# THE SEVENTY-THIRD STUDENT SENATE Calendar: September 8, 2021

Location: HCB 103

Zoom Link: <a href="https://fsu.zoom.us/j/92325341806">https://fsu.zoom.us/j/92325341806</a>

Call to Order:

Pledge of Allegiance

Moment of Silent Reflection

# Land Acknowledgement:

The Student Government of Florida State University acknowledges that it is located on land that is the ancestral and traditional territory of the Apalachee Nation, the Miccosukee Tribe of Florida, the Muscogee Creek Nation, and the Seminole Tribe of Florida. We pay respect to their Elders past and present and extend that respect to their descendants and to all Indigenous people. We recognize this land remains scarred by the histories and ongoing legacies of settler colonial violence, dispossession, and removal. In spite of all this, and with tremendous resilience, these Indigenous Nations have remained deeply connected to this territory, to their families, to their communities, and to their cultural ways of life. We recognize the ongoing relationships of care that these Indigenous Nations maintain with this land and extend our gratitude as we live and work as humble and respectful guests upon their territory. We encourage all to learn about and educate others on the contemporary work of the Indigenous Nations whose land we are on and to endeavor to support Indigenous sovereignty in all the ways that we can.

Roll Call:

Verification of Quorum:

Corrections and Approval of the Journal 9-1-21:

Student and Non-Budgeted RSO Comments: https://fsu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV b9EVvRotPr4y03r

Special Introductions and Announcements:

Messages from the Executive Branch:

Messages from Agency and Bureau Directors, SGA Organizations Officers and Employees:

Messages from the Executive Cabinet:

Messages from the Class Councils:

Messages from the Congress of Graduate Students:

Messages from the Judicial Branch:

Messages from the Union Board and Student Engagement Ambassadors:

Messages from the Campus Recreation Board:

Report of the SGA Accounting Office: Remaining Balances: Senate Projects \$20,532.11, PAC \$60,000.00, RTAC \$45,000.00, and ORG Fund \$3,800

### Report of Senate Liaisons:

# Report of Committees:

Judiciary, Internal Affairs, Budget, Finance, Student Life & Academic Affairs, Rules & Calendar

#### Senate Confirmations:

Spencer Greenwood for Supervisor of Elections, Omer Turkomer for PAC

# Consent Calendar:

## Bills First Reading:

Bill 46 Sponsored by Senator Randall (P), Linsky (Co)

> Revising the COGS statutes to improve readability, strengthen the relationship between COGS and the Student Senate, and expand the ex-officio voting rights of the COGS Speaker in the Student Senate. REFERRED TO INTERNAL AFFAIRS THEN JUDICIARY, 09.01. PASSED IN INTERNAL AFFAIRS, 09.07.

Bill 48 Sponsored by Senator Randall (P)

> Revising the funding guidelines related to the definition of clothing items and the amount allocated per clothing item based on size. REFERRED TO FINANCE, 09.01.

**Bill 49** Sponsored by Senator Linsky (P)

> To elucidate the legislative subpoena powers vested in the Senate by the Student Body Constitution, subject to limited oversight by the Student Senate President.

Bill 50 Sponsored by Senator Linsky (P)

To amend statutes which concern the discretionary veto power granted to the Vice

President of Student Affairs by the SGA Senate.

**Bill 51** Sponsored by Senator Randall (P)

To amend the Student Body Statutes to eliminate the Budget Committee in its entirety

and restructure its current duties to the purview of the Finance Committee.

#### Bills Second Reading:

## **Constitutional Amendments:**

Amendment 10 Sponsored by Senators Linsky, Randall (P)

Correcting registration classifications to be in accordance with current policy, and increasing the allocation of graduate student Activities & Services fees to fifty percent

of their annual yield. REFERRED TO BUDGET THEN JUDICIARY, 07.21.

## Resolutions:

Resolution 18 Sponsored by Senator Gonzalez (P)

> Calling on the FSU Administration and Board of Trustees to review and withdraw investments from corporations deemed unethical by the FSU student community. REFERRED TO SLAA, 02.10. TABLED IN SLAA, 02.16., 02.23., 03.09., 03.16.

03.23, 03.30, 04.06, 06.09, 06.21, 06.05, 07.19, 09.06.

Resolution 43 Sponsored by Senator Roy (P), Marcus (Co)

> Condemning the Florida Board of Education's banning of the discussion of Critical Race Theory in Florida Public Schools. REFERRED TO SLAA THEN RULES &

CALENDAR, 07.07. TABLED IN SLAA, 07.19. AMENDED AND PASSED IN SLAA, 09.06.

- Resolution 46 Sponsored by Senator Puwalski (P), Hautrive, T. Murray (Co) Expressing support for the people of Cuba, and the Cuban community at FSU. REFERRED TO SLAA, 07.21. AMENDED AND PASSED IN SLAA, 09.06.
- Resolution 48 Sponsored by Senator Bowling (P), Hadley, Puwalski (Co)
  Pledging support for native and indigenous rights movements. **REFERRED TO SLAA**, **09.01**.
- Resolution 50 Sponsored by Senators Linsky, Tackett (P), Little, Nemeth, Randall (Co)
  Amending Rule 1 of Senate Rules of Procedure to clarify the process for runoff elections of Senate President and Pro Tempore. REFERRED TO RULES & CALENDAR, 09.01. PASSED IN RULES & CALENDAR, 09.07.
- Resolution 51 Sponsored by Senators Linsky, Nemeth (P), Little, Randall, Tackett (Co) Amending Rule 2 of Senate Rules of Procedure to clarify the duties and responsibilities of the Student Senate President. REFERRED TO RULES & CALENDAR, 09.01. PASSED IN RULES & CALENDAR, 09.07.
- Resolution 52 Sponsored by Senators Linsky, Tackett (P), Little, Nemeth, Randall (Co)
  Amending Rule 4 of Senate Rules of Procedure to update the position descriptions of the Senate Legislative Officers. REFERRED TO RULES & CALENDAR, 09.01.

  AMENDED AND PASSED IN RULES & CALENDAR, 09.07.
- Resolution 53 Sponsored by Senators Linsky, Nemeth (P), Little, Randall, Tackett (Co)
  Amending Rule 3 of Senate Rules of Procedure to clarify the duties and
  responsibilities of the Student Senate Pro Tempore. REFERRED TO RULES &
  CALENDAR, 09.01. AMENDED AND PASSED IN RULES & CALENDAR, 09.07.
- Resolution 54 Sponsored by Senators Linsky, Randall (P), Little, Nemeth, Tackett (Co)
  Amending Rule 6 of Senate Rules of Procedure to clarify the duties of Senate
  Committees. REFERRED TO RULES & CALENDAR, 09.01. TABLED IN RULES & CALENDAR, 09.07.
- Resolution 55 Sponsored by Senators Linsky, Randall (P), Little, Nemeth, Tackett (Co)
  Amending Rule 5 of Senate Rules of Procedure to update the procedures of Senate
  Committees. REFERRED TO RULES & CALENDAR, 09.01. TABLED IN RULES &
  CALENDAR, 09.07.
- Resolution 56 Sponsored by Senators Linsky, Tackett (P), Little, Nemeth, Randall (Co)
  Amending Rule 7 of Senate Rules of Procedure to clarify the responsibilities of the
  Rules Committee. REFERRED TO RULES & CALENDAR, 09.01. AMENDED AND
  PASSED IN RULES & CALENDAR, 09.07.
- Resolution 57 Sponsored by Senators Linsky, Nemeth (P), Little, Randall, Tackett (Co)
  Amending Rule 8 of Senate Rules of Procedure to clarify and update the Student
  Senate's business procedures. REFERRED TO RULES & CALENDAR, 09.01.

  AMENDED AND PASSED IN RULES & CALENDAR, 09.07.
- Resolution 58 Sponsored by Senator Linsky (P), Little, Nemeth, Randall, Tackett (Co)

Amending Rule 9 of Senate Rules of Procedure to clarify the Senate's use of Robert's Rules of Order. REFERRED TO RULES & CALENDAR, 09.01. TABLED IN RULES & CALENDAR, 09.07.

Sponsored by Senators Linsky, Tackett (P), Little, Nemeth, Randall (Co) Resolution 59

Amending Rule 10 of Senate Rules of Procedure to clarify the types of legislation and submissions made by Student Senators. REFERRED TO RULES & CALENDAR,

09.01. TABLED IN RULES & CALENDAR, 09.07.

Resolution 60 Sponsored by Senators Linsky, Randall (P), Little, Nemeth, Tackett (Co)

> Amending Rule 11 of Senate Rules of Procedure to clarify the Senate procedures for debate and voting. REFERRED TO RULES & CALENDAR, 09.01. TABLED IN

RULES & CALENDAR, 09.07.

Resolution 61 Sponsored by Senators Linsky, Little (P), Nemeth, Randall, Tackett (Co)

Amending Rule 12 of Senate Rules of Procedure to update the guidelines surrounding decorum and conduct within the Senate Chambers. REFERRED TO RULES & CALENDAR, 09.01. TABLED IN RULES & CALENDAR, 09.07.

Resolution 62 Sponsored by Senators Linsky, Randall (P), Little, Nemeth, Tackett (Co)

> Amending Rule 13 of Senate Rules of Procedure to clarify the Senate attendance guidelines. REFERRED TO RULES & CALENDAR, 09.01. TABLED IN RULES &

**CALENDAR**, 09.07.

Resolution 63 Sponsored by Senator Linsky (P), Little, Nemeth, Randall, Tackett (Co)

> Amending Rule 15 of Senate Rules of Procedure to clarify the procedure for amending Rules of Procedure. REFERRED TO RULES & CALENDAR, 09.01.

TABLED IN RULES & CALENDAR, 09.07.

Resolution 64 Sponsored by Senator Guillamont (P), Puwalski, Keyser, Barrett (Co)

> Condemning the violent attacks on US personnel and Afghan Civilians by terrorist organizations. REFERRED TO RULES & CALENDAR, 09.01. PASSED IN RULES &

**CALENDAR**, 09.07.

Resolution 65 Sponsored by Senator Randall (P)

To amend the Rules of Procedure to eliminate the Budget Committee in its entirety

and restructure its current duties to the purview of the Finance Committee.

Resolution 66 Sponsored by Senators Linsky, Little (P), Nemeth, Randall, Tackett (Co)

Amending Rule 14 of Senate Rules of Procedure to revise the process for censures

and simplify disciplinary actions.

**Unfinished Business:** 

Statements of Dissent:

New Business:

Closing Announcements:

Officer Announcements:

Advisor Announcements:

Final Roll Call:

<u>Adjourned</u>