

# 75<sup>th</sup> Student Senate Budget Committee Date: 03/02/23 via Zoom

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Call to Order: 3:15 p.m.

Members Present: Chair Bettley, Vice-Chair Burton, Senator(s) Chehaitli, Brown, Dale, Long,

Malone, Tevlin

**Members Absent:** Senator(s) Mantilla (E), McEntyre (E)

**Guests:** Senator Walerio

Land Acknowledgment The Student Government of Florida State University acknowledges that it is located on land that is the ancestral and traditional territory of the Apalachee Nation, the Miccosukee Tribe of Florida, the Muscogee Creek Nation, and the Seminole Tribe of Florida. We recognize this land remains scarred by the legacies of violence and removal, we recognize the ongoing relationships of care that these Indigenous Nations maintain with this land, and we extend our gratitude as we live and work as humble and respectful guests upon their territory. We encourage all to learn about and educate others on the contemporary work of the Indigenous Nations whose land we are on and to endeavor to support Indigenous sovereignty in all the ways that we can.

#### **Announcements:**

- Chair Updates about possible budget reform will be next week.
- Members -
- Guests -

#### **Committee Business:**

- Bill 30
- Bill 31

## **Old Business:**

None

#### **New Business:**

- **Bill 31** Sponsored by Vice-Chair Burton and President Diaz A transfer of \$9000 from OGA's Expense category to their Food category
  - Opening: OGA has \$2,150 dollars in their food category, and that's not enough for their upcoming events. In their expenses category they have \$11,000 so this bill will just transfer that money over for them.

### General Questioning:

- Chair Bettley: Do they have any other plans for the extra remaining money, seeing that they're requesting \$9,000 and only plan on using \$5.000?
- Vice Chair Burton: Yeah it's for the end-of-the-year event
- Roundtable Debate:
  - None
- Motion to Call the Question
  - Senator Chehaitli moves
  - Senator Tevlin seconds
- Closing: This is just moving money over from the expense category to the food category to cater to two of OGA's upcoming events.
- Voting Results:
  - Yes (6) Brown, Burton, Dale, Long, Tevlin, Malone
  - No (0)
  - Abstention (0)
- Bill 31 passes
- Bill 30- Sponsored by Senator Walerio A transfer of \$6000 from WSU's Contractual Services category to their Expense category. This will fund upcoming Women's History Month events.
  - Opening: Moving 6,000 dollars from the contractual services account to the expense account so they can plan accordingly for Women's History Month. I have attached an itemized expenditure that explains what this money will go towards.
  - General Questioning:
    - Chair Bettley: Since Women's History Month has already started, when are the events planning on taking place since the bill won't be passed until next week?
    - Senator Walerio: Yes this money is planned to go towards events later in the month
  - Roundtable Debate:
    - None
  - Motion to Call the Question:
    - Senator Chehaitli moves
    - Senator Burton seconds
  - o Closing: Thank you guys for hearing me out and for your time.
  - Voting Results:
    - Yes (7) Burton, Chehaitli, Dale, Tevlin, Brown, Malone, Long
    - No (0)
    - Abstention (0)
  - Bill 30 passes

#### **Unfinished Business:**

None

# **Closing Announcements:**

• Chair Bettley: Let's try to have more discussion and ask more questions when it comes to moving money around.

**Next Meeting:** Thursday, March 9th at 3:15pm **Adjourned:** 3:31 p.m.

# Megan Bellley

Signature of Chair