# THE SEVENTY-FIFTH STUDENT SENATE

Calendar: February 8th, 2023 Location: Senate Chambers, Student Union

Time: 7:30pm

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:

<u>Corrections and Approval of the Journal 11.02.2022, 11.09.2022, 11.16.2022, 11.30.2022, 01.18.2023, 01.25.2023. 02.01.2023</u>

Student and RSO Comments:

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Special Introductions:

Report of Senate Officers:

Messages from the Executive Branch:

Messages from Agencies, Bureaus, Affiliated Projects, and SGA Organizations:

Messages from the Class Councils:

Messages from the Congress of Graduate Students:

Messages from the Judicial Branch:

## Messages from the Union Board and Campus Recreation Board:

Report of the SGA Accounting Office: Remaining Balances: Senate Projects \$16,914, PAC \$30,899.89, RTAC \$1,441.04, and ORG Fund \$0

#### Report of Senate Liaisons:

## Report of Committees:

- Judiciary
- Internal Affairs
- Budget
- Finance
- Student Life
- Rules
- Sustainability Ad Hoc

#### Senate Confirmations:

Alexis Dorman – Office of Governmental Affairs, Assistant Director (1 Applicant)
Sidney Peters – Deputy Supervisor of Elections (1 Applicant)
Liam Fineout – Student Senate, College of Motion Picture Arts Seat 1 (1 Applicant)
Erick Rivers– Student Senate, Arts and Sciences Seat 6 (1 Applicant)

#### Consent Calendar:

CR 11 Sponsored by Senator Wyatt (P)

To fund the Society of Undergraduate Mathematics Students and

Biomedical Engineering Society

CR 12 Sponsored by Senator Widmann (P)

To fund the Society of Physics Students and the National Association of

Business Economics at FSU.

#### **Constitutional Amendments:**

# Bills First Reading:

Bill 15 Sponsored by Senator St. Hilaire (P) Folwell (Co)

This bill was written to clarify procedures when we are faced with an objection to a consent resolution. It reads "If objected to, the consent resolution shall be treated as any other piece of legislation, and shall require a majority vote for passage." (Referred to Judiciary and Finance. Passed Judiciary 02.07. Tabled in Finance 02.07.)

Bill 16 Sponsored by Senator Kariher (P)

Revising RSO Allocation Committee guidelines.

Bill 17 Sponsored by Senators DuChêne and Folwell (P) Anandjiwala, Boisvert,

Carter, Chehaitli, Dale, LoBianco, Maglin, McEntyre, McMahon, St. Hilaire

(Co)

This bill makes the willful misrepresentation of one's self in an official capacity as a representative or potential representative of the Student

Government Association a violation of the SGA Code of Ethics.

Bill 18 Sponsored by Senators Barrett and Bettley (P) Dale (Co)

To fund 2 ADA-accessible raised garden beds at the Seminole Organic

Garden.

Bill 19 Sponsored by Senators Barrett and Bettley (P) Dale (Co)

To fund 7 U-Bike Locks as part of Sustainable Campus' bike rental program. These locks will be available to rent at no cost by students

already owning bikes.

# Resolutions First Reading:

Resolution 14 Sponsored by Senators Boisvert (P)

Resolution to open an investigative board to review recent OGA activity. (Referred to Judiciary and Rules. *Withdrawn* by Sponsor 02.06.)

Resolution 16 Sponsored by Senators Barrett and Bettley (P) Dale (Co)

Amends the Senate Rules of Procedure to add Sustainable Campus and

the FSU Food for Thought Pantry to the list of Senate liaisons.

#### Bills Second Reading:

Bill 7 Sponsored by Senator Folwell (P)

This bill brings Chapter 605 in line with the changes made to the election code by the Seventy-fourth Student Senate in Bill 82. (Referred to Judiciary. Tabled in Judiciary 01.24. Passed in Judiciary 01.31.

Tabled on the Floor 02.01)

Bill 13 Sponsored by Senator Widmann (P)

Changing statutory requirements for Senate Funding Boards in order to

align with current practices. (Referred to Judiciary and Finance.

Passed in Judiciary 02.07. Passed in Finance 02.07)

Bill 14 Sponsored by Senators Bettley and Chehaitli (P) Burton, Kariher, Maglin,

LoBianco (Co)

This legislation serves to remove the Office of the Center for Participant Education as a budgeted bureau. (Referred to Student Life and Internal Affairs. Passed Student Life 02.03. Passed Internal Affairs 02.06)

## Resolutions Second Reading:

Resolution 11 Sponsored by Senators Bettley and Chehaitli (P) Burton, Kariher,

Maglin, LoBianco (Co)

This resolution commends the progressive and educational work of the Center for Participant Education in its time as an active bureau from 1970 to 2020. (Referred to Student Life, Internal Affairs, and Rules. Passed in Student Life 02.03. Passed in Internal Affairs 02.06. Passed in Rules 02.08)

Resolution 12 Sponsored by Senators Burton (P)

Adopting the 2023 OGA Legislative Agenda. (Placed on Second

Reading 02.01. Tabled on the Floor 02.01)

Resolution 15 Sponsored by Senators Bettley and Chehaitli (P) Alvarez, Anandjiwala,

Burton, Carter, Dale, Diaz, DuChêne, Folwell, Kariher, LoBianco, Maglin

McFarlane, Salazar, St. Hilaire (Co)

This resolution serves to condemn Governor Ron DeSantis's recent attacks on DEI programs through his Higher Education Reform plan.

(Placed on Second Reading 02.08)

**Unfinished Business:** 

**New Business:** 

Statements of Dissent:

Closing Announcements:

Advisor Announcements:

Final Roll Call and Adjournment: