

## **EMAIL ANNOUNCING RESCHEDULED STUDENT ELECTIONS**

TO: All students  
FROM: University Communications  
RE: Student elections information  
DATE: Wednesday, September 23, 2020

The annual student governance elections, which were postponed from March due to the pandemic, have been rescheduled. Students may vote from **8:00 a.m. on Wednesday, September 30, until 8:00 p.m. on Thursday October 1, 2020.**

All registered students are eligible to vote. **All voting occurs online** (this has been the case for many years). During the voting period described above, students will be able to access and complete their ballot from their my.emich page.

Students are encouraged to exercise their right to vote in these three important elections:

1. Students may vote for **Student Body President and Vice President** (these candidates run as a ticket). Students may review the candidates' platforms and background information on [this website](#).

2. Students may also vote for members of the **Student Senate**. Students may vote for up to 18 candidates. Students may review the candidates' platforms and background information on [this website](#).

You may learn more about Student Government [here](#).

3. Students may also vote for a student member and student alternate (who run together as a ticket) to serve on the **University's Public Safety Oversight Committee** (PSOC). The PSOC was established by the Board of Regents in 1992 pursuant to [Michigan law](#). The scope and purpose of the PSOC, as described by the statute, is to receive and address any grievances brought against EMU public safety officers and/or EMU's Department of Public Safety. The results of the PSOC's findings are reported to the University President. Michigan law also requires that members of the PSOC be elected by EMU's faculty, students, and staff.