



**75th Student Senate
Student Life Committee
Tuesday, January 17th, 2023 at 3:30pm | Zoom ID: 816 795 7655
Meeting Recording Link: [https://fsu.zoom.us/s/8167957655](https://fsu.zoom.us/j/8167957655)**

Call to Order: 3:37 pm

Members Present: Senator St. Hilaire, Chair Carter, Senator Walerio, Senator Pruim, Senator Hansen, Senator Barrett, ex. Officio President Diaz

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Members Absent: Senator Gummerman, Senator Walden, Senator Lewis, Senator Humberg, Senator Hockett, Vice Chair Meunier

Guests: Senator Folwell

Land Acknowledgement: 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:

Meeting times will be getting changed to allow for more committee members to attend meetings

Committee Business:

- Bill #1, Resolution #2, Resolution #3

Old Business:

New Business: Bill #1, Resolution #2, Resolution #3

- **BILL #1 - Sponsored by Senator Folwell (P), Senators Anderson, Barrett, Dale, Diaz, Hockett, McMahon, Rivera, Schindler, St. Hilaire (Co)**

This bill creates a Freshman Class Council.

- Opening Statement (5 mins): Senator Folwell: This bill was previously passed through the Student Life Committee in the 74th Senate where It was struck down by the Judiciary Committee. It was voted on unanimously by Student Life but reached a tie breaking decision by Judiciary. Their reasoning is that they believed that freshman should not have discretionary spending of A&S money. That is why I have added 302.5 D6. I have worked very tirelessly with Senior Class Council President, Bruce Suarez, as well as the rest of Senior Class Council. This bill will follow the same structure as the rest of the Class Councils.
- Technical Non-Debatable Questions: N/A

St. Hilaire moves to enter round-table discussion; Hansen seconds.

- Round-Table Discussion:
St. Hilaire: I am a co-sponsor for this bill, and I believe that a Freshman Class Council would allow freshman to feel comfortable and find a space, because they are so new, this allows for a way for many freshman to get involved and continue a leadership career as they progress through college. This is why I believe we should pass this bill.
Pruim: I'm in favor of it, because I was in Sophomore Class Council, and I was very shocked there was no Freshman Class Council because when I was a freshman, I was very excited to get involved in FSU, and I believe this would provide a great leadership outlet for them. I think this was a great addition and surprised it didn't happen sooner.

Barrett calls to move to question, Walerio seconds.

- Vote:
 - Yes: 5
 - No: 0
 - Abstain: 0
- **RESULT: BILL #1 PASSES**

New Business: Resolution #2

- **RESOLUTION #2 - Sponsored by Senator Folwell (P) St. Hilaire (Co)**
This resolution commemorates the Day of Eight Billion.
 - Opening Statement (5 mins): Folwell: This is a bill where we commemorate hitting eight billion people on Earth, and because Senate can sometimes not be as uplifting, I wanted to add this silly bill. I ask that somebody removes the "be it further resolved" clause, because it has been about two months now that the event has passed.
 - Technical Non-Debatable Questions: N/A

Senator St. Hilaire moves to enter round-table discussion; Hansen seconds.

- Round-Table Discussion: N/A

Senator St. Hilaire moves to amend; Barrett seconds.

St. Hilaire: I'd like to remove the be it further resolved clause in its entirety.

Sponsor finds it friendly.

Senator Barrett moves to call the question; St. Hilaire seconds.

- Vote:
 - Yes: 5
 - No: 0
 - Abstain: 0
- **RESULT: RESOLUTION #2 PASSES**

New Business: Resolution #3

- **RESOLUTION #3 - Sponsored by Senator Folwell (P) Anandjiwala, Brown, Casiple, Crusey, Hockett, Maglin, Pruiam, Walerio (Co)**
This resolution gives the Senate Award for Excellence to the National High Magnetic Field Laboratory.

- Opening Statement (5 mins): Senator Folwell: The "Mag Lab" on campus is a huge deal for physics majors and where FSU has the largest magnet in the world. This is a prime example of what the Award for Excellence is meant for. This is the first Award for Excellence for the new year, and they are more than deserving. It was pushed to the 75th because the 74th Senate could not get the trophy in time.
- ⚡ Technical Non-Debatable Questions: N/A

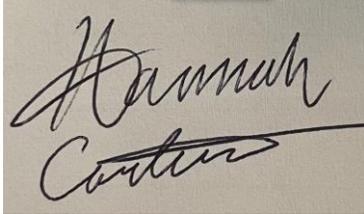
Senator Barrett moves to enter round table; St. Hilaire seconds.

- Round-Table Discussion:
Senator Barrett: Being that I'm from Tallahassee, going to the Mag Lab as a kid for field trips holds a lot of fond memories. I believe that they are very deserving of this award and should be honored for the work that they have done.
- Vote:
 - Yes: 5
 - No: 0
 - Abstain: 0

- **RESULT: RESOLUTION #3 PASSES**

Next Meeting: TBD upon when we determine the meeting time that works with everyone

Adjourned: 3:56 PM

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Signature of Chair, Hannah A. Carter