



Senate Resolution

71st Student Senate

Senate Resolution #: 85

Sponsored by: Durham, Jacobsen, Levin

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, and

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

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

Whereas: FSU SGA recognizes the growing need for textbook affordability and supports the creation of an Open Educational Resources grant program in the State of Florida, and

Whereas: FSU SGA supports enhanced efforts to improve veterans' access to higher education and supports the expansion of the Purple Heart Tuition Waiver for graduate students, and

Whereas: FSU SGA acknowledges the increasing need for reliable and supportive mental health resources on campus and strongly supports enhanced efforts to improve students' access to mental health resources, and

Whereas: FSU SGA recognizes the continued enhancement of campus safety and supports the expansion of student safety measures that include residence halls and large lecture spaces, and

Whereas: FSU SGA encourages efforts to improve students' accessibility on campus, and supports the funding of programs that provide emergency housing for displaced students, and

Whereas: FSU SGA strongly supports the establishment of the Veterans Legacy Complex through the legislative process, and

Whereas: FSU SGA supports the legislative priorities of The Florida State University, emphasizing but not limited to, appropriating funding for the Legacy Hall Business Building, the renaming of B.K. Roberts Hall, the advancement of the Joint FAMU-FSU College of Engineering, and the continued investment in Florida's Nationally Ranked Universities and Preeminence Funding, therefore

Be it resolved by the Seventy-first Student Senate the Florida State University that: This resolution is formally adopted as the 2020 Legislative Agenda for the Florida State University.

Be it further resolved that: This resolution is sent to:

John Thrasher, President of Florida State University

Kathleen Daly, Associate Vice President of University Relations

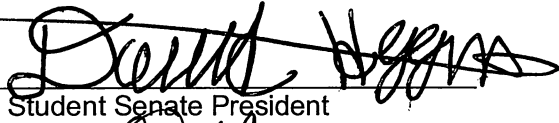
Dr. Amy Hecht, Vice President of Student Affairs

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SENATE VOTE: 24Y-3N-3A
PASSED: 23rd of October, 2019