



**71st Student Senate
Student Life and Academic Affairs
June 17th, 2019 Strozier Room 107J**

Call to Order: 7:15 pm

Members Present: Chair Warren, Senator Fisher, Senator Balducci, Senator Donnelly

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Members Absent: Vice Chair Daraldik (excused) , Senator Gurau (excused)

Guests: Senator Latham, Senator Slimak, Senator Vigrass

Announcements:

- Chair – None
- Vice Chair – None
- Members – None

Committee Business:

- Resolution 47– Senators Gerdts and Villacorta -- Encouraging Florida State to match Tallahassee’s resolution regarding renewable and sustainable energy. **REFERRED TO SLAA. TABLED IN COMMITTEE. 04/22, TABLED IN COMMITTEE. 06/17**
 - Sponsor requested we Table
- Resolution 51 – Sponsored by Senator Alvarez— Purpose to advise Florida State University and Student Government should begin to reach out to other tribes affiliated with the title of Seminole for their input and consent to the use of Seminole imagery and affiliation by the University. **REFERRED TO SLAA. TABLED IN COMMITTEE. 06/17**
 - Sponsor not in attendance
- Bill 63– Sponsored by Senator Latham – Purpose to fund the Society’s Learning Trip in Immokalee, Florida where they will be hosting a college prep workshop to teach students about conducting medicine in rural areas. **REFERRED TO SLAA.**

Old Business:

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New Business:

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- Bill 63– Sponsored by Senator Latham
 - Opening 5 mins – Discussing ____ Yield w/2:33 seconds
 - Technical Non debatable
 - Senator Donnelley moves into roundtable

- Chair Warren- The trip had to be open to the whole student body.
- Senator Balducci Is the trip open to the whole student body? It's an important technicality
 - Senator Latham was unsure
- Do you know if this is an rso that excludes potential members?
 - Senator Latham double checking
- Chair Warren- If your open to audition or apply it is open for everyone
- Senator Vigrass- What kind of medicine is being taught
 - Latham - They're doing a college prep workshop, and college text book
- Balducci - The books are for the people for the community?
- Donnelley - I thought it was books that helped instructed for the club, why are you giving away books?
 - It's a part of their service, and their learning experience
- Will they be giving the books to the community?
 - They are learning
- Latham states how they funded the books last year through RTAC
- Could they receive the money from RTAC?
 - Latham states how RTAC isn't running for the Summer and the trip is prior to the beginning of the Fall semester.
- Senator Slimak the difference of an honors program and an honor society?
 - Senator Vigrass - Honors society you don't have to be in a certain major, grade, or have a certain gpa like mock trial is a legal society versus the honors program which only helps students in that specific program.
- But you do have to be in the honors program to be in this honor society? - Fisher
 - Donnelly reads society's constitution that states, you need to be invited by the selection committee to undergo interview to be assessed if your eligible
 - Balducci reads from nole central that its only for people who applied going into their freshman year.
- Inquiring how this was funded last year
 - Senator Warren pulls up
 - They're not "othering people" the members are more qualified
- Was there an application process?
 - Since its senate project money, it should be fine, committee would feel more comfortable tabling it once we know more information about the organization and presenting it on the floor
- Asks represented to come for senate
- **Fisher motions to amend bill as proposed, Donnelly seconds**
 - Senator Slimak added as a sponsor
 - Cost reduced due to dropping request to fund 5 college prep books for \$150.
- Senator Latham closes



- BILL 63 TABLED IN COMMITTEE. 06/17

Unfinished Business:

Final Announcements: Summer C move in, each person from the committee attend an RSO or Agency event to

Date and Time of Next Meeting: Monday, July 8th at 7:00pm

Adjourned: 8:03 pm