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To: Students' Council

Re: Report to Students' Council

Dear Council,

It has been a pleasant beginning to summer and I've really enjoyed this weather. If you have some time I would really recommend that you check out the River Valley during the sunset. Beautiful sights all around, though the energy has sadly died down due to the unfortunate end of the Oilers' season. Hockey fan or not, you guys have to admit the city's energy was pretty wild.

I am currently in Canmore at a Rotary Leadership Conference - it is something I've been involved with for seven years. I'm really excited to be here working with all these young leaders who will hopefully attend University of Alberta one day.

This report will be fairly brief as barely a week has gone by since I've taken Office. The executive team has been working on our collective goals, and I'm really looking forward to working along with such passionate and driven individuals.

ADVOCACY

The Residence Life Task Force will be released in the next couple of weeks and I am thrilled for you guys to have the chance to read it. I believe this report will have quite an impact on our residences here at the University of Alberta. Keep an eye out, because I will definitely be sharing it on my page as soon as it has been released.

CORA: I've begun to contact the Council of Residence Association's incoming executives in order to ensure that our residence council has productive meetings and tangible collective goals. It is important that our residences have the resources to address their own pressing issues. I am thrilled to have our first meeting.

LHSA: I have been working to ensure that LHSA has substantial office space and proper resources in the upcoming year, as well as in the new renovation plans so that students have proper representation in the years to come in Lister Centre.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

My social media pages are finally set up, so feel free to follow me. I will do my best to keep them updated throughout my time in office. That's UASU VP Student Life Ilya Ushakov on Facebook and @uasuvpsl on Twitter.

My office hours will be on Wednesdays from 3:30-4:30PM every week this summer in SUB 2-900, so drop by and have some wild chats with me.