

Florida A&M University

54th Student Senate | Fall Academic Term

Fourth Session Agenda

September 16, 2024 | 6:20 p.m.

Senate Chambers

A. Call to Order

- 6:23 p.m.
- B. Moment of Dedication
- Conducted by Chairman La'France
- Senators entered from the gallery

C. Alma Matter / Pledge of Allegiance

- Moved by Pro-Tempore Copeland
- Seconded by Vice Chairwoman Gaines

D. Roll Call / Verification of Quorum

Senator	Present	Absent	Excused
Myles Sloan	Х		
Jada Pierre		X	
Rayshawn Bien- Aime	X		
Joseph Stuckey	X		
Essence Gilbert	Х		
Lovely Eveque		X	
Rose Laure Louis	X		
Tiana Daniels	X		
Tron Jones		X	
Kennedy Williams			X

Taelor Harden	X		
Kobe Buggs		X	
Vice Chairwoman Kaitlyn Gaines	Х		
Vice Chairman Jonathan McClover	Х		
Vice Chairwoman Tyler-Symone Brown	X		
Vice Chairwoman TaMya Braclet		X	
Chairman Larry LaFrance	Х		
A&S Liaison Connor Cooper	Х		
Chairman Da'Jon Newhouse		X	
Chairwoman Nikiyah Brown	Х		
Chairwoman Zuri Sims	Х		
Chairwoman Nissa Phillip	X		
Pro-Tempore Treyvious Copeland	X		
President Zayla Bryant	Х		
Total (24)	17	6	1

E. Approval of Agenda / Minutes

- Moved by Chairwoman Phillip; Seconded by Pro-Tempore Copeland
- F. Disclaimer for Behavior to the Gallery
- G. Introduction of Guests and Speakers
- Senators from the back entered

H. Announcements and Committee Reports

- i. Internal Development Committee
- Report given by Chairman LaFrance
 - Senator Social at the Bowling Alley during Senate Hours
- ii. Student Relations Committee
- Report given by Vice Chairwoman Gaines:
 - So You Think You Can Lead panel is on 9/20 at 6 p.m.
- iii. Activity & Service Fee Liaison
- Report given by A&S Liaison Cooper
 - A&S Workshop will be hosted, and attendance is required by all senators
- iv. Organization & Finance Committee
- Report given by Chairwoman Brown:
 - Meeting tomorrow at 5 p.m.
 - ASC at 5 p.m.
- v. Elections & Appointments Committee
- Report given by Chairwoman Sims
 - Conducted final interviews yesterday and are being confirmed today
 - o Full SGA
 - Electoral Commission Presentation changes have been made, reference the third session minutes
- Senators in the back entered
 - vi. Judicial & Rules Committee
 - Report given by Chairwoman Phillip
 - Did not review the bill for SRC due to SRC not meeting
 - vii. Senate Executive Committee
 - Report given by Pro-Tempore Copeland
 - Review and revise (add in later) last Thursday
- Chairman La'France temporarily exited
 - viii. Branch Head Report
 - Report given by President Bryant
 - Tri-Branch Meeting this Thursday
 - Please send in your excuse in necessary
 - o Inauguration is next Friday
 - Swipe Cards and OPS Packets need to be turned in

- Sign-in was rocky but will get more consistent
- Pro-Tempore Copeland temporarily exited
 - ix. Senate Secretary Report
 - No Report
- I. Executive / Judicial Branch Report
 - Report given by Brittany Young
 - SGA Week has been reduced to just the Open House and Inauguration
 - Waiting on approval from iStrike for one more event
 - Office of Attorney General is working on updating the Election Pamphlet
 - Discussed the UCF Trip
 - Tri-Branch Meeting is at 6 p.m.
 - Open House will be from 5:30 p.m.-8:00p.m.
- Senators in the back entered
 - SGA Vice President Dakarai Williams
 - Homecoming Budget Allocation
 - Homecoming concert budget is 300,000
 - Sponsor will be covering the entire concert
 - Budget included security, Week Graphics, Production 70,000
 - Fashion Show 8k
 - Taste of a Rattler 20000
 - Gospel Show 15,000
 - Comedy Show 20,000 need 40,000
 - 5000 for Artist Ryders
 - Emergency Fund 25000
 - Vice Chairman McClover moved to make a line-item programming; Seconded by Chairwoman Brown
 - Vice Chairman McClover moved to move 300000 into the line-item budget; Seconded by Chairwoman Sims

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Myles Sloan	Х		
Jada Pierre	Х		
Rayshawn Bien- Aime	Х		

Joseph Stuckey	X	
Essence Gilbert	X	
Lovely Eveque	X	
Rose Laure Louis	Х	
Tiana Daniels	Х	
Tron Jones	*not present	
Kennedy Williams	*not present	
Taelor Harden	Х	
Kobe Buggs	*not present	
Vice Chairwoman Kaitlyn Gaines	X	
Vice Chairman Jonathan McClover	X	
Vice Chairwoman Tyler-Symone Brown	X	
Vice Chairwoman TaMya Braclet	*not present	
Chairman Larry LaFrance	Х	
A&S Liaison Connor Cooper	X	
Chairman Da'Jon Newhouse	Х	
Chairwoman Nikiyah Brown	Х	

Chairwoman Zuri Sims	X		
Chairwoman Nissa Phillip	X		
Pro-Tempore Treyvious Copeland	X		
Total (23)	20	0	0

- Senators from the back entered
- J. Campus Activities Board Report
 - o No Report
- K. Lobbying and Speakers Forum
 - Krysten Hood from FAMUan
- L. University Liaison Reports
 - No Report

M. Confirmations

- i. Myron Dobson Jr.
- Chairwoman Sims moved to bypass the remainder of Q&A and pro-con debate; Seconded by Chairwoman Phillip

Senator	For	Against	Abstain
Myles Sloan	X		
Jada Pierre	X		
Rayshawn Bien- Aime	X		
Joseph Stuckey	X		
Essence Gilbert	X		
Lovely Eveque	X		
Rose Laure Louis	X		
Tiana Daniels	X		
Tron Jones	*not present		
Kennedy Williams	*not present		
Taelor Harden	X		

Kobe Buggs	*not present		
Vice Chairwoman Kaitlyn Gaines	Х		
Vice Chairman Jonathan McClover	Х		
Vice Chairwoman Tyler-Symone Brown	X		
Vice Chairwoman TaMya Braclet	*not present		
Chairman Larry LaFrance	Х		
A&S Liaison Connor Cooper	Х		
Chairman Da'Jon Newhouse	Х		
Chairwoman Nikiyah Brown	Х		
Chairwoman Zuri Sims	X		
Chairwoman Nissa Phillip	Х		
Pro-Tempore Treyvious Copeland	Х		
Total (23)	19	0	0

N. Old Business

- i. Electoral Commission Presentation
 - Fall Election Timeline
 - Available Seats
 - Updated point system
 - Bill of Rights and Responsibilities
 - Appeal Process
 - Poster size and regulations
 - Dead Days
 - Campaign Period

- Catering and Contact
- Chairwoman Phillip permanently exited
- Pageant Committee
- Theme
- Noted that if the bill is found and it's signed that it will be implemented
- Vice Chairman McClover moved to add Sophomore and Junior President and Vice President to the ballot; Seconded by Pro-Tempore Copeland

Senator	For	Against	Abstain
Myles Sloan	X		
Jada Pierre	Х		
Rayshawn Bien- Aime	Х		
Joseph Stuckey	Х		
Essence Gilbert	Х		
Lovely Eveque	Х		
Rose Laure Louis	Х		
Tiana Daniels	Х		
Tron Jones	Х		
Kennedy Williams	*not present		
Taelor Harden	Х		
Kobe Buggs	*not present		
Vice Chairwoman Kaitlyn Gaines	X		
Vice Chairman Jonathan McClover	X		
Vice Chairwoman	Х		

Tyler-Symone Brown			
Vice Chairwoman TaMya Braclet	*not present		
Chairman Larry LaFrance	Х		
A&S Liaison Connor Cooper	Х		
Chairman Da'Jon Newhouse	X		
Chairwoman Nikiyah Brown	Х		
Chairwoman Zuri Sims	Х		
Chairwoman Nissa Phillip	*not present		
Pro-Tempore Treyvious Copeland	Х		
Total (23)	19	0	0

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Senator Harden temporarily exited Chairwoman Sims moved to accept voters Bill of Rights; -Seconded by Pro-Tempore Copeland

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Myles Sloan	Х		
Jada Pierre	Х		
Rayshawn Bien- Aime	Х		
Joseph Stuckey	Х		
Essence Gilbert	Х		

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Pro-Tempore Treyvious Copeland	Х		
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Chairwoman Sims moved to accept Point System; Seconded by Pro-Tempore Copeland

Senator	For	Against	Abstain
Myles Sloan	Х		
Jada Pierre	Х		
Rayshawn Bien- Aime	Х		
Joseph Stuckey	Х		
Essence Gilbert	Х		
Lovely Eveque	Х		
Rose Laure Louis	Х		
Tiana Daniels	Х		
Tron Jones	Х		
Kennedy Williams	*not present		
Taelor Harden	*not present		
Kobe Buggs	*not present		
Vice Chairwoman Kaitlyn Gaines	X		
Vice Chairman Jonathan McClover	Х		

Vice Chairwoman Tyler-Symone Brown	X		
Vice Chairwoman TaMya Braclet	*not present		
Chairman Larry LaFrance	X		
A&S Liaison Connor Cooper	Х		
Chairman Da'Jon Newhouse	X		
Chairwoman Nikiyah Brown	X		
Chairwoman Zuri Sims	X		
Chairwoman Nissa Phillip	*not present		
Pro-Tempore Treyvious Copeland	X		
Total (23)	19	0	0

- Chairwoman Sims moved to accept Election Schedule; Seconded by Pro-Tempore Copeland

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Chairwoman Nissa Phillip	*not present		
Pro-Tempore Treyvious Copeland	Х		
Total (23)	17	1	0

O. New Business

P. Open Forum

Q. Final Roll Call

Senator	Present	Absent	Excused
Myles Sloan	X		
Jada Pierre	X		
Rayshawn Bien- Aime	X		
Joseph Stuckey	X		
Essence Gilbert	X		
Lovely Eveque	X		
Rose Laure Louis	X		
Tiana Daniels	X		
Tron Jones	X		
Kennedy Williams			X
Taelor Harden		X	
Kobe Buggs		X	
Vice Chairwoman Kaitlyn Gaines	Х		
Vice Chairman Jonathan McClover	Х		
Vice Chairwoman Tyler-Symone Brown	Х		

Vice Chairwoman TaMya Braclet		X	
Chairman Larry LaFrance	Х		
A&S Liaison Connor Cooper	Х		
Chairman Da'Jon Newhouse	Х		
Chairwoman Nikiyah Brown	Х		
Chairwoman Zuri Sims	Х		
Chairwoman Nissa Phillip	Х		
Pro-Tempore Treyvious Copeland	Х		
President Zayla Bryant	Х		
Total (24)	20	3	1

Meeting Adjourned at 7:52 pm