



Student Government Association

Call to Order

A meeting of the **Executive Cabinet** was held in the **Student Union** on **2/19/24 at 5:30pm**.

Attendees:

- Sarah Nemeth - Cabinet Director
- Malena Romero - Director of Health and Wellness
- Kolby Gawlik - Director of Sustainability

Absences:

- TJ Hockett - Director of Collegiate Affairs
- Hannah Carter - Director of Academic Affairs
- Autumn Anderson - Director of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

Agenda Items

1. Icebreaker
 - Welcome back! What is your rose and thorn of the month?
2. Roundtable Reports
3. Discussion
4. Closing Announcements

Roundtable Reports and Discussion

- Sarah: Our next meeting will be during election week, but our positions will not turn over until inauguration. TJ was not able to make it today, but he said he doesn't have any solid updates on the mural project yet.
- Malena: Sent a huge update in our chat. Got invited to a new committee under CHAW, Alcohol and Drug Task Force. Can't go to the next meeting, trying to find someone to take my place. Live Well event is next week. Things are going well, but I'm waiting on food updates. Hammocks came in. 10 are in Savannah's office, 10 have been misplaced. Carson is looking into it. Put in a purchase request for boxes to store them in Strozier. When you go to your

myFSU portal, there used to be a COVID button, now it'll take you to a landing page for University Health Services. Menstrual products in the dorms project is on hold. Yasamin passed another resolution on my behalf about the National College Health Assessment. I worked with AHEC, an anti-smoking initiative out of the College of Medicine, to cater a program for CHAW peer supporters. They will be trained on that.

- Sarah: Do you need any help with the event?
- Malena: CHAW has done a great job. They have two new employees who the Director has been having me work with, and they've been great.
- Kolby: I met with the PIRG Sustainability Coalition, and I got updates on dining. The automatic meal swipe project is a no go. The good news is that Seminole Cafe was certified ocean friendly. Suwannee is still waiting on a couple things they need to fix. The certification group on campus will maintain their compliance.
- Sarah: Is there any advertising associated with that?
- Kolby: They'll get a sticker on their door and advertise the certification on their social media. Next, a lot of my meetings have been about EV chargers after Senate passed a resolution about them. I met with some Senators, Sustainable Campus, and Transportation and Parking Services, and it doesn't look like much will happen with EVs in the short term, but we discussed other transportation related projects. I had a separate conversation with the TAPS Director to put on a survey about potential projects, mainly around funding and fee structures. They are operating in the red, and they need student support to change their funding mechanisms. It'll take multiple years to change. Andy recommended we use SGA's ballot, but it's too late to do it this election. The current questions don't give us much to work with. There could be a text box to get people more engaged and incentivize voting.
- Sarah: I love that. Even outside of the transportation question, utilizing the ballot to survey students could be super helpful. Just saying you approve of SGA's work doesn't tell us much.
- Kolby: I met with the Faculty Senate Sustainability committee to finalize our talking points for next week's meeting with President McCullough. We'll talk about transportation there, but the main topic will be curriculum and grant funding for research. For curriculum, we were talking about a sustainability tag to make it easier for students to search for related courses. For now, there's a general list on the Sustainable Campus website. I'll also talk about the student statement of sustainability support. The last two things I have are for the future, so I'm not sure how to approach them. I got asked to help out with an Earth Day event in April, but we won't be in our positions. I'll talk to Joseph about getting Senate involved because they want SGA involved in some way. I was also asked to attend a transportation advocacy board in April, but I won't have jurisdiction at that point.

- Sarah: Is there anything you need help with?
- Kolby: Not at this time.
- Sarah: Anything else before we close?
- Kolby: Congrats on the myFSU button, Malena!
- Malena: Thank you! It's been an ongoing project since my first meeting with UHS.

Closing Announcements

- Sarah: So many wins, I'm so proud of you guys! Our next meeting will be on March 4th at 5:30pm. After that meeting, we should start compiling transition documents.

Adjournment

A meeting of the **Executive Cabinet** was adjourned at **5:55pm.**

Minute Keeper: Sarah Nemeth