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## Residence Halls Association

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### **I. Call to Order**

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "I call to order the second meeting of the 70th session of the Residence Halls Association on October 8th, 2026 at 7:09 PM. We will now move to Section II. Swearing In."

### **II. Swearing In**

#### **RHA Bylaw 3.5:**

The Chair of the RHA Assembly shall swear in the RHA Assembly Representatives when a majority of the representatives have submitted the necessary credentials, or at the first meeting at which an individual representative is present.

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "For those of you who were not present last week, I will now lead you to swear your allegiance to the Residence Halls Association as democratically elected representatives of your residence halls. Please stand if you are able and raise your right hand. Repeat after me the Official RHA Assembly Representative Oath, as seen below:

**"I, [state name] being a democratically elected representative for [state residence hall] do swear to represent and advocate for my constituents, and to protect the interests of residents at large to the best of my knowledge and ability."**

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "You may now be seated, thank you. Welcome to the Residence Halls Association. We will now move to section III. Approval of the Agenda"

### **III. Approval of the Agenda**

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "I will now entertain a motion to approve the Agenda. Please indicate your motion by raising your placard, and state the name of both your residence hall and position number to be recognized."

**Representative** | Hall West Quad I: "So moved."

**Representative** | Hall Markley I: "Second"

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "The motion has been made and seconded to approve the agenda. Are there any objections?"

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "Hearing none, the agenda is approved. Thank you. We will now move to section IV. Guest of the Assembly. Today our Guests are the Presidents of the Hall Councils. I recognize the President of Alice Lloyd to kick us off."

### IV. Guest of the Assembly

**Alice Lloyd President** | Angela

-  Alice Lloyd President's Report 10/8/26

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "Thank you Alice Lloyd, I now recognize the president of Bursley Hall to give their report."

- Vacant positions filled
- Have not been able to meet bc of empty propositions
  - Possibly next week to discuss merch

**Bursley President** | Kaden

-  Bursley Hall Report.pdf

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "Thank you Bursley, I now recognize the president of Couzens Hall to give their report."

- 2 things
  - Competition for spider t shirt design
  - Haunted house event w/ RAs as october event
    - October 26th
- Every single position filled except for one rep
  - want to be open for everyone

**Couzens President** | Blake

-  Couzens Hall Presidents Report

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "Couzens, I now recognize the president of East Quad to give their report."

- All positions filled
  - secretary/VP, rep, and other rep
  - Treasurer position just voted in
- Meetings every sunday at 5pm
  - Changing the secretary to VP
  - Adding marketing manager position
  - Couzens Hall merch
    - Have residents make the design and vote on favorite
  - Formal Events

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#### **East Quad President | Krish**

- 1st meeting this past Tuesday
  - Merch
    - Forms to submit designs
  - Went over constitution
    - Changing secretary to VP
    - Full hall council

**Chair |** Jaidyn Opuni: “Thank you East Quad, I now recognize the president of Fletcher to give their report.”

#### **Fletcher President |**

-  Fletcher Hall Report
- Reaching out to art clubs for hall merch
- Apple cider and donuts event
  - Haven't discussed if it will be for everyone

**Chair |** Jaidyn Opuni: “Thank you Fletcher, I now recognize the RHA Representative of Markley Hall to give their report.”

#### **Markley RHA Representative |**

-  Mary Markley Hall Report
- Meetings every Tuesday
  - Event: meet your hall council
- Resident feedback survey
  - Bathroom supplies, etc
- Hall merch
  - Quarter zip & tshirt
- Write cards for custodian staff

**Chair |** Jaidyn Opuni: “Thank you Markley, I now recognize the president of the Martha Cook House Board to give their report.”

#### **Martha Cook RHA Representatives | Kyra Nicholas & Noor Shareef**

-  Martha Cook Building \_ October 2026 President's Report.pdf - Presentation
-  Martha Cook Building - October 2026 President's Report.pdf - Written Statement
  - Have full house board
  - Meeting every tuesday from 5-6pm
  - Tea parties every friday
  - Spirit week: October event
    - Day of the dead

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**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: “Thank you Martha Cook, I now recognize the president of Mosher Jordan Hall to give their report.”

### **MoJo President |**

-  Mosher Jordan Hall Report
  - Upcoming events
    - Apple cider, donuts, and pumpkin painting social
  - New members sworn into board

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: “Thank you MoJo, I now recognize the president of North Quad to give their report.”

### **North Quad President |**

- No one present

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: “Thank you North Quad, I now recognize the president of Oxford Hall to give their report.”

### **Oxford President |**

-  Oxford October Report .pdf
  - 2 vacancies positions
  - Events
    - Housing merch
    - Water bottle giveaway

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: “Thank you Oxford, I now recognize the RHA Representative of South Quad to give their report.”

### **South Quad Representative | Ethan Brooks**

-  South\_Quad\_Council\_Presentation.pdf
  - One open RHA rep spot
  - Looking to expand marketing position
  - Working with fletcher
    - Merch Design Contest
      - Blue Bucks prize pool
  - Increase feedback/improvement form
  - Pumpkin Carving Night

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: “Thank you South Quad, I now recognize the president of Stockwell Hall to give their report.”

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#### **Stockwell President |**

-  Stockwell Hall Council.pdf
  - Get more ppl involved in stockwell
  - Just had meeting today
    - Decided vacant positions
  - Hall improvements
    - More paper towels in bathrooms
    - Ice machine
    - More entertainment
      - Nintendo Switch & Xbox Games
  - Hall Merch
    - Crewnecks

**Chair |** Jaidyn Opuni: “Thank you Stockwell, I now recognize the president of West Quad to give their report.”

#### **West Quad President |**

-  WestQuad\_PresidentReport\_AbiyanaMoore
- Pre-game day Pizza
- Events
  - Halloween
    - Trick or treating
  - November
    - Friendsgiving
  - December Event
    - Stress balls making session
    - Study sesh for finals
- Hall Apparel
  - Scarf, fuzzy slippers,

**Chair |** Jaidyn Opuni: “Thank you West Quad, I now recognize the president of Wolverine Village to give their report.”

#### **Wolverine Village President |**

-  Wolverine Village October President's Report.pdf
  - Filed all of our hall council positions
  - Meetings @ Tuesdays 6:15pm

**Chair |** Jaidyn Opuni: “Thank you to our Presidents for joining us this evening. We appreciate you taking the time to speak with the Residence Halls Association. I will now entertain a motion to recess for committee time and reconvene in 30 minutes at 8:10 PM.”

**Representative |** Hall East Quad II: “So moved.”

**Representative |** Hall West Quad II: “Second”

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### **V.Committee Time**

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "I call the meeting back to order. It is now 08:14 PM. We will continue with the second meeting of the 70th session of the Residence Halls Association. We will move to Section VI. Committee Reports. I will now recognize the Chair of ABCD to present their committee report."

### **VI.Committee Reports**

#### **ABCD Chair** | Lola

- Reviewed each hall council's budget sheet
  - Send linkedin to group chat
- Opportunities to improve skills

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "I will now recognize the Chair of CRAB to present their committee report."

#### **CRAB Chair** | Brooklyn

- Working on the banner for upcoming conference
  - Plan to work on it over weekend
- Pins coming in Saturday

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "I will now recognize the Chair of DEIA to present their committee report."

#### **DEIA Chair** | Carmen & Cayla

- Continuing efforts to reach out to any cultural orgs this week and next
  - Increase access
- Community building
  - Getting to know one another
- Inclusive Scholarships & stipend included in RHA

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "I will now recognize the Chair of MarkServ to present their committee report."

#### **MarkServ Chair** | Clara

- Post for intro to reps
- 1 committee each week post

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- Please fill out the Meet the Reps Post form! (hold for a min so people can scan and fill out)
- Deadline: End of tonight if possible :)

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "I will now recognize the Chairs of ProgServ to present their committee report."

**ProgServ Co-Chairs** | Aiden and Ugonna

- Logistics for video game night (29th)
  - Whether before or after
    - Before determined through vote
- 3 sessions for meetings
- Trying to buy candy

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "I will now recognize the Chairs of SHADE to present their committee report."

**SHADE Co-Chairs** | Grace and Jamie

- Bathrooms & housing
  - Paper towels
  - Toilet paper runout
- Talk to staff to prevent crazy stuff from happening in bathrooms
- Connection with sustainability learning community
  - SHADE funding business proposal
    - Possible project that work can be done as long term

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "Thank you Committee Chairs. We will now move to our Executive Board Reports, starting with section VII. President's Report."

## **VII. President's Report**

External Liaison to Campus | Executive Officer Supervisor | Assembly Chair | Ex-Officio Chair of DEIA | Ex-Officio Chair of Rates Special Committee | Official Representative of RHA

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni:

- Meeting with Dan Wright
  - Working with Amazon regarding delivery times
    - Markley I | May not help with things like food delivery
- Meeting about the Guiding Principles of AI on Campus
- Intergroup Relations
  - Finding commonalities across differences
  - Opening IGR Themed community next year
  - In North Quad
  - Looking for RAs
  - Applications due October 13, 2026

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: “I will now recognize the Executive Vice President to move to the Executive Vice President’s Report.”

### **VIII. Executive Vice President’s (EVP) Report**

Chief Operating Officer | Parliamentarian of RHA Assembly | Committee Executive | Ex-Officio Chair of SHADE | Ex-Officio Chair of BOCC | Official Signatory of RHA

**EVP** | Breanna Rawlins:

#### **Bylaw 2.1.1 Executive Board Attendance:**

Executive Board members are required to attend all Executive Board meetings and meetings of the RHA Assembly. If for health, academic, family, or other acceptable reasons a member of the Executive Board is unable to attend a meeting of the RHA Assembly, they will receive an excused absence. Executive Board members are allowed two excused absences, or one unexcused absence at RHA Assembly per semester. The Advisor may remove absences from any Executive Board member’s tally, at any time per their discretion. The EVP will be responsible for documenting the Executive Board’s attendance at each Executive Board meeting, and will present their absence count weekly to the RHA Assembly. The Advisor must notify the EVP of the excused absence prior to the EVP’s weekly attendance report to the Assembly, and may do so with no justification to the EVP. Executive Board members must attend 75% of all Executive Board meetings during each semester of their term, or as individually adjusted by the Advisor, at their discretion. Executive Board meetings may be attended in person, or virtually.

- Attendance Report
  - EBoard Meeting Absences:
    - EVP Breanna - 1
    - VPF Erick - 1
  - Assembly Absences
    - None
- Hall Merch Reminder
  - Due October 16, 2026

- Hall Improvement Requests
  - Due December 4, 2026
  - Expected a presentation soon, but not today
- We have another Kahoot! for you later, this time on Parli-Pro :)

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: “I will now recognize the Vice President for Finance to move to the Vice President of Finance’s Report.”

### **IX. Vice President for Finance (VPF) Report**

Financial Officer | Budget Manager | Ex-Officio Chair of ABCD | Council Funding Coordinator | Official Signatory of RHA

**VPF** | Erick Rosario Rodriguez:

- I hope ya’ll weeks are going well so far!
- Maize Page and SOAS Authorized Signer Nominations for Presidents/Treasurers
  - EQ 1: Have nominations been sent out to all Treasurers and Presidents?
    - EVP: Nominations have been sent out, only a Treasurer or a President will get one
- [CCF Form](#)

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: “I will now recognize the Vice President for Internal Relations to move to the Vice President for Internal Relations’ Report.”

### **X. Vice President for Internal Relations (VPIR) Report**

Internal Communications Officer | Hall Council Liaison | Ex-Officio Chair of Programming Services | RHA Events Coordinator

**VPIR** | Lydia Dace:

- No report

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: “I will now recognize the Vice President for Outreach Initiatives to move to the Vice President for Outreach Initiatives’s Report.”

### **XI. Vice President for Outreach Initiatives (VPOI) Report**

External Communications Officer | Marketing Officer | Media Relations | Social Media & Website Manager | Hall Council Recruitment & Elections Marketing | Ex-Officio Chair of Marketing Services

**VPOI** | Sophia Taylor:

- PLEASE Join the PhotoCircle! Share some pictures of you, your events, etc (doesn't have to be RHA/HC focused pictures, could be anything! Make sure your fellow Hall Council members do too!
  - <https://join.photocircleapp.com/SEVDW4XSDD>



- Send stuff you want marketed out to me! [rha.vicepoi@umich.edu](mailto:rha.vicepoi@umich.edu)
- Shoutout South Quad and Willage for sending me their flyers for Hall Merch :)
- Marketing Request [Form](#)

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "I will now recognize the Vice President for National Relations to move to the Vice President for National Relations' Report."

## XII. Vice President for National Relations (VPNR) Report

National Relations Officer | RHA Historian | Records Officer | Clerical Officer | NCC | Ex-Officio Chair of CRAB

**VPNR** | Cameron Modock:

- Announcement about GLACURH Conference:
  - Congrats, UGONNA!!
    - Come talk to eboard after assembly to gain further details
- Please fill out the OTMs submissions. The more the better!



**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "Thank you Executive Board. We will now move to Section XIII. New Business"

### **XIII. New Business**

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "I will now recognize the Executive Vice President to host a Parli-Pro Kahoot! competition"

[Clickable Link to the Kahoot!](#)

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "I will now open the floor for **Resident Time**, I would like to start the conversation by asking if any Hall has not yet met as a Hall Council."

- No!

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "The floor is now open for any remaining Resident Concerns."

- Boys bathroom locks are no longer broken
- East Quad I: broken water fountain on 3rd floor
  - Under FixIt or RHA?
  - FixIt
- East Quad II: 2 ppl about molds in vents
  - FixIt or council work?
  - FixIt
- Stockwell I:
  - Paper towel & toilet paper shortage
  - Not FixIt, More info to come
- Couzens I:
  - When will the heat be turned on?
  - Check newsletters, but it will be soon

- Couzens II:
  - Broken pool tables under FixIt or RHA?
  - Hall Improvement Request

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "The floor is now open for any remaining new business."

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**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "At this time we do not have old business so we will now move to Section XV. Snaps

### **XIV. Old Business**

No Old Business

### **XV. Snaps**

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "Snaps are an opportunity to shout out things that you appreciated from this meeting. Can be serious or silly!"

- Shout out something - or someone!
- [Clickable Link to the Snaps Form](#)
- QR code for the Snaps Form

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "That concludes our business for tonight. I will now entertain a motion to adjourn."

**Representative** | Hall X: "So moved."

**Representative** | Hall X: "Second."

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "All those in favor, please signify by saying aye."

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: "Any Opposed?"

### **XVI. Adjournment**

**Chair** | Jaidyn Opuni: I adjourn this meeting at 9:02 pm

### **XVII. Audio:**