

76th STUDENT SENATE Senate Resolution

Resolution #: 30

Primary Sponsor(s): Khosh

Co-Sponsor(s):

Date: 2/27/2024

Whereas: The month of March marks the traditional Persian New Year, which has been celebrated for over 3,000 years, and dates back to ancient Persia, marking the start of the spring season and a string of celebrations for all Iranians, and

Whereas: Nowruz (Persian New Year) is celebrated by Iranians all over the world and by many students here on the Florida State campus every year, while many of these students are first generation college students, who are celebrating this holiday away from home, and

Whereas: Iranian-American students on campus deserve to feel celebrated, recognized, and highlighted during this month where the history and culture of Iran originally emerged, especially when they often lack community spaces on campus to go to, and

Whereas: The Student Senate urges Florida State University and the Student Government Association to work on shedding more light around Iranian-American students on campus, while highlighting this yearly holiday, Iranian traditions, while increasing education on this topic, and

Whereas: March 19th, 2024 marks Persian New Year around the world, where students here on campus and Iranian-Americans everywhere will be celebrating this holiday,

Be it resolved by the Seventy-Sixth Student Senate at Florida State University that: the Florida State Student Senate acknowledges Persian New Year, celebrates Iranian students around campus, and encourages Florida State University to work towards highlighting this holiday as well

Be it further resolved that: a copy of this resolution be sent to:
Dr. Richard McCulloch, President of Florida State University
Dr. Amy Hecht, Vice President for Student Affairs
Jack Hitchcock, Student Body President
Rodney Wells, Student Body Vice-President

Autumn Anderson, Director of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

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Student Senate President

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SENATE VOTE: Passed by Voice

PASSED: March 6, 2024