



THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

75th STUDENT SENATE Statute Revision, Addition or Proposed Constitutional Amendment Form

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A revision to the Student Body Statutes

BE IT ENACTED BY THE SEVENTY FIFTH STUDENT SENATE THAT:

A revision is made to the Student Body Statutes Chapter 615 (See attached).

To amend titles of Homecoming positions.

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302.4 Duties and Responsibilities of the Class Councils

A. Senior Class Council

1. The SrCC shall strive to keep all Seniors informed and apprised of all graduation requirements and deadlines.
2. The SrCC shall raise funds for the Senior Class gift.
3. The SrCC shall provide programming to build community and pride for graduating year and/or benefit of the members of the Senior Class.
4. The SrCC shall meet at least twice a month.
5. The SrCC shall provide guidance and information to the Junior and Sophomore Class Councils and students of the university who are interested in being a part of the entity.
- ~~6. The SrCC shall work with the Homecoming Executive Council to choose and present a gift on behalf of their class to the President of Florida State University during the Homecoming Faculty and Staff reception in the Fall.~~

Chapter 615 The Homecoming Executive Council

History: Added by the 55th Senate Bill 40. Revised by the 56th Senate Bill 73. Revised by the 58th Senate Bills 2 and 17. Revised by the 59th Senate Bill 20. Revised by the 62nd Student Senate Bill 8. Revised by the 70th Senate Bill 1. Revised by 73^d Senate Bill 25.

615.1 Title

There shall be an entity of the Student Government Association known as the Homecoming Executive Council.

615.2 Purpose and Intent

The Homecoming Executive Council, hereinafter referred to as HEC, shall unite the Florida State University's administration, faculty, alumni and students in an inclusive celebration of the University's past accomplishments, present projects, and future initiatives.

615.3 Procedure for Selection of Homecoming Executive Council Leadership
[AN1] [AN2]

- A. The Student Government Association Student Body President appoints the leadership of the Homecoming Executive Council consisting of the Overall Director of Homecoming, Overall Assistant Director of Homecoming, and the Homecoming Live Director in consultation with the outgoing Overall Director of Homecoming, the outgoing Overall Assistant Director of Homecoming and the Homecoming Advisor. ~~The outgoing Homecoming Live Director shall be consulted when selecting the incoming Homecoming Live Director.~~
- B. A Special Application is needed to complete the official Overall Homecoming Director, Overall Assistant Director and Homecoming Live Director application, as authorized by ~~the Director of Student Activities~~ Program Coordinator for Homecoming and Traditions or a designee. The application shall be due no later than the end of the fall semester. The application must be available for a minimum of two weeks.
- C. The Advisor to the Homecoming Executive Council shall be the ~~Assistant Director of Student Activities in the Oglesby Union Student Program Coordinator within Student Organizations and Involvement.~~ Program Coordinator for Homecoming and Traditions or a designee.
- D. The Homecoming Executive Council shall include, but not be limited to, Overall Director of Homecoming, Overall Assistant Director of Homecoming, and Homecoming Live Director.
- E. The Student Body President must forward candidates to the Student Senate by the first Senate of the Spring Semester. In the case that this is not done, all applicants will be sent to the Senate for appointment at the next regularly scheduled session.

615.4 Additional members of the Homecoming Executive Council

- A. There shall be a Homecoming Selection Committee that interviews candidates for Homecoming Executive Council positions.
1. This selection committee must consist of the Overall Homecoming Director, and Overall Assistant Director, Homecoming Live Director, Chief of Staff, three (3) Student Senate appointments, SGA Advisor, Homecoming Advisor. The three (3) advisors

will be non-voting members of the selection committee.

2. The Student Senate President must appoint three (3) Senate appointments to the committee by the first Senate of the Spring Semester.

B. The Overall Homecoming Director has the authority to set the schedule for the selection committee but all candidates must be selected by the end of February.

C. No candidates for HEC positions can be selected until the selection committee interviews and deliberates on all possible applicants.

615.5 Power and Duties

A. HEC shall:

1. Govern the timeline and event purposes set forth by the overall University Homecoming Committee.

2. Organize events and spirit activities to unite the campus.

3. Submit the annual Homecoming Budget for the entire student body to the Senate Budget Committee.

4. Be the student body's representative member of the Overall University Homecoming Committee as appointed by the Student Body President.

5. Govern the rules and regulations of spirit activities with a majority vote of the HEC.

6. Appeals may be brought before the Student Body President before Homecoming Week. During the week of Homecoming the appeals must be brought to the ~~Director of Student Activities.~~ Program Coordinator for Homecoming and Traditions or a designee.

7. Pursue and include all Student Government Association entities in events and activities.

B. The Advisor for the HEC shall:

1. Work in collaboration with the Overall Homecoming Director and Overall Assistant Director to plan and execute Homecoming events.
2. Support and advise the Homecoming Executive Council in planning, marketing, and executing Homecoming events and activities.
3. Exercise fiduciary responsibility by aiding in negotiations of all contracts and agreements related to Homecoming activities.
4. The Homecoming Advisor shall have full decision-making authority for all risk management/liability issues and logistics the week of Homecoming.

C. The Overall Homecoming Director, Overall Assistant Director of Homecoming, and the Homecoming Live Director shall appoint Assistant Directors to organize and plan the spirit activities of Homecoming Week.

615.5 Meetings

1. HEC shall adopt bylaws for its organization, administration, and procedures.
2. HEC shall meet at least once a month and submit a written and/or oral report to both the Senate and Student Body President.
3. HEC shall hold one (1) "Online Student Homecoming Feedback Survey" where all students and organization heads are invited to provide feedback and suggestions for the next year. These surveys shall be held within three (3) weeks of the conclusion of Homecoming Week.
4. HEC shall hold fall meetings to distribute information to students and organizations.

Chapter 616 The Homecoming Planning Commission

*History: Revised by the 49th Student Senate Bill 14.
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73. Revised by the 62nd Senate Bill 103. Revised by the
70th Senate Bill 1.
Revised by 73rd Senate Bill 25.*

616.1 Purpose

There shall exist a commission to sub-allocate funds given to Homecoming by the Student Senate and to represent students in issues related to Homecoming. This shall be referred to as the Homecoming Commission, hereinafter referred to as the Commission.

616.2 Membership

- A. The Commission shall include ~~seven (7)~~ eight (8) voting members and as many ex-officio non-voting members as desired.
- B. The voting members shall be the Student Body President, the Student Body Vice President, Student Senate President, Student Senate Pro Tempore, Overall Homecoming Director, Overall Assistant Director of Homecoming, Homecoming Live Director, and Inter Residence Hall Council Director.
- C. The voting members shall be allowed to send a student designee to vote in their place.
- D. The Chair of the Commission shall be the Student Senate President Pro Tempore.

616.3 Powers

The Commission is responsible for the authorization and scheduling of all Homecoming activities which are funded by A&S Fees.

- A. The Commission shall have the following authority:
 - 1. Assess the effectiveness of the current Homecoming activities.
 - 2. Sub-allocate A&S funds no later than the third Senate in the month of March in order to fund Homecoming activities for the following year.
 - 3. Authorize and approve the schedule of those Homecoming activities and events, including Homecoming Live, ~~and War Chant~~ that are is funded by A&S Fees.

616.4 Allocation Procedures

- A. Request forms shall be available on the SGA website by the beginning of the last week of February.

B. The Commission shall render its final allocation decision by the last Senate in March.

C. All requests must be submitted to the Homecoming Commission no later than two (2) weeks from when the request form was released.

616.5 Meetings

A. The Commission shall meet at least weekly while unallocated monies remain.

B. The Commission shall hold request hearings if necessary.

616.6 Advertising Requirements

The Commission shall advertise the deadline for proposal requests on the Student Government Association Website. The Chair of the Commission should contact previous recipients to inform them the request form was released on the SGA website.

616.7 The Commission shall establish its own bylaws and rules of procedure.

Chapter 617 The Homecoming Live Planning Committee

History: Added by the 55th Senate Bill 40. Revised by the 56th Senate 73. Revised by the 62nd Student Senate Bill 8. Revised by the 70th Senate Bill 1. Revised by 73rd Senate Bill 25.

617.1 Title

There shall be a Homecoming Live Planning Committee.

617.2 Purpose and Intent

The Homecoming Live Planning Committee, hereinafter referred to as the Homecoming Live Committee, shall organize and promote an FSU pep rally for the students, faculty and staff during Homecoming Week. The pep rally event shall be referred to as Homecoming Live.

617.3 Membership and Officers

A. The Advisor to the Homecoming Live Committee shall be the ~~Director of Student Activities Student Program Coordinator for Traditions~~ Program Coordinator for Homecoming and Traditions or a designee.

B. The Homecoming Live Committee shall include, but not be limited to, Director of Homecoming Live and an Assistant

~~Director of Homecoming Live. appointed by the Student Body President and Assistant Director of Homecoming Live.~~

C. Other officers will be appointed to the Committee to organize and plan the event by the Homecoming Live Director.

617.4 Powers and Duties

The Homecoming Live Committee shall:

1. Organize and finalize the event known as Homecoming Live.
2. Work in collaboration with student leaders and HEC in planning the event.
3. ~~Attend Student Homecoming Feedback meetings held by the Homecoming Director.~~ Review Online Student Homecoming Feedback Survey.
4. All funding of this event will be allocated by the Homecoming Planning Commission.

The Advisor of Homecoming Live shall:

1. Work in collaboration with the Homecoming Live Committee in planning the event.
2. Exercise fiduciary responsibility by negotiating all contracts related to Homecoming Live.
3. Have full decision-making authority for the day of the show and the logistics related to the production.

617.5 Bylaws

The committee shall establish its own bylaws for its organization, administration, and procedures.

Chapter 618 Homecoming Elections

Added by the 70th Senate Bill 30.

- 618.1 Student Government Association funds shall not be used for the elections of the Homecoming Chief and Princess. Student Government Association equipment may be used in the election process, so long as the Homecoming Steering Committee agrees to indemnify the Student Government Association for any loss.

