



THE FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

75th STUDENT SENATE Senate Resolution

Resolution #: 81

Primary Sponsor(s): LoBianco, Salazar

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Date: October 26, 2023

Whereas: On October 25th, 2023 an armed gunman opened gunfire at multiple locations in Lewiston, Maine, leading to the death of 18 individuals with at least 13 more injured; and

Whereas: This act of gun violence marks the 565th mass shooting of 2023; and

Whereas: Mass shootings are an unfortunate reminder of the state of the world in which we live, in which lives are not valued the way they should be, and that these people; loved family members, co-workers, real human beings; are having their lives taken through gun violence; and

Whereas: The 75th Student Senate and Florida State University condemns this despicable act and recognizes these individuals who lost their lives, and those who have been affected by this senseless act of gun violence, and

Whereas: The 75th Student Senate and Florida State University stands in solidarity with the families of those affected and with the Lewiston community in the wake of this attack and offer our deepest condolences to all those affected by this tragedy, and

Whereas: The 75th Student Senate urges all those affected in any way by the news of this shooting to seek resources and support in all the ways that they can; and

Whereas: The Student Senate stands soundly against gun violence of any kind and firmly supports all efforts to stop gun violence in the United States, in which there are on average two mass shootings per day, placing the lives of all our citizens in danger whether they want to or not, therefore

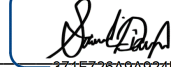
Be it resolved by the Seventy-fifth Student Senate at Florida State University that: The Student Senate expresses its profound condolences to the families of the victims affected by the attack in Lewiston, Maine, as well as all those affected by gun violence every day throughout this country, and

Be it further resolved that: The Student Senate vows to work to put an end to gun violence in this country and to support and uplift all those that have been affected by this tragedy, through utilizing some of the resources available to students for counseling so that they may take care of their mental health in these difficult times, including FSU Counseling and Psychological Services (850-644-TALK), Victim's Advocate Program Hotline (850-644-7161), and FSU Case Management Services (850-644-9555), and

Be it lastly resolved that: A copy of this resolution be sent to
Dr. Richard McCullough, President of Florida State University
Dr. Amy Hecht, Vice President of Student Affairs
Dr. Zduy Chu, Associate Vice President for Student Affairs
Dr. Brandon Bowden, Associate Vice President of Student Affairs
Jack Hitchcock, Student Body President
Dr. Felicia Williams, Director of Student Engagement
Andy Johnson, Program Director, Student Governance and Advocacy
The Board of Directors of the SGA Office of Governmental Affairs

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Student Senate President

SENATE VOTE: Acclamation
PASSED: November 1, 2023