

**Florida A&M University
Student Government Association
49th Student Senate
SAB20SP-005**

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Sponsor: Vice-Chairman Jones

First Reading: January 27, 2020

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Title: FAMU ASABE
Legislation: Senate Appropriation Bill

Whereas, The Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University Student Senate is the Legislative Branch of the Student Government Association and is empowered to pass legislation as it deems necessary to carry out the functions of the Student Government Association, and

Whereas, The FAMU Chapter of the American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers (ASABE), is a student branch of ASABE promoting Agricultural and Biological Engineering that offers opportunities for professional development, leadership, services to the community, and social activities. Their goal is to increase minority graduates in the field of Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) and prepare undergraduates to participate and contribute in state and national science and engineering forms, and

Whereas, The 2020 ASABE Southeast Region Student Rally is being held March 27th through March 29th. The FAMU Chapter of ASABE was previously awarded last year as “Outstanding Student Branch of American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers”, the first Historically Black College and University to do so.

Whereas, CAFS is the heart and soul that keeps FAMU standing as a land grant University. The rally is a pivotal point for BSE majors to get firsthand exposure to USDA related entities. These students will get the chance to enhance their knowledge and get hands on experience, innovative teaching methods to teach abstract and complex concepts in natural resource engineering, as well as to train multi-disciplinary graduate students. The rally will be among a diverse classes and give the college a chance to network, shine, secure employment for summers to come, and be the stepping stool to jump start careers for students to network effectively.

Therefore,

Be it Appropriated, nine thousand three-hundred ninety-seven dollars and fifty cents (\$9,397.50) to fund the travel expenses for the FAMU Student Chapter of ASABE to attend the National ASABE Student Rally/ Conference from March 27th-29th, 2020 in Knoxville, TN.

Proviso Language: This piece of legislation will take effect upon signage by the Student Body President.

Special Allocation Bill Budget

General Expenses				
Item	Description	Quantity	Unit Price	Total Cost
Social/Recruitment/Retention	Refreshments for Student Club meetings/Speaker	1	\$160.00	\$160.00
				\$0.00
ASABE T-Shirt		15	11.50	\$172.50
ASABE Hats		0	0	\$0.00
				\$0.00
				\$0.00
Total General Expenses				\$332.50
Activities and Programs				
Event 1				
Description of Activity:				
Estimated Cost of Activity				
Item	Description	Quantity	Unit Price	Total Cost
				\$0.00
				\$0.00
				\$0.00
				\$0.00
				\$0.00
				\$0.00
Total Activities and Programming				\$0.00
A&S Travel Request				
Travel 1				
Description and Purpose for Travel:				
	# of People, Rooms, or Tickets	Days/Nights	Unit Cost	Total Item Cost
Registration	0	1	\$0.00	\$0.00
Hotel	5	2	\$227.00	\$2270.00
Transportation	15	1	\$453.00	\$6795.00
Travel Total				\$9065.00
Total Allocation				\$9,397.50

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For: 23 Opposed: 0 Abstain: 0

Pass: X Fail:

Student Senate President *Christopher V. Miller*

Date: 02/04/2020

Student Body President *Rocharad Moricette*

Date: 02/05/2020