69th Student Senate

Resolution:

Sponsored by: Steinberg, Mix, Brown

WHEREAS: The Florida State University Student Government Association's Office of Government Affairs is tasked with advocating and representing the interests of the student body at the university, local, state, and federal levels,

WHEREAS: The Board of Directors of the Office of Governmental Affairs researched, compiled, debated, and approved a legislative agenda for the upcoming legislative session,

WHEREAS: Florida State Student Government Association recommends the following to the Florida Legislature to enhance student life and learning in the State of Florida,

WHEREAS: FSU SGA strongly supports the efforts to make a secondary education affordable in Florida through the reintroduction of a tax-free holiday on college textbooks and the expansion of the bright futures scholarship including awards for the summer term,

WHEREAS: FSU SGA opposes the efforts to introduce guns on campus,

WHEREAS: FSU SGA supports the legislative priorities of The Florida State University, including an increase in pre-eminence funding for FSU,

WHEREAS: FSU SGA recognizes the opportunities for students provided by the out of state tuition waiver for the children of undocumented immigrants and supports the continuance of the program,

WHEREAS: FSU SGA recognizes the success of the Honorably Discharged Veterans Assistance Program Gap Scholarship and recommends an increase to cover more student veterans,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SIXTY NINTH STUDENT SENATE AT FLORIDA STATE

UNIVERSITY THAT: This resolution is formally adopted as the 2017 Legislative Agenda for the Florida State University Student Government Association

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT:

This resolution is sent to: James, Doyle, Office of Governmental Affairs Director Nathan Molina, Student Body President Kathy Mears, FSU Chief Legislative Affairs Officer Mary Coburn, Vice President of Student Affairs John Thrasher, President of Florida State University