

THE SEVENTY-SECOND STUDENT SENATE
Calendar: Wednesday, September 2, 2020
<https://fsu.zoom.us/j/94652559314>

Call to order:

Pledge of Allegiance:

Moment of Silent Reflection:

Roll Call:

Absent:

Late:

Verification of Quorum:

Corrections and Approval of the Journal:

Student and Non-Budgeted RSO Comments: https://fsu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_6gIN3e7wfKzpxNH

Special Introductions and Announcements: Dr. Kristin Dowell, FSU Art History, Associate Professor of Contemporary Native American Art & Film

Messages from the Executive Branch:

Messages from Agency and Bureau Directors, SGA Organizations Officers and Employees:

Messages from the Executive Cabinet:

Messages from the Class Councils:

Messages from the Congress of Graduate Students:

Messages from the Judicial Branch:

Messages from the Union Board and SOAR Board:

Messages from the Campus Recreation Board:

Report of the SGA Accounting Office: Remaining Balances: Senate Projects \$32000, PAC \$50000, RTAC \$60000, and ORG Fund \$4000

Report of Senate Liaisons:

Report of Committees: Judiciary, Budget, Finance, SLAA, IA. Rules met prior to Senate. RI&J Ad Hoc and Survivor Advocacy Ad Hoc did not meet.

Senate Confirmations: Melanie Green-VSU Secretary, John Wallace-VSU External Coordinator, Cam Bickley-VSU Internal Coordinator, Isabella Hernandez-PSU Treasurer, & Erick Tapia-HLSU Treasurer.

Jenesis Shaw – Senate Press Secretary

Jake John Raymond Alveraz – Senate Parliamentarian

Consent Calendar: PAC and RTAC did not meet in the summer.

Bills First Reading:

- Bill 39 Sponsored by Senator Sojos and Leckie (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 807.6K regarding funding board budgets in the fall. **REFERRED TO FINANCE THEN JUDICIARY, 2.19., TABLED IN FINANCE, 2.25, 3.10, 3.31, 4.14, 6.2, 6.16, 7.7.**
- Bill 57 Sponsored Sojos and Adamyk (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes 807.6 clarifying advertising regarding RSOs. **REFERRED TO FINANCE THEN JUDICIARY, 3.4., TABLED IN FINANCE, 3.10, 3.31, 4.14, 6.2, 6.16, 7.7.**
- Bill 58 Sponsored by Senator Sojos (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes 807.6G clarifying funding to organizations. **REFERRED TO FINANCE THEN JUDICIARY, 3.4., TABLED IN FINANCE, 3.10, 3.31, 4.14, 6.2, 6.16, 7.7.**
- Bill 68 Sponsored by Senator Sojos (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 807.6 regarding RTAC. **REFERRED TO FINANCE, THEN JUDICIARY, 3.11. PASSED IN JUDICIARY OUT OF SEQUENCE, 4.6. TABLED IN FINANCE, 7.7**
- Bill 72 Sponsored by Senator Primozic (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 303.2 regarding TLI Leadership. **REFERRED TO IA THEN JUDICIARY, 3.11., PASSED IA, 4.14.**
- Bill 75 Sponsored by Senator Sojos (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 807.6G regarding travel funding limits. **REFERRED TO FINANCE THEN JUDICIARY, 4.1, TABLED IN FIANNCE, 7.7.**
- Bill 86 Sponsored by Senator Dodson (P), Stinson, and Adams (Co)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 100.5 to add Deputy Treasurer and members of the Executive Office to the list of major positions. **REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, THEN IA, 7.1 AMENDED AND PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 7.7., AMENDED AND PASSED IN IA 7.14**
- Bill 87 Sponsored by Senator Ryan (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 802.4 with regards to Public Advertisement of events. **REFERRED TO FINANCE, THEN JUDICIARY, 7.1. TABLED IN FINANCE, 7.7.**
- Bill 88 Sponsored by Senator Gnanam (P) and Bogle (Co)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 207.4 with regards to New Senator Orientation. **REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, THEN RULES, 7.1, AMENDED AND PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 7.7. TABLED IN RULES, 7.15**
- Bill 97 Sponsored by Senators Leckie & J. Alvarez (P)

Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 100.5 and 421 to create non-voting delegates of the Student Senate. **REFERRED TO SLAA, JUDICIARY, THEN RULES, 7.1, TABLED IN SLAA, 7.7., FAILED IN SLAA, 7.10.**

Bill 98 Sponsored by Senator Dean (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 413.3 regarding renaming of the Student Senate Excellence Award to the Danielle Acosta Student Senate Award for Excellence.

Bills Second Reading:

Bill 62 Sponsored by Senator Villacorta & Gnanam (P), Murcia (Co)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 1005.5 regarding amendments. **GNANAM ADDED AS PRIMARY SPONSOR AND MURCIA AS COSPONSOR BY VILLACORTA AND PORTER. REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, 3.4. AMENDED AND PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 3.9.**
Weber moves to send back to committee, Sojos seconds, Maymon objects. Ready calls the question, England seconds, **29-12-0 REMANDED, 3.11.**
TABLED IN JUDICIARY, 3.30. TABLED IN JUDICIARY, 4.6. PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 6.1.

Bill 66 Sponsored by Senators Villacorta & Acanda (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 307 regarding changing the SGA application. **REFERRED TO INTERNAL AFFAIRS THEN TO JUDICIARY, 3.4., PASSED IN IA, 3.31. PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 4.6.**

Bill 79 Sponsored by Senator Lavender and Ready (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 300.2. **REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, 4.15. PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 6.1.**

Bill 80 Sponsored by Senator Lavender and Ready (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 300.4 **REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, 4.15. PASSED THEN TABLED IN JUDICIARY, 6.1. AMENDED AND PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 6.15.**

Bill 81 Sponsored by Senator Lavender and Ready (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 300.5.
Lavender moved to put a bill on first reading, seconded by Leckie, no objections, 4.15. REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, 4.15. PASSED THEN TABLED IN JUDICIARY, 6.1. AMENDED AND PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 6.15.

Bill 82 Sponsored by Senator Lavender and Ready (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapters 300-302.
Lavender moved to put a bill on first reading, seconded by Leckie, no objections, 4.15. REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, 4.15. PASSED THEN TABLED IN JUDICIARY, 6.1. PASSED AS AMENDED IN JUDICIARY, 6.23.

Bill 85 Sponsored by Senator Leckie (P), Adamyk, Porter, Murcia, Waters, Kilinc, Martin (Co)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 300 with regards to the Attorney General. **REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, 5.20. TABLED IN JUDICIARY, 6.1. PASSED AS AMENDED IN JUDICIARY, 6.23.**

Bill 83 Sponsored by Dean (P) and Fahey (Co)
An allocation of \$2000 from Senate Projects to the Professionole Clothing Closet.

Dean moves to put a bill on first reading, seconded by Gonzalez, no objections, 4.15. REFERRED TO SLAA THEN BUDGET, 4.15. PASSED IN SLAA, 6.1. AMENDED AND PASSED IN BUDGET, 6.2.

- Bill 84 Sponsored by Senator Leckie (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 509 with regards to appointing General Counsel. **REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, 5.20. TABLED IN JUDICIARY, 6.1., PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 6.15.**
- Bill 89 Sponsored by Senator Murcia (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 401.3 regarding omnibus bills. **REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, 7.1, AMENDED AND PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 7.7.**
- Bill 90 Sponsored by Senator Murcia (P) and Chabot (Co)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 404 regarding Senate terms and applications. **REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, THEN RULES, 7.1, AMENDED AND PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 7.7., PASSED IN RULES, 7.15**
- Bill 91 Sponsored by Senator Mougey (P) and Adamyk (Co)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 807 with regards to updating “SOAR Board” to “Engagement Ambassadors.” **REFERRED TO FINANCE, THEN JUDICIARY, 7.1., PASSED IN FINANCE, 7.7., PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 7.13**
- Bill 92 Sponsored by Senator J. Alvarez, Chabot (P) and Murcia (Co)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 304.3 with regards to the candidate screening process. **REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, IA, THEN RULES, 7.1., PASSED AND AMENDED IN JUDICIARY 7.13., TABLED IN IA, 7.14**
- Bill 93 Sponsored by Senator J. Alvarez
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 211 to add SGA Indigenous Land Acknowledgment. **REFERRED TO SLAA, JUDICIARY, THEN RULES, 7.1, TABLED IN SLAA, 7.7. PASSED IN SLAA 7.10, PASSED AND AMENDED IN JUDICIARY 7.13., PASSED IN RULES, 7.15, PASSED IN SENATE 7.15, VETOED by SGA President**
- Bill 94 Sponsored by Senators J. Alvarez & Murcia (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 307.3 regarding forwarding letters. **REFERRED TO IA, JUDICIARY, THEN RULES, 7.1. AMENDED AND PASSED IN IA, 7.7., PASSED IN RULES, 7.15**
- Bill 95 Sponsored by Senator J. Alvarez (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 203.6 regarding publishing of minutes for all meetings. **REFERRED TO SLAA, JUDICIARY, THEN RULES, 7.1, TABLED IN SLAA, 7.7. AMENDED AND PASSED IN SLAA, 7.10, PASSED IN RULES 7.15**
- Bill 96 Sponsored by Senators J. Alvarez & Leckie (P)
Amending Student Body Statutes Chapter 400.5 regarding abstentions. **REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, THEN RULES, 7.1, PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 7.13., PASSED IN RULES, 7.15**

Constitutional Amendments:

- Amendment 1 Sponsored by Senator Leckie (P)
To create a constitutional review commission in the Student Body Constitution. **REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, SLAA, THEN RULES, 7.1 AMENDED AND PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 7.7., FAILED IN SLAA 7.10**
- Amendment 2 Sponsored by Senator Murcia (P) and Chabot (Co)
Amending Student Body Constitution with regards to the number of Student Senators. **REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, SLAA, THEN RULES, 7.1 AMENDED AND PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 7.7., PASSED IN SLAA 7.10**
- Amendment 3 Sponsored by Senator Murcia (P)
Amending the Student Body Constitution to limit the number of students needed for a petition of recall. **REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, SLAA, THEN RULES, 7.1 AMENDED AND PASSED IN JUDICIARY, 7.7., PASSED IN SLAA 7.10**
- Amendment 4 Sponsored by Senator J. Alvarez (P)
Amending the Student Body Constitution to abolish the offices of the Student Body President and Vice President to establish an Executive Council. **REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, SLAA, THEN RULES, 7.1., TABLED IN JUDICIARY, 7.7., FAILED IN JUDICIARY, 7.13**
- Amendment 5 Sponsored by Senator J. Alvarez (P)
To make the Student Body President and Vice President run separately.
- Amendment 6 Sponsored by Senator J. Alvarez (P)
Editing the Student Body Constitution with regards to the Student Body Treasurer

Resolutions:

- Resolution 45 Sponsored by Senator Porter (P)
Regarding the University's partnership with Honorlock.
Porter moves to place a resolution on the floor, seconded by Gnanam. REFERRED TO SLAA. PASSED IN SLAA, 6.1. REMANDED BACK TO SLAA, 7.1 (Porter/England). TABLED IN SLAA, 7.7., AMENDED & PASSED IN SLAA 7.13
- Resolution 48 Sponsored by Senator Gnanam (P) and Bogle (Co)
Commending the five years of education and service that Green Dot has provided FSU and encouraging members of the student body to go through Green Dot Training **REFERRED TO SLAA THEN RULES, 7.1. TABLED IN SLAA, 7.7., AMENDED IN SLAA 7.10, TABLED IN RULES, 7.15**
- Resolution 49 Sponsored by Senator Chabot (P) and Leckie, Murcia (Co)
Encouraging the City of Tallahassee to aid and support students who suffer hardships due to COVID. **REFERRED TO SLAA THEN RULES, 7.1. TABLED IN SLAA, 7.7. AMENDED AND PASSED in SLAA, 7.10, PASSED IN RULES, 7.15**
- Resolution 52 Sponsored by Senator Murcia (P) and Leckie (Co)
Amending Student Senate Rules of Procedure 1.7 and 6.4 with regards to the Internal Affairs Committee. **REFERRED TO IA THEN RULES, 7.1, PASSED IN IA, 7.7., PASSED IN RULES, 7.8**
- Resolution 53 Sponsored by Senator Murcia (P)

Amending Student Senate Rules of Procedure 10.17. **REFERRED TO RULES, 7.1, PASSED IN RULES, 7.8**

- Resolution 54 Sponsored by Murcia (P) and Chabot (Co)
Amending Student Senate Rules of Procedure Rule 1 regarding the organizational meeting of the Senate. **REFERRED TO RULES, 7.1, PASSED IN RULES, 7.8**
- Resolution 55 Sponsored by Murcia (P) and Chabot (Co)
Amending Student Senate Rules of Procedure Rule 1 with regards to attendance for Senate leadership decisions. **REFERRED TO RULES, 7.1, TABLED IN RULES, 7.15**
- Resolution 56 Sponsored by Senator Stinson (P) and England (Co)
Student Senate's Commitment to the Student Veterans Center and the Cord and Coin Ceremony. **REFERRED TO SLAA, 7.1., AMENDED AND PASSED IN SLAA, 7.7.**
- Resolution 57 Sponsored by Senator Murcia
Amending Student Senate Rules of Procedure 11.10 regarding pro/con debate. **REFERRED TO RULES, 7.1**
- Resolution 58 Sponsored by Senator J. Alvarez
Amending Student Rules of Procedure 13.8 regarding Senator absences. **REFERRED TO RULES, 7.1**
- Resolution 59 Sponsored by Senators Rudd, Adamyk (P), Adams, Cusnier, England, Mougey, Murray, Selva, and Stinson (Co)
Student Senate committing to better support the Jewish community in SGA. **Murcia moves to send the resolution to committee, England seconds. REFERRED TO SLAA, 7.1., AMENDED AND PASSED IN SLAA, 7.1. Passed in Senate 7.15**
- Resolution 60 Sponsored by Senators Waters, Garcia (P), A. Alvarez, J. Alvarez, Gabadage, Gonzalez, Medley-Neyra, Palacio, Tookes
Advocating for the renaming of Doak Campbell Stadium to Charlie Ward Field. **REFERRED TO SLAA THEN RULES, 7.1. TABLED IN SLAA, 7.7., PASSED IN SLAA 7.13**
- Resolution 61 Sponsored by Senators Garcia, Waters (P), A. Alvarez, J. Alvarez, Gabadage, Gonzalez, Medley-Neyra, Palacio
Advocating for the renaming of Suwannee room to Eva Killings Suwannee Room. **REFERRED TO SLAA THEN RULES, 7.1. TABLED IN SLAA, 7.7., AMENDED & PASSED IN SLAA 7.13**
- Resolution 62 Sponsored by Senators Leckie, Gonzalez (P), Waters, Garcia, Gabadage, Mougey, and Rudd
Encouraging Florida State University to require the completion of a race and ethnicity credit before graduation. **REFERRED TO SLAA THEN RULES, 7.1. TABLED IN SLAA, 7.7.& 7.13**
- Resolution 63 Sponsored by Chabot and J. Alvarez
Urging the leadership of FSU ROTC to take means to remove any Battle Streamers related to the actions taken by Confederate military forces during the Civil War. **REFERRED TO SLAA THEN RULES, 7.1. TABLED IN SLAA, 7.7., PASSED IN SLAA 7.13**
- Resolution 64 Sponsored by Chabot, Murcia (P), J. Alvarez, Hinks, Gnanam

Strongly urging the administration to reconsider its reversal of their previous decision to allow employees to care for children while working remotely from home. **REFERRED TO SLAA THEN RULES, 7.1. AMENDED AND PASSED IN SLAA, 7.7., PASSED IN RULES, 7.15, PASSED IN SENATE 7.15**

- Resolution 65 Sponsored by Senator J. Alvarez (P), Leckie, Mrcia, Chabot, Gnanam, Hinks, and Wang (Co) Encouraging the University Administration to expand the means in which the Student Body is educated regarding Indigenous Nations and reach out to other nations that use the “Seminole” name.
- Resolution 66 Sponsored by Senators Hinks & Gnanam (P), Wang, Bogle, and Murcia Apologizing to survivors on behalf on individuals that did not showcase their support for survivors during the Senate meeting. **PASSED IN SENATE 7.15**
- Resolution 67 Sponsored by Senator Leckie (P), and Chabot (Co) Sponsoring the creation of an SGA Task Force on COVID-19.
- Resolution 68 Sponsored by Senators Chabot & Murcia (P), Waters, J. Alvarez, Wang, Garcia, Martin, Hinks & Palacio Strongly supporting the removal of the Eppes Statue and the renaming of the Eppes building. **PASSED IN SENATE 7.15**
- Resolution 69 Sponsored by Wang (P), Bogle, Gnanam, & Hinks (Co) Amending Student Senate Rules of Procedure 5.12 regarding Ad Hoc Committees.
- Resolution 70 Sponsored by Senators Rudd and Stinson (P), Senators Adams, Chabot, Wang, Waters (Co) Urging for the renaming of BK Roberts Hall and SGA advocacy to do so.
- Resolution 72 Sponsored by Senator Sam (P), Dean, Gonzalez, and Martin (Co) Condemning the actions of Fort Hood, standing in solidarity with survivors, and pledging to support student veterans. **PASSED in Senate 7.15**
- Resolution 73 Sponsored by Dean and Alvarez, Adams, Adamyk, Chabot, Cusnier, Daraldik, England, Gabadage, Garcia, Gonzalez, Hinks, Leckie, Little, Martin, Medley-Neyra, Mougey, Murcia, Murray, Rudd, Ryan, Sam, and Sojos (Co) Recognizing Dr. Danielle Acosta’s dedication and service to the Student Senate and want to rename the “Senate Award for Excellence”, be renamed the “Danielle Acosta Senate Award for Excellence” by a Bill.
- Resolution 74 Sponsored by Martin (P), Adams, Chabot, Dean, Gabadage, Gonzalez, and Murray (Co) Encouraging and acknowledging student leaders in the Student Senate, Executive Branch, and all other Student Government entities to focus on education and accountability to create an inclusive and productive environment at Florida State University.
- Resolution 75 Sponsored by Chabot and Leckie (P) The Senate Judiciary Committee voted to establish a Senate Investigate Board pursuant to statute 406.
- Resolution 76 Sponsored by Leckie and A. Gonzalez (P) Urges university to expand the Diversity Credit Requirement

- Resolution 77 Sponsored by Harmon
Remembers the FSU students who passed during the 19-20 school year
- Resolution 78 Sponsored by Sojos
Rules 1.8 and 1.9, as currently written, inhibit the Senate President or Senate President Pro-Tempore from addressing the Senate in their defense other than during short rounds of pro/con debate, therefore
- Resolution 79 Sponsored by Adams and Gonzalez (P), Dean, Leckie Martin, Rudd, and Sam (Co)
Explained the issues Senate had to deal with during the Summer of 2020

Unfinished Business:

Statements of Dissent:

New Business: Veto of Bill 93 and Veto Bill 26

Closing Announcements:

Advisor Announcements:

Final Roll Call: