# THE SEVENTY-FIFTH STUDENT SENATE

Calendar: June 14th, 2023 Location: HCB 216 & Zoom Time: 7:30 pm

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### TECHNICAL MALFUNCTION - OWL RECORDER NOT AUDIBLE.

Call to Order:

Pledge of Allegiance:

Moment of Silent Reflection:

### 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 pay respect to their Elders past and present and extend that respect to their descendants and to all Indigenous people. We recognize this land remains scarred by the histories and ongoing legacies of settler colonial violence, dispossession, and removal. In spite of all this, and with tremendous resilience, these Indigenous Nations have remained deeply connected to this territory, to their families, to their communities, and to their cultural ways of life. We recognize the ongoing relationships of care that these Indigenous Nations maintain with this land and 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.

Roll Call:

Verification of Quorum:

Corrections and Approval of the Journal 05.31.2023

Student and RSO Comments:

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Special Introductions:

Report of Senate Officers:

Messages from the Executive Branch:

Messages from Agencies, Bureaus, Affiliated Projects, and SGA Organizations:

Messages from the Class Councils:

Messages from the Congress of Graduate Students:

Messages from the Judicial Branch:

Messages from the Union Board and Campus Recreation Board:

Report of the SGA Accounting Office: Remaining Balances: Senate Projects \$0, PAC \$0, RTAC \$0, and ORG Fund \$0

## Report of Senate Liaisons:

### Report of Committees:

- Judiciary
- Internal Affairs
- Budget
- Finance
- Student Life
- Rules
- Sustainability Ad Hoc

#### Senate Confirmations:

- Melanie Orta Veterans Student Union Assistant Director (1 Applicant)
- Daniel Ferraro Jewish Student Union Assistant Director (1 Applicant)
- Tory Kim Executive Branch, Financial Assistant (3 Applicants)
- KJ Foristall Executive Branch, Director of Social Media (2 Applicants)
- Yesenia Yataco Executive Branch, Co-Director of Programming (3 Applicants)
- David Russ Jewish Student Union Treasurer (1 Applicant)
- Juan Bustamante Executive Branch, Deputy Chief of Staff (2 Applicants)
- Will Gooden Executive Branch, Policy Director (5 Applicants)
- Eli McKown Dawson Executive Branch, Policy Director (5 Applicants)
- Maddie King Executive Branch, Budget Analyst (2 Applicants)
- Layla Matthews Executive Branch, Director of Photography (2 Applicants)
- Stephanie Matos Executive Branch, Director of Public Relations (1 Applicant)
- TJ Hockett Executive Branch, Director of Collegiate Affairs (3 Applicants)
- Autumn Anderson Executive Branch, Director of DEI (5 Applicants)
- Mekhi Lafontant Executive Branch, Co-Director of Programming (3 Applicants)
- Hannah Carter Executive Branch, Director of Academic Affairs (3 Applicants)

### Consent Calendar:

#### **Constitutional Amendments:**

### Bills First Reading:

### Resolutions First Reading:

Resolution 49 Sponsored by Senators Hine (P), Alvarez, Butrum, Chehaitli, Gomez,

Gorelick (Co)

To promote available resources to the LGBTQIA+ community at Florida State University in the wake of anti-LGBTQIA+ Legislative attacks

nationwide. (Tabled on the floor 06.14)

Resolution 50 Sponsored by Senators Hellman, Pedraja (P), Arellano, Kerley, Patel,

White (Co)

This resolution acknowledges the significance of the Fourth of July as a national holiday in the United States, commemorating the Declaration of Independence. It emphasizes the importance of unity, reflection on the sacrifices made by the country's forefathers, and the promotion of civic engagement and historical consciousness among the student body at Florida State University. The resolution encourages the celebration and recognition of Independence Day, participation in local events,

educational activities, and discussions, and calls upon the university administration to support and promote these initiatives while urging the community to reflect on upholding principles of liberty, justice, and

equality. (Tabled on the floor 06.14)

Resolution 51 Sponsored by Senator A. White (P)

This resolution aims to support and enhance accessibility to EBT terminal locations for students in need on the Florida State University campus through clear advertisement and website descriptions. (Tabled on the

floor 06.14)

#### Bills Second Reading:

Bill 52 Sponsored by Senators Randall, Salazar (P)

This eliminates the position of secretary from being a major office. (Referred to Internal Affairs and Judiciary. Amended and Passed in Internal Affairs 04.18. Passed in Judiciary 04.20. Tabled on the floor

04.26. Tabled on the floor 06.14)

Bill 56 Sponsored by Senators Cofer, Humberg (P) Butrum, Gomez, Gorelick,

Randall, Richards, Waller (Co)

This bill would allow students enrolled in the Panama City campus the ability to vote for Student Body Treasurer, and also amends the Panama

City statutes to modernize the language surrounding their voting procedures. (Referred to Internal Affairs and Judiciary. Passed in Judiciary 04.20. Tabled in Internal Affairs 04.24. Passed in Internal

Affairs 06.05. Tabled on the floor 06.14)

Bill 64 Sponsored by S. White (P)

This bill specifies that RSOs who are given A&S monies must have a Senate transfer bill padded if they want to transfer funds which originate from A&S fees between budget categories. (Referred to Finance and

Judiciary 05.26. Passed in Finance 06.06. Passed in Judiciary 06.07. Tabled on the floor 06.14)

### Resolutions Second Reading:

Resolution 44 Sponsored by Senators Salazar, S. White (P) Patel (Co)

To amend the Student Senate Rules of Procedures to help our committees work more efficiently. (Referred to Judiciary and Rules. Passed in Judiciary 04.20. Amended and Passed in Rules 04.26. Remanded to Internal Affairs 04.26. Passed in Internal Affairs 06.05.

Tabled on the floor 06.14)

Resolution 46 Sponsored by Senators S. White (P), Kerley

A resolution praising Florida State University's recent advancements, and commending the current administration's dedication towards furthering these gains. (Referred to Student Life and Rules 05.26. Passed in Student Life 06.07. Passed in Rules 06.13. Tabled on the floor 06.14)

Unfinished Business:

New Business:

Statements of Dissent:

### Announcements:

Advisor Announcements:

Final Roll Call and Adjournment: