



Florida A&M University
50th Student Senate | Fall Academic Term
First Session Agenda
August 24th, 2020

A. Call to Order

- Meeting was called to order at 6:01

B. Moment Dedication

- Chairman Walter yielded his time to Senator Jean-Louis
- Senator Jean-Louis proceeded with moment of dedication

C. Alma Mater/Pledge of Allegiance

- Chairman Lewis moved to bypass point “C”
- Chairwoman Robinson seconded the motion

D. Roll Call/Verification of Quorum

Senators	Present	Absent
Joshua Brown	X	
Randall Leath, Jr.	X	
Kamren Mackey		X
Kennedy Patton		X
Zachary Bell	X	
Ahmad Kebe	X	
Ezekiel Woods	X	

Joshua Clements	X	
Maurice Gilbert	X	
Israel Chipman	X	
Theresa Jean-Louis	X	
Travis Finley Jr.	X	
Makira Burns	X	
Kayla Braggs	X	
Artise Lewis	X	
Amon McKinney	X	
Maya Robinson	X	
William Walter	X	
Marcus Thomas (PT)		Excused
Shanel Brown (P)	X	
Total	17	3

E. Approval of Agenda/Minutes

- Chairwoman moved to add “Election Schedule” to New Business
- Meeting agenda was approved after a general move and second of the motion

F. Introduction of Guests/Speakers

- No one was introduced

G. Announcements/Committee Reports

A. Internal Develop Select Committee

- Chairwoman thanked the Senate body for attending the training this past week
- New Senator/Freshman Senator training coming soon

B. Activity and Service Fee Liaison

- Upcoming A&S reports (date is not concrete but begin meeting with agencies)

C. Student Relations Committee

- SRC will begin meeting on Thursday at 4:00
- Chair PSA Scripts due tomorrow night (If more time is needed please let Chairman Lewis know)

D. Organization & Finance Committee

- Committee meeting time is TBD
- Final Budget amendments to come

E. Elections & Appointments Committee

- Senator Jean-Louis gave report
- Committee Meeting time TBD

F. Judicial & Rules Committee

- Committee Meetings TBD

G. Senate Executive Committee

- Chairwoman Robinson stood in as Protemp
- No reports for SEC at this time

H. Branch Head Report

- Opened with reminding senate body to secure 4.0 GPAs for this semester

- Senate workroom access is TBD; at this point office is off limits
- Bill transmittal forms, meeting agendas, bill templates and other Senate documents are available in email folder
- Project Management site being used for quarterly goals

H. Executive/Judicial Branch Reports

Executive Branch

- SGA President McClinton working diligently for new calendar events and student initiatives
- “Black Business of the Month” Page on SGA Instagram is active and open for submissions
- Supreme court nominations to come
- New Chief Diversity Officer and Deputy have been appointed for this coming year (New position for the executive branch)
- Sexual Assault misconduct training and education program to come for the campus (mandatory for all organizational intake)

- COVID-19 has changed how events will be conducted; but events are in the works
- Working with the Leon County Review Board to help educate and advocate for justice reforms
- SGA President McClinton swore in Senators Patton, Leath, and Brown.

Judicial Branch

- No new reports

I. Campus Activities Board Report

- No reports

J. Lobbying & Speakers Forum

- Chairman Lewis stated there were no speakers

K. A&S Agency Reports

- Liaison Braggs stated there were no reports

L. University Liaison Reports

- There were no reports

M. Second Roll Call

Senators	Present	Absent
Joshua Brown	X	
Randall Leath, Jr.	X	
Kamren Mackey		X
Kennedy Patton	X	
Zachary Bell	X	
Ahmad Kebe	X	
Ezekiel Woods	X	

Joshua Clements	X	
Maurice Gilbert	X	
Israel Chipman	X	
Theresa Jean-Louis	X	
Travis Finley Jr.	X	
Makira Burns	X	
Kayla Braggs	X	
Artise Lewis	X	
Amon McKinney	X	
Maya Robinson	X	
William Walter	X	
Marcus Thomas	X	
Shanel Brown	X	
Total	19	1

N. Confirmation(s)

- No Confirmations

O. Unfinished Business

- No unfinished business
- Motion was accepted to move election schedule ahead of budget revisions

P. New Business

A. Election Schedule

- EC Taylor presented the proposed election schedule
 - *September 7th- 11th: Declaration of Candidacy
 - *September 13th: Candidates Meeting
 - *September 14th-15th: Dead Days
 - *September 16th-22nd: Campaign Period

*September 18th: Last Day for Write-Ins

*September 20th: Candidate's Pageant

*September 24th: Run-Off Elections

B. Budget Revisions

- Motion was properly moved and seconded to table the Budget Amendments for next meeting

i. * absent senator/ not present for the vote **acting President

Senators	For	Against	Abstain
Joshua Brown	X		
Randall Leath Jr.	X		
Kamren Mackey	*		
Kennedy Patton	X		
Zachary Bell	X		
Ahmad Kebe	X		
Ezekiel Woods	X		
Joshua Clements	X		
Maurice Gilbert	X		
Israel Chipman	*		
Theresa Jean-Louis	X		
Travis Finley Jr.	X		
Makira Burns	X		
Kayla Braggs	X		
Artise Lewis	X		
Amon McKinney	X		
Maya Robinson	X		
William Walter	*		
Marcus Thomas	X		
Shanel Brown	**		
Total	16	0	0

Q. Senate Secretary Report

A. Attendance Violations

- Acting Secretary Braggs stated there were no attendance violations

B. Legislation Report

- Senate President stated there were no reports

R. Open Forum (2 Minutes)

S. Final Roll Call

Senators	Present	Absent
Joshua Brown	X	
Randall Leath, Jr.	X	
Kamren Mackey	X	
Kennedy Patton	X	
Zachary Bell	X	
Ahmad Kebe	X	
Ezekiel Woods	X	
Joshua Clements	X	
Maurice Gilbert	X	
Israel Chipman		X
Theresa, Jean-Louis	X	
Travis Finley Jr.	X	
Makira Burns	X	
Kayla Braggs	X	
Artise Lewis	X	
Amon McKinney	X	
Maya Robinson	X	
William Walter		Excused
Marcus Thomas	X	
Shanel Brown	X	
Total	18	2

T. Adjournment

- Meeting adjourned at 7:13