335 million college and university recovery plan.

The money distributed by the initiative is intended to support the economic development of Missouri’s colleges and universities. The money will support programs that enhance and diversify research and improve the state’s competitive position in the nation’s highly competitive research environment.

This information comes from the council’s fall proposal report submitted Nov. 7. According to the report, the Undergraduate Council received $54,800 in revenue from MOHELA for the 2007-08 academic year.

Moore said students might have trouble finding seasonal employment because it is not always beneficial to the employer to hire someone for only three or four weeks. The employer wants to hire someone for the whole season for a few dollars more per hour, Moore said.

"For students looking for Winter Break employment, it’s time to start pounding the pavement," said Moore. "Don’t just sit and wait. Get out there and try to find work." The current unemployment rate is 5.9 percent. In the past few months, however, the rate has not seen more people than normal coming forward. The rate has increased slightly in the past few months. She added that there has been no recent hiring at their usual rates.

"A lot of [students] already have positions. Now the question is finding for just like a four-week period," said Moore.

"A more comprehensive change, longed to senior Truman Patter-son, who is getting reimbursed for right of the car but that it was a significant amount of money. Patter-son said he had every intention to buy the car again even though the car was damaged.

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Truman Student Senate

Curriculum committee suggests changes to senior portfolios

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The Truman Student Senate’s Curriculum Committee is recommending that the Student Senate consider making changes to the way the Class of 2008’s senior portfolio projects are graded.

The committee is proposing that the senior portfolio project be enhanced use of portfolios. It suggests that the portfolio projects be evaluated throughout a student’s career so that a greater emphasis is placed on critical thinking and academic achievement.

The committee is proposing to make the portfolio a required component of each student’s course grades, rather than just an assessment phase of the course. The committee is also recommending that the Portfolio project be evaluated throughout a student’s career, so that a greater emphasis is placed on critical thinking and academic achievement.

"I turned it over, and it started for the first time," Moore said. "I kept it in my driveway for a few days, but it was just being driven around."

Parked car ignites flames

A 16’ Cadillac burst into flames in front of the Water Wise apartments Monday night. "My friend was on the phone with the police ... and, in fact, I didn’t even notice it was on fire," said senior Larry Moore, the owner of the car. "I was late, I’m not sure." He said he had every intention to buy the car again even though the car was damaged.

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An apartment complex on Scott Slusher damaged by fire on Sunday morning.

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