



**73rd Student Senate
Budget Committee
Date: 09/21/21 via Zoom**

Call to Order: 6:06 p.m.

Members Present: Chair Gonzalez, Vice Chair Tackett, Senator(s), Bettley, Lewis

Members Absent: Senator(s) Marcus (Excused), Berger (Excused), Keyser (Unexcused)

Guests: Senator Randall, Brooke Cohen

Land Acknowledgment

Announcements:

- Chair - We have chosen dates for budget week. Applications would open next Monday, and they would be open until October 11th. And hearings would be from October 15th until the 28th. Deliberations will be October 29th. This took us a while to figure out because we wanted to schedule a budget week after elections and homecoming week. I will send a poll in the Group-Me to see who can meet on October 29th. It will likely be a 12 hour deliberation. We will have to know now if you have any issues with making it so we can figure out what to do in advance. We have several statutes we have to abide by.
- Members - Senator Tackett: Sweepings are happening starting tomorrow. Show up! This will be a good thing to come out and watch to see because budget week will run in a similar manner. Ashley, we should ask if anyone else wants to come to sweepings.
- Chair Gonzalez: Seeing that Senator Bettley has scheduling conflicts, is there anyone else that would like to be on sweepings?
- Lewis: I do not want to be on sweepings
- Guests - Senator Randall: We need RTAC members. We have no members. Tell people about RTAC. It is a year-long appointment that will last until may. We are taking RTAC and PAC requests right now. There are thousands of dollars to give out. Most importantly, help find members.

Committee Business:

- Budget Orientation, Bill 52

Old Business:

- None

New Business:

- **Bill #52** - Sponsored by Chair Randall - To transfer \$500 from Executive Projects to the Jewish Student Union to pay for the Jewish Student Union Director's Fall 2021 salary.
 - **Opening:** Senator Randall: This bill is pretty simple. It is to fund OPS wages for the fall for the JSU director. I did make a mistake that needs to be amended. After speaking to the whole team of people that this affects, agency directors are funded 7.5 hours not 5 hours as i previously thought. This has full support of the treasurer and everyone else it affects.
 - **Questioning Period**
 - Senator Tackett : Is it going to be more than 500 dollars since the hours were wrong?
 - Randall: Yes, the subtotal needs to be 750, not 500.
 - **Roundtable Debate**
 - Senator Tackett : **Move**
 - Senator Bettley: **So seconded**
 - Gonzalez: Seeing no one wants to debate, we will enter the second round of debate where we can make the necessary amendments.
 - Tackett: **I move to amend**
 - Lewis: **So seconded**
 - Gonzalez: Does the sponsor find it friendly?
 - Randall: Yes
 - **Motion to Call the Question**
 - Senator Tackett: **Move**
 - Senator Lewis: **So seconds**
 - **Closing:** Randall: Thank yall for hearing this. I hope you vote yes.
 - **Voting Results:**
 - Yes - (3) Tackett, Bettley, Lewis
 - No - (0)
 - Abstention - (0)
 - **Bill passes**
- **Budget Orientation**

Unfinished Business:

- None

Closing Announcements:

Chair Gonzalez: We will be meeting next week to hear the budget resolutions.

Next Meeting: 9/28 at 6 p.m.

Adjourned: 6:36 p.m.



Signature of Chair