STUDENT SENATE BILL 2015-1049

TITLE: Reform of 500 Codes of the Student Body Statutes

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Amends the 500 Codes of the Student Body Statues as follows:


501.1 All University Committees that provide for the administration of student fees shall have at least one (1) student member that will be re-appointed by the Student Body President-elect for an additional one (1) year term, provided that one of the student members of the previous year’s committee is willing to continue serving on the committee.

501.2 The committees to which 501.1 applies include:
1. Student Local Fee Committee
2. The Transportation and Access Fee Committee.
3. Technology Fee Committee
4. CITF Fee Committee
502.1 Students at satellite campuses shall have all the rights, privileges, protection and duties afforded to all students of the University of Florida. These rights include, but in no way are limited to, the right to vote in student body elections.

502.2 Student Government shall designate the official representative body of the students at each satellite campus.

502.3 The official representative body at each satellite campus shall have the authority to determine their own internal rules, regulations, and policies, so long as they do not conflict with the rules or laws of Student Government, the University of Florida, or the State of Florida.

502.4 The official representative body at each satellite campus shall be eligible to receive funding pursuant to student body law.

502.5 Student Government recognizes the following organizations as the official representative body at their respective satellite campus:

(1) The Ft. Lauderdale Campus Council for the UF Ft. Lauderdale-Davie Extension Campus
(2) The College of Pharmacy Student Council at Jacksonville for the College of Pharmacy Jacksonville Extension Campus
(3) The College of Pharmacy Student Council at Orlando for the College of Pharmacy Orlando Extension Campus
(4) The College of Pharmacy Student Council at St. Petersburg for the College of Pharmacy St. Petersburg Extension Campus
CHAPTER 505 NEW STUDENT GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION REQUIREMENTS
(2001-137)

505.1 All students applying for student government funded organizational status will meet with the Senate Budget and Appropriations Committee Chairperson or his or her designee to learn about the Senate budgeting process.

505.2 The applicant(s) will also meet with the Judiciary Committee Chairperson or his or her designee to review the applicant’s constitution and by-laws.

511.1 Establishment
The students of each college or school which provides an independent curriculum as defined by the University may establish a College Council in accordance with the provisions in this chapter.

511.01 Interdisciplinary Assemblies
Interdisciplinary Assemblies shall be defined as two (2) or more College Councils assembling for any co-curricular effort. All assemblies must be approved by a 2/3 vote of the Board of College Councils Executive and General Boards.

511.2 Composition
The College Council may adopt any organizational structure provided that prior to the beginning of the term of office each voting member of the College Council must be elected by a direct popular vote of the college or school’s students.

511.021 Interdisciplinary Assembly Composition
Interdisciplinary Assemblies may adopt any executive structure provided that prior to the beginning of the term of office each voting member of the Interdisciplinary Assembly must be elected by the direct majority vote of the assembly’s required membership. The assembly’s required membership shall be the President, Vice President, Treasurer, and Secretary of each participating College Council and the President of each of the involved interdisciplinary member organization.

511.022 Required Membership
The membership of each College Council shall include, but is not limited to, a President, Vice President, Treasurer, and Secretary as executive officers and shall have the following minimum number of members:

1. The College Council for any college or school with an enrollment under five hundred (500) students shall include no less than five (5) voting members.

2. The College Council for any college or school with an enrollment between five hundred (500) and nine hundred and ninety-nine (999) students shall include no less than seven (7) voting members.

3. The College Council for any college or school with an enrollment between one thousand (1000) and one thousand four hundred and ninety-nine (1499) students shall include no less than nine (9) voting members.

4. The College Council for any college or school with an enrollment
between one thousand five hundred (1500) and one thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine (1999) students shall include no less than eleven (11) voting members.

5. The College Council for any college or school with an enrollment greater than two thousand (2000) students shall include no less than thirteen (13) voting members.

511.023 Ex-Officio Members
The individual listed below shall serve as ex-officio members of the College Council and/or Interdisciplinary Assembly and shall not be counted for the purposes of 511.022:

1. Any individual representing the College Council’s college or school in the Student Senate.

2. The Dean or Director, or the individual’s designee, of the College Council’s or Interdisciplinary Assembly’s college or school.

511.3 Constitution
Each College Council and Interdisciplinary Assembly shall adopt a constitution by no less than a majority vote of the voting members at two consecutive meetings. The constitution shall include the following provisions:

1. permitting only qualified students of the college or schools to serve as voting members of the College Council and the Interdisciplinary Assembly;

2. describing the procedures for electing the executive officers and other voting members of the College Council or the Interdisciplinary Assembly;

3. establishing that the presence of no less than one more than half of the voting members of the College Council or the Interdisciplinary Assembly constitutes a quorum;

4. mandating that no less than a majority vote of the voting members of the College Council or the Interdisciplinary Assembly is required to approve Council or Assembly business;

5. providing for the election of a student from the college or school to represent the College Council on the Board of College Councils;

6. defining vacancies on the College Council and the Interdisciplinary Assembly and providing a method for filling any vacancies;

7. prescribing a method for the impeachment or removal of voting members of the College Council and the Interdisciplinary Assembly; and

8. implementing the structure and duties contained in this chapter.
Amendments
The College Council or the Interdisciplinary Assembly may amend the constitution by no less than a majority vote of the voting members at two consecutive meetings.

Powers
The College Council or the Interdisciplinary Assembly may

1. exercise complete jurisdiction over any co-curricular, academic, social or honorary student organization associated with the College Council’s college or school;
2. engage in an activity which serves the students or the educational goals of the college or school or;
3. adopt bylaws or rules or procedure that do not conflict with federal, state, or student body law.

Duties
The College Council and the Interdisciplinary Assembly shall submit an annual report to the Board of College Councils in April of each year which contains information regarding the activities of the Council or Assembly and its member organizations for the current fiscal year.

Prohibitions
The College Council or the Interdisciplinary Assembly shall not vote on any matter brought before the Council or Assembly in the absence of a quorum.

Term of Office
The voting members of the College Council and the Interdisciplinary Assembly shall hold office for a period of time prescribed by the constitution provided that the term of office must not exceed one calendar year.

512.1 Establishment
The Board of College Councils is a subsidiary organization of the Student Government of the University of Florida and must be the official College Council umbrella organization.

512.2 Composition
The General Board, Interdisciplinary Assemblies, and the Administrative Committee constitute the organizational divisions of the Board of College Councils.

512.21 General Board
Representatives elected by each College Council registered with the University comprise the voting members of the General Board. Other individuals shall not be voting members of the General Board and a General Board member shall not concurrently serve as an Administrative Committee member.

512.3 Charter
The Board of College Councils shall adopt a charter by a majority vote of the General Board at two consecutive meetings. The charter, and any by laws enacted in accordance with the charter’s terms, must include all provisions necessary to implement the structure, duties, and powers contained in this chapter and shall not conflict with student body law. The Board of College Councils shall then submit the charter to the Student Senate for consideration as a bill of law. On the date the bill becomes law, the charter is incorporated into this chapter by this reference.

512.31 Amendments
The Board of College Councils may amend the charter by a majority vote of the General Board at two consecutive meetings. The Board of College Councils shall then submit the amendment to the Student Senate for consideration as a bill of law. On the date the bill becomes law, the amendment is incorporated into the charter and into this chapter by this reference.

512.4 Duties
The Board of College Councils shall

1. promote and represent the College Councils;
2. promote and represent the Interdisciplinary Assemblies;
3. coordinate events that educate students about the College Councils and Interdisciplinary Assemblies;
4. conduct College Council and Interdisciplinary Assembly oversight;
5. provide a method for ensuring compliance with student body law by the college councils, Interdisciplinary Assemblies, and their subsidiary organizations;
6. review College Council and Interdisciplinary Assembly constitutions for compliance with student by law;

7. request an annual budget on behalf of the College Councils and Interdisciplinary Assemblies;

8. consider special requests for funding;

9. evaluate travel restrictions override requests;

10. canvass College Council and Interdisciplinary Assembly elections;

11. hear appeals from College Council and Interdisciplinary Assembly decisions;

12. request the Student Body Treasurer issue or lift a freeze on the accounts of a College Council or Interdisciplinary Assembly;

13. call upon the Student Senate to revert the funds of a College Council or Interdisciplinary Assembly; and

14. implement any other duty mandated, or power granted, by student body law.

512.5 Elections
The Representatives must be elected by a direct popular vote of the college’s students or by the college council. The General Board shall elect Administrative Committee members in the Spring semester of each year on a non-partisan basis and shall fill vacancies as needed throughout the year.

512.6 Term of Office
The Representative shall hold office for a period of time prescribed by each college council’s constitution or bylaws. The Administrative Committee members shall hold office for a time period prescribed by the Board of College Council’s charter provided that the term of office must not exceed one calendar year.

512.7 Conflict of Laws
The provisions in this chapter shall not prevent the Student Senate from enacting laws which regulate the Board of College Councils or the college councils. Any revision to this chapter or the provisions of any other student body law shall supersede any conflicting bylaws adopted by the Board of College Councils.
CHAPTER 513 MAYOR'S COUNCIL (83-212, 96-114, 2001-125)

513.1 Any village or group of villages which set up village commissions or councils following certain guidelines specified in this law shall be eligible to share in the Student Activity and Service fees on the following basis:

513.11 Total allocation of Activity and Service Fee money received from the Student Senate shall be divided among the members of the Mayors' Council based on merit as determined by majority vote of the members of Mayors' Council.

513.2 Each commission or council shall be elected by the resident students of the constituent village in accordance with a charter which has been approved in accordance with the Student Body Constitution.

513.3 Any Activity and Service Fees money given to the Village Commissions or Councils shall be spent in accordance with the guidelines and restrictions provided by Student Body Law.

513.4 Student Senators representing village constituency shall serve as ex-officio members of (unless otherwise elected to) the Village Commission or Council representing their constituency.

513.5 Mayors' Council shall safeguard and promote the rights, responsibilities, health, safety, and general welfare of the students and residents of the respective family housing villages.
530.1 In accordance with the University of Florida Student Body Constitution Article IV (4) (H), there is hereby created an Honor Code Administration under the direction of an Executive Director/Chancellor.

530.2 The Executive Director/Chancellor of the Honor Code Administration shall be a cabinet position appointed by the Student Body President, as provided for in the Constitution, and shall assume office on May 1st of each year.

530.3 Any vacancies in the office of Executive Director/Chancellor of the Honor Code Administration shall be filled immediately by the Student Body President.

530.31 The Executive Director/Chancellor of the Honor Code Administration must meet the following conditions:

1. Obtained at least 60 undergraduate credit hours by the time of appointment.

2. Served for at least one year in the Honor Code Administration as an Assistant Director/Vice Chancellor.

530.4 The Executive Director/Chancellor of the Honor Code Administration may appoint the following officers to assist in his or her duties:

1. Ten (10) Assistant Directors/Vice Chancellors to assist the Executive Director/Chancellor in all duties including, but not limited to the proctoring of exams and all activities related to the Student Conduct Committees. These Assistant Directors/Vice Chancellors will be selected in conjunction with the Director of Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution, confirmed by a two-thirds vote of the Student Senate, and shall be recommended to the Vice President for Student Affairs for final approval.

2. Up to three (3) Clerks who will serve as the administrative assistants and schedulers of the Honor Code Administration.

530.41 All officers, unless otherwise noted, must have at least 30 credits, have at least one semester in residence at UF, and must be in good standing with the Office of Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution before assuming office.

530.5 The Executive Director/Chancellor of the Honor Code Administration shall work in partnership with the Director of Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution in all matters regarding the Student Conduct Committee. This includes the selection of student and faculty members of these committees as well as the chairpersons of those committees.
530.51 The Honor Code Administration shall establish an exam proctoring service for any willing professor/instructor in order to enforce and increase awareness of the Honor Code.

530.52 The Honor Code Administration shall, using funding as deemed appropriate by the Student Senate each semester, establish an Honor Code awareness campaign to educate students about the contents and importance of the UF Honor Code.

530.53 The Honor Code Administration shall serve as a liaison between the Admissions Office, Student Conduct and Conflict Resolution, and UF applicants with Honor Code violations on record.

530.54 The Honor Code Administration shall assist in the training of the Student Conduct Committee.

530.55 The Honor Code Administration shall consult with and educate faculty and students who may be involved in any respect in an honor code violation or any matters before a Student Conduct Committee.

530.56 The Honor Code Administration shall be available to discuss the Honor Code and violations thereof with students during office hours.

530.57 The Honor Code Administration shall recommend changes to the Student Honor Code as deemed necessary by the Executive Director/Chancellor.

530.58 The Executive Director/Chancellor and the Assistant Directors/Vice Chancellors of the Honor Code Administration are subject to removal by the Student Senate.
531.1 Chapter to define the duties of the Student Government Search Committee.

531.1 The Student Government Search Committee, in compliance with the rules governing staff, shall be the supervisory board for all Student Government employees and shall have the power to partake in the interview process set by the staff for part-time or full-time positions of permanent employment in Student Government.

531.2 Applications for permanent employment positions in Student Government shall be interviewed by the Staff and the elected Student Government official in charge of that department. Their joint recommendation shall be honored by the Student Government Search Committee provided that all procedures in Sections 531.3 (531.32) and 533.4 of the Student Body Statutes have been adhered to. In the event a joint recommendation cannot be given, the Student Government Search Committee shall make the final decision.

531.3 The Search Committee shall be comprised of Student Government officials as provided for in Section 533.1 of the Student Body Statutes.

531.31 The Search Committee shall approve all requests for the establishment of permanent positions in Student Government.

531.32 The Search Committee shall have the power to partake in filling positions of permanent employment according to Staff guidelines, and in accordance with Federal Affirmative Action and Equal Opportunity employment methods, and in accordance with this constitution.

531.33 Decisions of the Search Committee shall be by majority vote of its members.

531.34 The President of the Student Body, as chief administrative officer of the Student Body, shall see that all proper decisions of the Search Committee are duly enforced.

533.1 The Executive Committee of Student Government shall be composed of the following members:

1. President of the Student Body, who shall act as Chairperson.

2. Vice President of the Student Body.

3. Treasurer of the Student Body.

4. President of the Student Senate.

5. President Pro Tempore of the Student Senate.

6. Senior Secretary of Student Government, who shall serve as a non-voting member.

7. The Student Senate Budget and Appropriations Committee Chairperson shall serve as an ex-officio member.

533.2 The Executive Committee of Student Government shall sit as Executive Committee for Student Government Productions. The Executive Committee of SGP shall choose the SGP Chairperson and shall serve as the ultimate policy-making committee of SGP. The Student Government Productions Chairperson shall be an ex-officio member of the SGP Executive Committee and shall have the right to make primary recommendations on all policy decisions and the sole authority of booking entertainment.

533.3 The Executive Committee of Student Government shall sit as Executive Committee for ACCENT. The Executive Committee of ACCENT shall choose the ACCENT Chairperson and shall serve as the ultimate policy-making committee of ACCENT. The ACCENT Chairperson shall be an ex-officio member of the ACCENT Executive Committee and shall have the right to make primary recommendations on all policy decisions and the sole authority on booking speakers.

533.4 The Executive Committee of Student Government shall hear all Transfer from Reserve Requests as defined in 820.41. The committee shall submit these requests to the Senate Budget and Appropriations Committee before sending them to the Student Senate for authorization.
CHAPTER 534 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE RULES AND PROCEDURE (79-248, 97-108)

534.1 The President of the Student Body shall serve as Chairperson.

534.2 The date, time, and place of meetings can only be set by the Chairperson. The Student Government Executive Committee shall meet once every two (2) weeks at a mutually agreed upon time at a place chosen by the Chair. The Chair may call additional meetings as needed.

534.3 The Executive Secretary of Student Government shall take attendance at each meeting. A tape recording shall be made at each meeting and retained for 30 days. Minutes of each meeting will be provided for each member of the Executive Committee.

534.4 Any questions not covered by these Rules and Procedure shall be decided by the most recent edition of Robert's Rules of Order.

534.5 Quorum shall be four voting members.
CHAPTER 550 STUDENT GOVERNMENT  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
STATE OF THE  
CAMPUS ADDRESS  


550.1 The Student Government General Assembly State of the Campus Address shall be composed recommend the attendance of the following members:

1. President of the Student Body Student Body President, who shall act as Chair deliver the address.
2. The elected and appointed officers and directors officials of the Executive Branch of Student Government
3. The elected and appointed members of the Student Senate
4. The elected and appointed members of the Supreme Court
5. The appointed directors and officers of any Student Government agency and their respective staff
6. The appointed student members of the Reitz Union Board of Managers, and the appointed student members of the O'Connell Center Board of Managers Advisory Board, and the appointed student members of the RecSports Board of Directors
7. The appointed student members of all University Committees
8. All Vice Chairs and the Chair of ACCENT
9. All Vice Chairs and the Chair of Student Government Productions
8. The Executive Committee of IRHA
9. The Administrative Committee of the Board of College Councils

550.11 The Student Government State of the Campus Address shall be open to the public.

550.2 The General Assembly of Student Government State of the Campus Address shall meet in an effort serve to strengthen communication amongst the various branches, agencies, and committees of Student Government; provide information concerning the status of all projects and issues concerning Student Government in relation to the wellbeing of the Student Body; and to foster an efficient mechanism for addressing the agenda from Student Government as established by the Student Body President.

550.3 The General Assembly of Student Government State of the Campus Address shall meet at least once a semester occur no later than the last day of class during the Fall semester. Attendance by each member is mandatory, however, the President of the Student Body may excuse a member from a meeting for good cause shown.

550.4 The format, scheduling, and agenda of each meeting the address shall be determined by the Student Body President and the Senate President Student Government Executive Committee. A new topic may be added to the agenda by a motion and approval of two-thirds (2/3) of the membership present at any regularly scheduled meeting of this assembly suggested through a written request to any of the Student Government Executive Committee members at least fourteen (14) days prior to the Student Government State of the Campus Address.

550.5 There shall be no quorum requirements for this meeting.
The Student Government General Assembly will not be a policy-making body.

The Student Body President shall outline a Legislative Agenda for the administration’s term of office.

The press shall be notified of every meeting of the General Assembly—Student Government State of the Campus Address at least one University calendar week seven (7) days prior to the date of the meeting by the Student Body President or his/her a designated press agent of the Executive Branch.

The Student Body President shall attempt to notify the Student Body of the General Assembly—Student Government State of the Campus Address through the University of Florida Weekly Update a means of communication that reaches the entire Student Body.

The Student Body President shall publish the Legislative Agenda outlined at the General Assembly—Student Government State of the Campus Address no later than one week seven (7) days from the meeting of the General Assembly address. He/she the Student Body President may choose to publish the Legislative Agenda in one of the following ways: through a means of communication that reaches the entire Student Body.

1. Drafting a letter to the Editors of the newspaper with the greatest circulation among University of Florida students; or

2. Purchasing an advertisement in the newspaper with the greatest circulation among University of Florida students.

551.1 This board will be known as the Student Government Transportation Advisory Commission.

551.2 This commission shall recommend policies in relation to the Regional Transit System, mass transit in the City of Gainesville, and other transportation issues.

551.3 Powers and Duties of the Commission
   A. Recommend revisions to all policies, routes, and procedures of RTS to the Regional Transit Advisory Committee of the City of Gainesville.
   B. Advise the University of Florida Administration as to the views of the Student Body in relation to transportation and mass transit in the City of Gainesville.

551.4 Composition of the Commission
   A. The Student Body Treasurer, or his/her designee
   B. The Chief Justice of the Student Traffic Court, or his/her designee
   C. The Parking and Transportation Cabinet Secretary
   D. The Vice President for Business Affairs, or his/her designee
   E. One student member of the Parking and Transportation Committee selected by the Chair of the Parking and Transportation Committee
   F. One Student Senator appointed by the Student Senate President
   G. The Student Government Business Manager, who shall serve as an ex-officio member
   H. A member of the University Police Department, who shall serve as an ex-officio member
   I. A representative of the Regional Transit System, who shall serve as an ex-officio member
   J. The Director of Off Campus Life

551.41 No one person may hold two or more voting positions on the commission.

551.42 The Chair of this Commission shall be selected by the Student Body President from the above voting members.

551.43 Quorum shall be five voting members.

551.44 Mandatory meetings of this commission shall be called by the Chair at least once per semester.

551.45 Should any vacancies occur, the Chair shall inform the new representative of his/her the position and responsibilities within ten (10) business days of assuming office or before the commission’s next regular meeting, whichever comes first.
CHAPTER 564 552 STUDENT GOVERNMENT DIVERSITY AND PROGRAMMING COMMITTEE (97-114, 2002-131, 2014-112)

552.1 This agency will be known as the Student Government Diversity and Programming Committee.

552.2 The Student Government Diversity and Programming Committee (SGDPC) as an agency of the Executive Branch of Student Government shall serve under the direct authority of the Student Body President and Student Body Treasurer.

552.3 The purpose of the SGDPC is to foster a greater unity amongst the diverse opinions of the Student Body. It will serve this purpose by bringing together leaders across the campus from the many different cultures and backgrounds at the University of Florida. Specifically, this body shall work to represent all students’ interests in the promotion and selection of speakers, shows, and concerts at the University of Florida. This body may also recommend policies to the Student Body President.

552.4 This agency committee shall meet at least once a semester in order to discuss issues for the upcoming semester.

552.5 SGDPC shall be composed of the following members:

1) The Student Body Treasurer, who shall serve as Chair
2) The Student Body President
3) The Student Senate President
4) Student Senate President Pro Tempore
5) Student Body Vice-President
6) Advisor on Diversity
7) The Multi-Cultural Affairs Cabinet Director, Diversity Division Cabinet Chairperson
8) The S.T.A.A.R. Director
9) The Senate Budget and Appropriations Chair
10) ACCENT Chair
11) SGP Chair

and the Presidents from the following organizations:

1) Black Student Union
2) Hispanic Student Association
3) Volunteers for International Student Affairs
4) Jewish Student Union
5) Pride Student Union
6) Islam on Campus
7) Asian American Student Union
8) Women’s Student Association

552.6 New organizations or members shall be added to the above list by a majority vote
of the Executive Committee or of the Student Senate on a temporary basis, or until the end of the semester.

552.7 The recommendations of the SGDPC shall not be binding to the nature of its purpose. Every effort shall be made, though, to follow through on the recommendations of the agency committee.

561.1 Student Government Productions, as an agency of Student Government, shall operate under the authority of the **President of the Student Body** and the **Executive Committee of Student Government** **Student Government Executive Committee**, who shall be empowered to remove from positions those individuals guilty of malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance.

561.11 The action of the **President of the Student Body** to remove a member of Student Government Productions must be approved by either a majority of the **Executive Committee of Student Government** **Student Government Executive Committee** or the **Chairperson of Student Government Productions** **Chairperson**. The removal of the Chairperson or Comptroller must be approved by a **two thirds (2/3) majority** vote of the **entire** **Student Government Executive Committee**.

561.12 A member of Student Government Productions may also be removed by following the procedures as outlined per the 300 Codes of the Student Body Statutes.

561.2 Student Government Productions shall exist as an agency of Student Government, in order to provide a well-balanced variety of free and paid entertainment throughout the academic year. Student Government Productions shall be the sole **Student Government-funded agency for booking youth-oriented, contemporary entertainment** and shall coordinate all contractual, financial, promotional and production details for these productions.

561.3 There shall be a Student Government Productions Chairperson who shall be responsible for scheduling entertainment, negotiating contracts, formulating a budget, and overseeing all other activities of Student Government Productions.

561.31 The Chairperson shall coordinate communications and serve as a liaison between the organization and the Stephen C. O'Connell Center, the UF Administration, the **UF Athletic Association**, the Student Government Executive Committee, the **Student Senate** and any other group or business with whom the organization regularly does business.

561.32 **The Chairperson shall make an oral report to the Student Senate at least twice a semester regarding the progress of Student Government Productions.**

561.4 The **Student Government Productions** Chairperson shall be selected by a majority vote of the Student Government Executive Committee with only those members present for all interviews being allowed to vote.

561.41 The Chairperson shall be selected by the new **Executive Committee** **Student Government Executive Committee**, which is seated after the Spring Student Body Elections and the Spring Elections of the Student Senate officers, within fourteen (14) days of the Student Body President taking office.
The Student Government Productions Chairperson shall appoint a minimum of two (2) and a maximum of four (4) *Vice-Chair*persons subject to confirmation by the Student Government Executive Committee. The vice-chairpersons shall assist the Chairperson in all phases of the operation of the organization and shall serve terms running concurrently with that of the Chairperson.

Student Government Productions shall have a Comptroller who shall be responsible for overseeing the financial and accounting procedures of Student Government Productions.

The Comptroller shall be appointed by the Student Body President within fourteen (14) days of the Student Body President taking office.

The Comptroller may appoint up to two Assistant Comptrollers to assist in overseeing the financial and accounting procedures of Student Government Productions.

INTENT: It is the intent of this act to provide quality entertainment to the student body while maintaining fiscal responsibility. The Comptroller shall ensure that Student Government Productions adheres to the budget of the current fiscal year. The Chairperson shall oversee, and be the primary decision-maker, on all production aspects of Student Government Productions. It is also the intent of this act that the Comptroller possess a sound financial background. Furthermore, the Chairperson should be familiar with the internal procedures of Student Government Productions.

The remainder of the organization’s structure shall be left up to the Chairperson.

The *Student Government Productions* Chairperson shall be confirmed by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present and voting of Student Senate.

Should the Student Senate not confirm the candidate for Chairperson, the Student Government Executive Committee shall reconvene within an immediately renewed fourteen (14) day window to select another candidate. This procedure shall apply every time a confirmation is not attained. This window shall not apply during recognized University holidays or academic breaks.

Should the Student Senate fail to confirm the Chairperson by the last regular meeting of the Student Senate during the Summer A term, each member of the Student Government Executive Committee shall be charged with an Offense Against the Student Body in the form of nonfeasance.

The Chairperson and Comptroller shall serve in office from the time that the Student Senate approves the appointment until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST.

Should the Chairperson or Comptroller resign or be removed from office, a successor shall be appointed through the same procedures used to make the original appointment.
Any replacement Chairperson or Comptroller approved shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 562.41 or 562.61, whichever is applicable.

Before any offer is made by Student Government Productions to a prospective entity, an event planning budget request shall be submitted by the Chairperson of Student Government Productions to the Comptroller and subject to the Comptroller’s approval. Said approval is to be based solely on financial concerns as determined by the Comptroller prior to an offer being made. Upon approving an event budget and the offer subsequently being made, the Comptroller shall consider the funds enumerated in the said budget encumbered until either the offer is ultimately refused or the event is concluded.

An event planning budget shall detail expected expenses for a specific event.

The Student Government Productions advisor shall sign the final offer proposal prior to releasing it to the prospective entity. The offer shall not be sent without the advisor’s signature.

Upon submission of the event budget, the Comptroller will have a maximum period of three (3) business days to approve, disapprove, or edit said budget. If no action is taken within three (3) business days, it is up to the discretion of the Student Government Productions Chairperson whether the offer will move forward. Sub-budget requests submitted to and by the Chairperson shall be forwarded to:

1. Student Government Office Manager for verification of date
2. Student Body President
3. Student Government Finance
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562.1 ACCENT, as an agency of Student Government, shall operate under the authority of the President of the Student Body and the Student Government Executive Committee, who shall be empowered to remove from position those individuals guilty of malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance.

562.11 The action of the President of the Student Body to remove a member of ACCENT must be approved by either a majority of the Executive Committee of Student Government or the Chairperson of ACCENT. The removal of the Chairperson must be approved by a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote of the entire Student Government Executive Committee.

562.12 A member of ACCENT may also be removed by following the procedures as outlined per the 300 Codes of the Student Body Statutes.

562.2 ACCENT shall be an agency of Student Government whose purpose is to provide a wide range of speakers throughout the academic year and shall coordinate all contractual, financial, promotional and production details of these lectures.

562.3 There shall be an ACCENT Chairperson who shall be responsible for scheduling entertainment, negotiating contracts, formulating a budget, and overseeing all other activities of ACCENT.

562.31 The Chairperson shall coordinate communications and serve as a liaison between the organization and the Stephen C. O'Connell Center, the UF Administration, the UF Athletic Association, the Student Government Executive Committee, the Student Senate and any other group or business with whom the organization regularly does business.

562.32 The Chairperson shall make an oral report to the Student Senate at least twice a semester regarding the progress of ACCENT.

562.4 The Chairperson shall be selected by a majority vote of the Student Government Executive Committee with only those members present for all interviews being allowed to vote.

562.41 The Chairperson shall be selected by the new Student Government Executive Committee, which is seated after the Spring Student Body Elections and the Spring Elections of the Student Senate officers, within fourteen (14) days of the Student Body President taking office.

562.42 The Chairperson shall be confirmed by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present and voting of the Student Senate.
562.421 Should the Student Senate not confirm the candidate for Chairperson, the Student Government Executive Committee shall reconvene within an immediately renewed fourteen (14) day window to select another candidate. This procedure shall apply every time a confirmation is not attained. This window shall not apply during recognized University holidays or academic breaks.

562.422 Should the Student Senate fail to confirm the Chairperson by the last regular meeting of the Student Senate during the Summer A term, each member of the Student Government Executive Committee shall be charged with an Offense Against the Student Body in the form of nonfeasance.

562.43 The Chairperson shall serve in office from the time that the Student Senate approves the appointment until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST.

562.44 Should the Chairperson resign or be removed from office, his/her a successor shall be appointed through the same procedure used to make the original appointment.

562.45 Any replacement Chairperson approved shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 562.42.

562.5 The ACCENT Chairperson shall appoint three (3) Vice-Chairpersons subject to confirmation by the Student Government Executive Committee. The vice-chairpersons shall assist the Chairperson in all phases of the operation of the organization and shall serve terms running concurrently with that of the Chairperson. The remainder of the organizational structure shall be left up to the Chairperson.

563.1 External Affairs, as an agency of Student Government, shall operate under the authority of the President of the Student Body, Student Body President, and the Executive Committee of Student Government, Student Government Executive Committee, who shall be empowered to remove from position those individuals guilty of malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance.

563.11 The action of the President of the Student Body, Student Body President, to remove a member of External Affairs must be approved by either a majority of the Executive Committee of Student Government, Student Government Executive Committee, or the External Affairs Director. The removal of the Director must be approved by a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote of the entire Student Government Executive Committee.

563.12 A member of External Affairs may also be removed by following the procedures as outlined per the 300 Codes of the Student Body Statutes.

563.2 External Affairs shall be an agency of Student Government whose purpose is to represent Student Government to any external legislature or municipality and shall coordinate all financial details of this representation.

563.3 There shall be an External Affairs Director who shall be responsible for programs, finances, and overseeing all other activities of the External Affairs Program.

563.31 The Director shall coordinate communications and serve as official liaison of Student Government to the U.S. Congress, the Florida State Legislature, and Local and County Municipalities, or any other external group or business with which the organization has regular contact.

563.32 The Director may, at his/her discretion, appoint an official delegate to serve as the official liaison between Student Government and any of the bodies referenced in 563.31.

563.33 The External Affairs Director shall make an oral and written reports to the Student Senate at least twice a semester regarding the lobbying efforts of the University of Florida and Student Government.

563.4 The External Affairs Director shall be elected by a majority vote of the Student Government Executive Committee with only those members present for all interviews being allowed to vote.

563.41 The External Affairs Director shall be confirmed by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present and voting of the Student Senate.
The Director shall be elected by the new Executive Committee, which is seated after the Spring Student Body Elections and the Spring Elections of Student Senate officers, within fourteen (14) days of the Student Body President taking office.

Should the Student Senate not confirm the candidate for Executive Director, the Student Government Executive Committee shall reconvene within an immediately renewed fourteen (14) day window to select another candidate. This procedure shall apply every time a confirmation is not attained. This window shall not apply during recognized University holidays or academic breaks.

Should the Student Senate fail to confirm the Executive Director by the last regular meeting of the Student Senate during the Summer A term, each member of the Student Government Executive Committee shall be charged with an Offense Against the Student Body in the form of nonfeasance.

The External Affairs Director shall serve in office from the time that the Student Senate approves the appointment until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST.

Should the External Affairs Director resign or be removed from office, his/her successor shall be appointed through the same procedure used to make the original appointment.

Any replacement External Affairs Director approved shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 563.42.

The External Affairs Director shall appoint no less than three (3) and no more than five (5) Affairs Directors subject to confirmation by the Student Government Executive Committee. The Affairs Directors shall serve terms running concurrently with the External Affairs Director. The remainder of the organizational structure shall be left up to the External Affairs Director.

The Director, with the consent of the Student Body President, shall assign to each Affairs Director a program that the Affairs Director is responsible for overseeing and/or a specific governmental agency that the Affairs Director will act as a liaison to on behalf of Student Government.

The Director shall appoint a Vice-Chair of Policy and a Vice-Chair of Community and Political Affairs subject to confirmation by the Student Government Executive Committee. The Vice-Chair of Policy shall be responsible for representing the interests of the students at the University of Florida on a state and national level. The Vice-Chair of Community and Political Affairs shall be responsible for representing the interests of the student on a local level.
CHAPTER 5674 - CHOMP THE VOTE PROGRAM (2008-103)

564.1 Chomp the Vote, as a program an agency of Student Government, shall operate under the authority of the President of the Student Body Student Body President and the Executive Committee of Student Government Student Government Executive Committee, who shall be empowered to remove from position those individuals guilty of malfeasance, misfeasance or nonfeasance.

564.11 The action of the President of the Student Body Student Body President to remove a member of Chomp the Vote must be approved by either a majority of the Executive Committee of Student Government Student Government Executive Committee or the Chomp the Vote Executive Director. The removal of the Executive Director must be approved by a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote of the entire Student Government Executive Committee.

564.12 A member of Chomp the Vote may also be removed by following the procedures as outlined per the 300 Codes of the Student Body Statutes.

564.2 Chomp the Vote shall be a program an agency of Student Government whose purpose is to provide the students of the University of Florida with the opportunities to register or update their voter information, educate students about political issues, and provide conducive measures to encourage students to vote. All of these duties shall be performed in a non-partisan and legal way as defined by the State of Florida Statutes.

564.3 There shall be a Chomp the Vote Executive Director who shall be responsible for overseeing all activities of the Chomp the Vote Program.

564.31 The External Affairs Director, as outlined in Chapter 563, shall be formally recognized as an ex-officio officer of Chomp the Vote and shall provide guidance and serve as an advisor on all efforts of Chomp the Vote that involve members of the University of Florida Faculty and Administration and individuals outside the University of Florida community.

564.32 The External Affairs Director, as outlined in Chapter 563, shall be responsible for overseeing all financial and accounting procedures of the Chomp the Vote Program. Upon submission of a request for funding, the External Affairs Director will have a maximum of three (3) business days to approve, disapprove or edit said request. If no action is taken within three (3) business days, it will be left up to the discretion of the Chomp the Vote Executive Director.

564.33 The Executive Director shall make a good faith effort to work with the ideals and goals of the Alachua County Supervisor of Elections and shall make every effort to keep the aforementioned body informed of its activities.

564.34 The Chomp the Vote Executive Director shall make an oral and written reports to the Student Senate at least twice a semester regarding its registration, education, and mobilization efforts.
The Chomp the Vote Executive Director shall be elected by a majority vote of the Student Government Executive Committee with only those members present for all interviews being allowed to vote.

The Chomp the Vote Executive Director shall be confirmed by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present and voting of the Student Senate.

The Executive Director shall be elected by the new Executive Committee Student Government Executive Committee, which is seated after the Spring Student Body Elections and the Spring Elections of Student Senate officers, within any time period that is deemed necessary fourteen (14) days of the Student Body President taking office.

Should the Student Senate not confirm the candidate for Director, the Student Government Executive Committee shall reconvene within an immediately renewed fourteen (14) day window to select another candidate. This procedure shall apply every time a confirmation is not attained. This window shall not apply during recognized University holidays and academic breaks.

Should the Student Senate fail to confirm the Director by the last regular meeting of the Student Senate during the Summer A term, each member of the Student Government Executive Committee shall be charged with an Offense Against the Student Body in the form of nonfeasance.

Should the Chomp the Vote Executive Director resign or be removed from office, his/her successor shall be appointed through the same procedure used to make the original appointment.

The Chomp the Vote Executive Director shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 564.42.

Any replacement Director approved shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 567.42.

The Chomp the Vote Executive Director shall appoint the number officials and program members that he/she deems necessary to effectively achieve the program’s goals. The organizational structure shall be left up to the Chomp the Vote Executive Director with ex-officio advisory powers provided to the External Affairs Program Director.

The Chomp the Vote Executive Director shall make a good faith effort to include members from various relevant student organizations and communities in its’ organizational structure.

The Chomp the Vote Executive Director shall make a good faith effort to include all partisan and candidate groups on campus in a fashion that will promote non-partisan registration, education and mobilization.

565.1 STARR S.T.A.A.R. shall be an official agency of Student Government, and shall operate under the authority of the President of the Student Body Student Body President and the Executive Committee of Student Government Student Government Executive Committee, who shall be empowered to remove from positions those individuals guilty of malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance.

565.11 The action of the Student Body President to remove a member of STARR S.T.A.A.R. must be approved by either a majority of the Executive Committee of Student Government Student Government Executive Committee or the Director of STARR S.T.A.A.R. Director. The removal of the Director of STARR must be approved by a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote of the entire Student Government Executive Committee.

565.12 A member of STARR S.T.A.A.R. may also be removed by following the procedures as outlined per the 300 Codes of the Student Body Statutes.

565.2 STARR S.T.A.A.R. shall be an agency of Student Government whose purpose is promoting better relations within the University of Florida campus and Gainesville community through a series of community service projects, monthly STARR S.T.A.A.R. Committee meetings, and other activities that may promote racial harmony.

565.3 There shall be a STARR S.T.A.A.R. Director who shall be responsible for scheduling, budgeting, promoting, and overseeing all other activities of STARR S.T.A.A.R..

565.31 The STARR Director shall make an oral and written reports to the Student Senate at least twice a semester regarding the progress of the STARR S.T.A.A.R. agency.

565.4 The Director of STARR S.T.A.A.R. Director shall be selected by a majority vote of the Student Government Executive Committee with only those members present for all interviews being allowed to vote.

565.41 The Director shall be confirmed by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present and voting of the Student Senate.

565.42 The Director shall be selected by the new Executive Committee Student Government Executive Committee, which is seated after the Spring Student Body Elections and the Spring Elections of Student Senate officers, within fourteen (14) days of the Student Body President taking office.
Should the Student Senate not confirm the candidate for Director, the Student Government Executive Committee shall reconvene within an immediately renewed fourteen (14) day window to select another candidate. This procedure shall apply every time a confirmation is not attained. This window shall not apply during recognized University holidays and academic breaks.

Should the Student Senate fail to confirm the Director by the last regular meeting of the Student Senate during the Summer A term, each member of the Student Government Executive Committee shall be charged with an Offense Against the Student Body in the form of nonfeasance.

Should the Director resign or be removed from office, his/her successor shall be appointed through the same procedure used to make the original appointment.

The Director shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 565.42.

Any replacement, Director approved shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 565.42.

Each member of the STARR S.T.A.A.R Committee will focus on a different aspect of racism and ways to improve existing problems within the University of Florida campus and throughout the Gainesville community, through the above mentioned activities. These activities are at the Committee member’s discretion and are subject to confirmation by the STARR S.T.A.A.R Director.

The Director will appoint one (1) Assistant Director subject to confirmation by the Student Government Executive Committee. The remainder of the organizational structure shall be left up to the Director.

566.1 Action SG, as an agency of Student Government, shall operate under the authority of the President of the Student Body Student Body President and the Executive Committee of Student Government Student Government Executive Committee, who shall be empowered to remove from position those individuals guilty of malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance.

566.11 The action of the President of the Student Body Student Body President to remove a member of Action SG must be approved by a majority of the Executive Committee of Student Government Student Government Executive Committee or the Chairperson of Action SG. The removal of the Chairperson must be approved by a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote of the entire Student Government Executive Committee.

566.12 A member of Action SG may also be removed by following the procedures as outlined per the 300 Codes of the Student Body Statutes.

566.2 Action SG shall be an agency of Student Government whose purpose is to promote student awareness in regards to the actions of Student Government and student organizations to the best of its ability. The mission of Action SG shall be to promote the events, activities, and interests of Student Government at the University of Florida, through relevant forms of media with the goal of enhancing transparency and accountability.

566.21 Action SG shall be responsible for producing:

1. Social Media content of Student Government events, activities, and interests.
2. Content for the Student Government website
3. Audio, photography, and video of Student Government events, activities, and interests.
4. Any other area the chairperson sees fit.

566.22 Technical equipment will be defined as any Audio or Video equipment owned by Student Government, with the exception of any equipment expressly intended for office use.

566.3 There shall be an Action SG Chairperson who shall be responsible for overseeing all responsibilities of Action SG.

566.31 The Chairperson shall serve as a liaison between the UF administration, the Student Government Executive Committee, the Student Senate and any other group or individual ACTION with which Action SG has maintains a relationship with.

566.32 The Chairperson shall make an oral report to the Student Senate at least twice a semester regarding the progress of Action SG.

566.4 The Action SG Chairperson shall be selected by a 2/3 majority vote of the Student Government Executive Committee with only those members present for all interviews being allowed to vote.

566.41 The Chairperson must shall be confirmed by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present and voting of the Student Senate.

566.42 The Chairperson shall be selected by the new Executive Committee Student Government.
Executive Committee, which is seated after the Spring Student Body Elections and the Spring Elections of Student Senate officers, within fourteen (14) days of the Student Body President taking office.

566.421 Should the Student Senate not confirm the candidate for Action SG Chairperson, the Student Government Executive Committee shall reconvene within an immediately renewed fourteen (14) day window to select another candidate. This procedure shall apply every time a confirmation is not attained. This window shall not apply during recognized University holidays and academic breaks.

566.422 Should the Student Senate fail to confirm the Chairperson by the last regular meeting of the Student Senate during the Summer A term, each member of the Student Government Executive Committee shall be charged with an Offense Against the Student Body in the form of nonfeasance.

566.43 Should the Action SG Chairperson resign or be removed from office, his/her a successor shall be appointed through the same procedure used to make the original appointment.

566.44 The Action SG Chairperson shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 566.42.

566.45 Any replacement Action SG Chairperson shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 566.42.

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566.5 The ACTION SG Chairperson shall appoint two (2) or three (3) four (4) Vice-Chairpersons subject to confirmation by the Student Government Executive Committee. The Vice-Chairpersons shall assist the Chairperson in all phases of the operation of the agency and shall serve a term running concurrently with that of the Chairperson. The remainder of the Agency’s structure shall be left up to the Chairperson.

566.51 The ACTION SG Chairperson shall appoint one (1) Vice-Chairperson of Engagement. This Vice-Chairperson shall be responsible for updating the official social media accounts of Student Government and communicating with the students which it serves, in addition to managing Student Government promotions and.

566.52 The ACTION SG Chairperson shall appoint one (1) Vice-Chairperson of Web Content. This Vice-Chairperson shall be responsible for providing content to students through the Student Government website and affiliated websites.

566.53 The ACTION SG Chairperson shall appoint one (1) Vice-Chairperson of Multimedia. This Vice-Chairperson shall be responsible for documenting the activities, events, and interests of Student Government through audio, photographs, and videos.

566.54 The ACTION SG Chairperson shall appoint one (1) Vice-Chairperson of Design. This Vice-Chairperson shall be responsible for designing Student Government print and multimedia properties, and advertising Student Government events, activities, and services.

566.6 The remainder of the organization’s structure shall be left up to the Action SG Chairperson.

567.1 Nightlife Navigators, as a program an agency of Student Government, shall operate under the authority of the President of the Student Body, Student Body President and the Executive Committee of Student Government, Student Government Executive Committee, who shall be empowered to remove from position those individuals guilty of malfeasance, misfeasance or nonfeasance.

567.11 The action of the President of the Student Body, Student Body President to remove a member of Nightlife Navigators must be approved by either a majority of the Executive Committee of Student Government, Student Government Executive Committee or the Nightlife Navigators Executive Director. The removal of the Executive Director must be approved by a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote of the entire Student Government Executive Committee.

567.12 A member of Nightlife Navigators may also be removed by following the procedures as outlined per the 300 Codes of the Student Body Statutes.

567.13 Any member of the Nightlife Navigators staff who is charged with driving under the influence shall be temporarily relieved of his or her duties. If any member of the Nightlife Navigators staff is convicted of driving under the influence, he or she shall be permanently removed from the staff as per Chapter 307.

567.2 Nightlife Navigators shall be a program an agency of Student Government whose purpose is to inform University of Florida students about nighttime transportation options so that students can safely navigate their way to and from nightlife destinations without drinking and driving. A major goal of Nightlife Navigators is to improve nightlife transportation options.

567.3 There shall be a Nightlife Navigators Executive Director who shall be responsible for overseeing all activities of the Nightlife Navigators, Program.

567.31 The External Affairs Director, as outlined in Chapter 563, shall be formally recognized as an ex-officio officer of Nightlife Navigators and shall provide guidance and serve as an advisor on all efforts of Nightlife Navigators that involve members of the University of Florida Faculty and Administration and individuals outside the University of Florida community.

567.32 The External Affairs Director, as outlined in Chapter 563, shall be responsible for overseeing all financial and accounting procedures of the Nightlife Navigators Program. Upon submission of a request for funding, the External Affairs Director will have a maximum of three (3) business days to approve, disapprove or edit said request. If no action is taken within three (3) business days, it will be left up to the discretion of the Nightlife Navigators Executive Director.

567.33 The Nightlife Navigators Executive Director shall make an oral and written reports
to the Student Senate at least twice a semester regarding its efforts.

570.4 The Nightlife Navigators Executive Director shall be appointed by the Student Body President.

567.4 The Nightlife Navigators Director shall be selected by a majority vote of the Student Government Executive Committee with only those members present for all interviews being allowed to vote.

567.41 The Nightlife Navigators Executive Director shall be confirmed by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present and voting of the Student Senate.

567.42 The Director shall be selected by the new Executive Committee, which is seated after the Spring Student Body Election and the Spring Election of Student Senate Officers, within fourteen (14) days of the Student Body President taking office.

567.421 Should the Student Senate not confirm the candidate for Director, the Student Government Executive Committee shall reconvene within an immediately renewed fourteen (14) day window to select another candidate. This procedure shall apply every time a confirmation is not attained. This window shall not apply during recognized University holidays and academic breaks.

567.422 Should the Student Senate fail to confirm the Director by the last regular meeting of the Student Senate during the Summer A term, each member of the Student Government Executive Committee shall be charged with an Offense Against the Student Body in the form of nonfeasance.

567.43 Should the Nightlife Navigators Executive Director resign or be removed from office, his/her successor shall be appointed through the same procedure used to make the original appointment.

567.44 The Nightlife Navigators Executive Director shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 567.4.

567.45 Any replacement Director shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 567.42.

567.5 The Nightlife Navigators Executive Director shall appoint the number officials and program members that he/she deems necessary to effectively achieve the program’s goals. The organizational structure shall be left up to the Nightlife Navigators Executive Director with ex-officio advisory powers provided to the External Affairs Program Director.

570.51 The Nightlife Navigators Executive Director shall make a good faith effort to include members from various relevant student organizations and communities in its’ organizational structure.
Gators Going Green, as an agency of Student Government, shall operate under the authority of the President of the Student Body and the Executive Committee, who shall be empowered to remove from position those individuals guilty of malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance.

The action of the Student Body President to remove a member of Gators Going Green must be approved by either a majority of the Student Government Executive Committee or the Gators Going Green Executive Director. The removal of the Executive Director of Gators Going Green must be approved by a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote of the entire Student Government Executive Committee.

A member of Gators Going Green may also be removed by following the procedures as outlined per the 300 Codes of the Student Body Statutes.

Gators Going Green shall be an agency of Student Government whose mission is to constantly work towards implementing policies and programming which brings about sustainable improvements to the University of Florida. Gators Going Green seeks to be the link between Student Government and the Student Body, the University of Florida, and the Gainesville Community by promoting sustainable initiatives, addressing the needs of the student body for future generations, and establishing a permanent culture of environmental awareness.

There shall be a Gators Going Green Executive Director who shall be responsible for overseeing all activities of Gators Going Green.

The Executive Director shall coordinate communications and serve as a liaison between the agency and the Office of Sustainability, the UF Administration, the Student Government Executive Committee, the Student Senate and any other group or business with whom the organization does business.

The Executive Director may appoint staff members to serve as liaisons between the agency and any of the groups or businesses as mentioned in 568.31.

The Executive Director shall be required to present a report to the Student Senate every at least twice per semester on its progress in sustainability.

Gators Going Green Executive Director shall be appointed by a majority vote of the Student Government Executive Committee with only those members present during all interviews being allowed to vote. Prior experience with Office of Sustainability or other sustainability related groups is highly suggested in order to be considered for the position.
The Executive Director shall be selected within fourteen (14) days of the Student Body President taking office.

The Executive Director shall be confirmed by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present and voting of the Student Senate.

The Director shall be selected by the new Executive Committee, which is seated after the Spring Student Body Election and the Student Election of Student Senate Officers, within fourteen (14) days of the Student Body President taking office.

Should the Student Senate not confirm the candidate for Director, the Student Government Executive Committee shall reconvene within an immediately renewed fourteen (14) day window to select another candidate. This procedure shall apply every time a confirmation is not attained. This window shall not apply during recognized University holidays and academic breaks.

Should the Student Senate fail to confirm the Director by the last regular meeting of the Student Senate during the Summer A term, each member of the Student Government Executive Committee shall be charged with an Offense Against the Student Body in the form of nonfeasance.

Should the Gators Going Green Executive Director resign or be removed from office, his/her a successor shall be appointed through the same procedure used to make the original appointment.

The Gators Going Green Executive Director shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 568.4.

Any replacement Director shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 568.42.

The Gators Going Green Executive Director shall appoint a Treasurer, subject to confirmation by the Student Government Executive Committee. The Treasurer shall, in conjunction with the Executive Director, formulate a budget and handle all monetary matters. He or she The Treasurer shall not, however, have veto power over the decisions of the Executive Director. The remainder of the organizational structure shall be left up to the Executive Director.

The Gators Going Green Executive Director shall make a good faith effort to include members from various relevant student organizations and communities in its organizational structure.

The Gators Going Green Executive Director shall appoint a Vice-Chairperson, subject to confirmation by the Student Government Executive Committee. This Vice-Chairperson shall be in charge of the Tree Campus Initiative.

The remainder of the organization’s structure shall be left up to the Director.
CHAPTER 573 560 TEMPORARY CREATION OF AGENCIES OR PROGRAMS (2013-104)

560.1 The Student Body President, upon consultation with the Executive Committee of Student Government Executive Committee, may create a new agency or program under the 500 codes. Any position created under 560.1 may only exist for the Student Body President’s term of office. If the position, or a position with a similar purpose, is extended past the Student Body President’s term of office, it must be codified under the 500 codes.

560.11 Any individual nominated for a position created under 560.1 must receive a majority vote from the Executive Committee of Student Government Executive Committee prior to being confirmed by the Student Senate.

560.12 Any individual nominated for a position created under 560.1 shall take office upon a two-thirds (2/3) confirmation by the members present and voting of the Student Senate.

560.2 Any agency or program created under 560.1 shall make a report to the Student Senate at least once twice per semester regarding all progress and activities.

560.3 Any individual serving in a position created under 560.1 shall serve under the authority of the Student Body President and the Executive Committee of Student Government Executive Committee, who shall be empowered to remove from office any individual guilty of misfeasance, malfeasance, or nonfeasance.
Freshman Leadership Council, as an agency of Student Government, shall operate under the authority of the President of the Student Body and the Executive Committee of Student Government, who shall be empowered to remove from position those individuals guilty of malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance. The action of the President to remove a member of the Freshman Leadership Council must be approved by a majority of the Executive Committee of Student Government or the chairperson of the Freshman Leadership Council. The removal of the Chairperson must be approved by a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote of the entire Student Government Executive Committee. A member of the Freshman Leadership Council may also be removed by following the procedures as outlined per the 300 Codes of the Student Body Statutes.

Freshman Leadership Council shall be an agency of Student Government whose purpose is to provide personal, professional, and leadership growth opportunities for a select group of freshmen students through service, programming, and educational experiences that impact the University of Florida (UF) Student Body and surrounding community. There shall be a Freshman Leadership Council Chairperson who shall be responsible for overseeing implementation of all responsibilities of the Freshman Leadership Council. The chairperson shall serve as a liaison between the UF administration, the Student Government Executive Committee, and the council. The Freshman Leadership Council Chairperson shall make an oral report to the Student Senate at least twice a semester regarding its efforts.

The Chairperson shall be selected by a two-thirds majority vote of the Student Government Executive Committee with only those members present for all interviews being allowed to vote. The Chairperson must be confirmed by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the members present and voting of the Student Senate and shall take office the day after the last day of spring semester’s classes. The Executive Director shall be selected by the new Executive Committee, which is seated after the Spring Student Body Election and the Student Election of Student Senate Officers, within fourteen (14) days of the Student Body President taking office.
Should the Student Senate not confirm the candidate for Executive Director, the Student Government Executive Committee shall reconvene within an immediately renewed fourteen (14) day window to select another candidate. This procedure shall apply every time a confirmation is not attained. This window shall not apply during recognized University holidays and academic breaks.

Should the Student Senate fail to confirm the Chairperson by the last regular meeting of the Student Senate during the Summer A term, each member of the Student Government Executive Committee shall be charged with an Offense Against the Student Body in the form of nonfeasance.

Should the Chairperson resign or be removed from office, his/her successor shall be appointed pursuant to 573.32-33 and shall serve only until the last day of spring semester classes through the same procedure used to make the original appointment.

The Chairperson shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 569.42.

Any replacement Chairperson shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 569.42.

The Chairperson shall appoint four (4) or five (5) Vice-Chairpersons, which shall compose the remainder of the Executive Team, subject to confirmation by the Student Government Executive Committee. The Vice-Chairpersons shall assist the Chairperson in all phases of the operation of the agency and shall serve a term running concurrently with that of the Chairperson.

The Chairperson shall appoint one (1) Vice-Chair of Finance. The Vice-Chair of Finance shall assist the Chairperson in all phases of the financial structure of the Freshman Leadership Council, including fundraising and the budget, and shall serve a term running concurrently with that of the chairperson.

The Vice-Chair of Finance shall select and oversee Directors of Finance.

The Chairperson shall appoint one (1) Vice-Chair of Public Relations. The Vice-Chair of Public Relations shall oversee all advertising, press relations, a web site, and social networking. The Vice-Chair shall assist the Chairperson in all phases of promotion of the Freshman Leadership Council and shall serve a term running concurrently with that of the Chairperson.

The Vice-chair of public relations shall select oversee directors of public relations.

The Chairperson shall appoint one (1) or two (2) Vice-Chairpersons of Council Membership subject to confirmation by the Student Government Executive Committee. The Vice-Chairperson(s) of Council Membership shall assist the Chairperson in all phases of the administrative structure of
the organization – specifically those areas pursuant to curriculum and programming. The Vice-Chairperson(s) shall serve a term running concurrently with that of the Chairperson.

573.61 The vice-chair(s) of council shall appoint and oversee directors. These directors will provide programming for freshman students, the entire university, and the Gainesville community as well as oversee staff members.

569.6 The remainder of the organizational structure shall be left up to the Chairperson.

569.7 No member of the Freshman Leadership Council Director Team shall be a first-year student, and all members of the Freshman Leadership Council Director Team shall work to recruit freshmen to apply to be agency staff members.

573.81 The term of an agency staff member shall be from time of appointment until the last day of spring semester classes.

573.82 Agency staff members shall be subject to removal by the chairperson and vice-chair(s) of council, subject to guidelines set forth prior to the selection process.

553.1 The name of this entity shall be the “Student Government Constitutional Revision Commission.”

553.2 Legislative Intent

553.21 The Student Senate recognizes that a periodic and deliberate review of the Student Body Constitution is necessary to ensure the proper functioning of the Student Government. Therefore, the Student Senate establishes the Student Government Constitution Revision Commission which shall meet every ten (10) years to perform this review. The Student Senate intends this Commission to be autonomous and free from political pressure during its existence so that the individual Commissioners are able to openly discuss changes to the Constitution. Therefore, the Student Senate by law shall provide that the Commission shall have sufficient access and use of reasonable resources available to Student Government. Further, the Student Senate by law shall provide that Commissioners shall not be removed from the Commission, except in cases of resignation, impeachment, ceasing to be a student at the University and not re-matriculating the following semester, or failure to maintain the minimal qualifications imposed by the University to participate in student activities.

553.3 Establishment and Duration of the Commission

553.31 Beginning in any year ending in “9”, there shall be an empanelment of a Student Government Constitutional Revision Commission. In such a year, by the first day of February, but not before the first day of January, the individual authorized pursuant to this Chapter shall appoint members to the Commission. Once the appointments have been made and the Chairperson designated, the Commission shall be deemed established.

553.32 The Commission shall conduct its business in reviewing the operating constitution of Student Government and proposing changes to the constitution by the end of the Fall Term in the year ending in “9”.

553.33 The Commission shall expire either at the conclusion of the Spring General Election in the year ending in “0” or at the final submission of the Official Report, whichever is furthest in time.

553.4 Composition of the Commission

553.41 The Commission shall be composed of twenty (20) individuals appointed as follows:
Six students appointed by the Student Body President, provided that at least one appointee shall be a student who has held no Student Government position within the preceding twelve months.

Six students appointed by the Student Senate President with approval by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Student Senate, with the following restrictions:
(a) At a minimum, three appointees shall be Student Senators, of which one must be from a minority party, defined as that party with the second most numerous Student Senators, and
(b) At a minimum, one appointee shall be from a university controlled residence hall, and
(c) At a minimum, one appointee shall be from the graduate school, and
(d) No more than two of these appointees shall be from the same College as defined by Chapter 322, Student Body Statutes.
(e) All senators not from the majority party, meeting in caucus in a formal meeting outside of Senate, and supervised by the Senate President, shall elect one member to be counted in the Senate President’s six and be approved by a 2/3 vote of the entire Student Senate.

Three students appointed by the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, of which two must be law students.

The Supervisor of Elections.
The Director of Student Activities and Involvement
Three individuals appointed by the Director of Student Activities and Involvement, with the following restrictions:
(a) One appointment shall be a student, and
(b) Two appointments shall be a member of the staff or faculty of the university.

The Student Body President shall designate a Chairperson from among all the students appointed to the Commission. No constitutional officer may be appointed as Chairperson; however, being elected to a constitutional office after being appointed as Chairperson shall not be deemed to have terminated the chairpersonship.

Once a student is appointed to the Commission, that student shall serve for the duration of the Commission’s existence.

Constitutional officers may be appointed to the Commission and may appoint themselves to the Commission.

The only methods for a vacancy to exist on the Commission are:
(1) Commissioner resignation,
(2) Commissioner graduating from school and not enrolling in another program at the University of Florida,
(3) Commissioners fail to maintain the minimal university qualifications for participation in student activities, or
(4) Impeachment pursuant to Chapter 306, Student Body Statutes.

553.46 A vacancy shall not exist if a Commissioner does not attend the summer term.

553.47 A vacancy in the Commission shall be filled by appointment by the Chairperson of the Commission with approval of a majority of the remaining Commissioners. If the commissioner represents a particular constituency, the appointment shall be from the same constituency.

553.48 Membership on the Commission shall neither be considered exclusionary in any branch of government under the meaning of Chapter 130, Student Body Statutes, nor considered a position in Student Government for purposes of election related positions defined in Chapter 700, Student Body Statutes.

553.49 Membership on the Commission based upon position (e.g. Student Senator, Supreme Court Justice, and Supervisor of Elections) shall only be reviewed at the time of the original appointment. Resigning from an office, failure to be re-elected, or failure to be re-appointed to the same position shall not terminate membership on the Commission. The requirements of statute 575.21 shall only apply at the time of original appointment.

553.5 Powers and Duties of the Commission

553.51 The Commission shall establish its own operating procedures, provided that a quorum shall be necessary to conduct business. Quorum is defined as fifty percent of the total number of commissioners minus any vacancies, rounded down, plus one. For example: If there is one vacancy, there are a total of nineteen commissioners. Quorum would be nine ten (10) commissioners (((20 – 1) / 2) + 1). If there are two vacancies, quorum would be nine four (4) commissioners (((20 – 2) /2 + 1). For purposes of determining the quorum number, any individual designated as an ex-officio, non-voting member shall not be included in the quorum establishment decision.

553.52 The Chairperson may form and appoint Commissioners to committees and sub-committees. The Chairperson may designate any person with special knowledge as an ex-officio, non-voting member to any committee or sub-committee and such person shall serve at the pleasure of the Chairperson. Additionally, the Chairperson shall designate a Vice-Chairperson of the Commission.
The Commission shall hold a minimum of four (4) public hearings, announced one week prior and advertised at least twice in the newspaper with the greatest circulation among University of Florida students during that week, lasting at least two (2) hours in duration each for the purpose of receiving public comments regarding the current operating constitution and any recommendations to that document. The two hour requirement shall be deemed satisfied if all interested parties complete their presentation before the expiration of the two hours. The Commission should strive to conduct its hearings in different locations across campus, in both the Spring and Fall semesters and on different days.

The Commission shall hold a public hearing before final approval of any constitutional amendment recommendation.

The Commission shall operate under Student Government’s sunshine law as defined by Chapter 102, Student Body Statutes, or its successor. All votes to approve or disapprove a final version of a constitutional amendment recommendation shall be by roll call.

The Chairperson shall appoint a Reporter of the Commission who shall serve at the pleasure of the Chairperson and shall be an ex-officio, non-voting member of the Commission.

The Chairperson shall prepare an Official Report containing framers intent and information providing information for historical purposes that corresponds to the proceedings and any submitted constitution amendment recommendation. Minority positions may be appended to the Official Report if desired by those members.

The Commission shall have access to and use of reasonable resources available to Student Government, including, but not limited to, staff support, consumable supplies, advertising, computer and other mechanical equipment, and photocopying service.

Prohibitions on the Commission

The Commission shall be prohibited from meeting during any of the following times:

1. Thirty calendar days before any General or Run-Off election,
2. During the summer term, and
3. Religious holidays as defined by the University

Constitutional Amendment Recommendations
The Commission shall be authorized to recommend to the Student Senate proposed constitutional amendments. The Commission shall also be authorized to place proposed constitutional amendments on the ballot of the Spring General Election of any year ending in “0”, provided the University President authorizes such placement contrary to Article IX of the Student Body Constitution.

The Commission shall be authorized to propose in one amendment changes to, deletion of, or creation of an entire Article to the constitution. This statute shall not be construed as preventing changes to other existing Articles provided the subject matter is germane. Nor shall any statute of the Student Body Statutes referencing a single subject requirement be construed to defeat any proposed constitutional amendment recommended by the Commission.

The Commission shall be authorized to propose, in one amendment, an entirely new Constitution provided the Commission approves the proposed revised constitution by a four-fifths vote of the Commission. No statute in the Student Body Statutes referencing a single subject requirement shall be construed to defeat any proposed revised constitution recommended by the Commission.

The Commission shall be authorized to propose as many amendments to the Constitution as it deems necessary.

The Student Senate shall be prohibited from amending any proposed constitutional amendment recommended by the Commission should the Commission submit the amendment to the Student Senate instead of directly placing the amendment on the ballot. The Student Senate must affirmatively act to approve or disprove the submission to the electorate for ratification all of the proposed constitutional amendments recommended by the Commission for consideration by the electorate in the Spring General Election in the year ending in “0”.
CHAPTER 570 UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA GATOR INNOVATORS PROGRAM (2014-104)

570.5 Gator Innovators, as an agency of Student Government, shall operate under the authority of the President of the Student Body and the Executive Committee of Student Government, who shall be empowered to remove from position those individuals guilty of malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance.

570.11 The action of the President of the Student Body to remove a member of Gator Innovators must be approved by either a majority of the Executive Committee of Student Government or the Gator Innovators Director. The removal of the Director must be approved by a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote of the entire Student Government Executive Committee.

570.12 A member of Gator Innovators may also be removed by following the procedures as outlined per the 300 Codes of the Student Body Statutes.

570.2 Gator Innovators shall be an agency of Student Government whose purpose is to collaborate with the Gainesville community and beyond to foster the startup, innovation, and entrepreneurship communities.

570.3 There shall be a Gator Innovators Director who shall be responsible for programs, finances, and overseeing all other activities of the Gator Innovators Program.

570.31 The Gator Innovators Director shall make oral and written reports to the Student Senate at least twice a semester regarding the progress and efforts of the Gator Innovators agency.

570.4 The Gator Innovators Director shall be selected by a majority vote of the Student Government Executive Committee with only those members present for all interviews being allowed to vote.

570.41 The Gator Innovators Director shall be confirmed by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Student Senate.

570.42 The Director shall be elected by the new Executive Committee, which is seated after the Spring Student Body Elections and the Spring Elections of Student Senate officers, within fourteen (14) days of the Student Body President taking office.

570.421 Should the Student Senate not confirm the candidate for Director, the Student Government Executive Committee shall reconvene within an immediately renewed fourteen (14) day window to select another candidate. This procedure shall apply every time a confirmation is not attained. This window shall not apply during recognized University holidays and academic breaks.
570.422 Should the Student Senate fail to confirm the Director by the last regular meeting of the Student Senate during the Summer A term, each member of the Student Government Executive Committee shall be charged with an Offense Against the Student Body in the form of nonfeasance.

570.43 Should the Director resign or be removed from office his/her a successor shall be appointed through the same procedure used to make the original appointment.

570.44 The Chairperson shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 570.42.

570.45 Any replacement Chairperson shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 570.42.

570.5 The Gator Innovators Director may appoint Assistant Directors, Chairs, or Vice-Chairs, subject to confirmation by the Student Government Executive Committee. The remainder of the organizational structure shall be left up to the Gator Innovators Director.
CHAPTER 571 UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA YOUNG LEADERS CONFERENCE PROGRAM (2014-105)

571.1 Young Leaders Conference, as an agency of Student Government, shall operate under the authority of the President of the Student Body and the Executive Committee of Student Government, who shall be empowered to remove from position those individuals guilty of malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance.

571.11 The action of the President of the Student Body to remove a member of Young Leaders Conference must be approved by either a majority of the Executive Committee or the Young Leaders Conference Director. The removal of the Director must be approved by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the entire Student Government Executive Committee.

571.12 A member of Young Leaders Conference may also be removed by following the procedures as outlined per the 300 Codes of the Student Body Statutes.

571.2 Young Leaders Conference shall be an agency of Student Government whose purpose is to educate and empower collegiate peers in order to develop a high school conference focused on developing future leaders.

571.3 There shall be a Young Leaders Conference Director who shall be responsible for programs, finances, and overseeing all other activities of the Young Leaders Conference Program.

571.31 The Young Leaders Conference Director shall make oral and written reports to the Student Senate at least once a semester regarding the progress and efforts of the Young Leaders Conference.

571.4 The Young Leaders Conference Director shall be elected by a majority vote of the Student Government Executive Committee with only those members present for all interviews being allowed to vote.

571.41 The Young Leaders Conference Director shall be confirmed by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Student Senate.

571.42 The Director shall be elected by the new Executive Committee, which is seated after the Spring Student Body Election and the Spring Election of Student Senate officers, within fourteen (14) days of the Student Body President taking office.

571.421 Should the Student Senate not confirm the candidate for Director, the Student Government Executive Committee shall reconvene within an immediately renewed fourteen (14) day window to select another candidate. This procedure shall apply every time a confirmation is not attained. This window shall not apply during recognized University holidays and academic breaks.

571.422 Should the Student Senate fail to confirm the Director by the last regular meeting
of the Student Senate during the Summer A term, each member of the Student Government Executive Committee shall be charged with an Offense Against the Student Body in the form of nonfeasance.

571.43 Should the Director resign or be removed from office, his/her successor shall be appointed through the same procedure used to make the original appointment.

571.44 The Chairperson shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 571.42.

571.45 Any replacement Chairperson shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am EST, unless reappointed pursuant to 571.42.

571.5 The Young Leaders Conference Director may appoint Assistant Directors, Chairs, or Vice-Chairs, subject to confirmation by the Student Government Executive Committee. The remainder of the organizational structure shall be left up to the Young Leaders Conference Director.
CHAPTER 580 BABY GATOR EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH CENTER (§1-161, 90-163)

580.1 This chapter is designed to establish a high-quality Educational Research Center for Child Development funded by revenues from the Capital Improvement Trust Fund.

580.2 The Baby Gator Educational Research Center shall operate in accordance with Florida Statutes 240.531.
CHAPTER 595 STUDENT GOVERNMENT ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ACT (83-166, 90-163)

595.1 The Student Senate, by majority vote, may request an Environmental Assessment and/or an Environmental Impact Study to be performed.

595.2 Responsibility for the production of these documents shall rest with the director of the project, agency, or organization seeking the funding, unless another person or committee is designated by the requesting body.

595.3 Environmental Assessment
   A. An Environmental Assessment is a preliminary, informational document designed to provide enough data to make a knowledgeable, rational decision upon whether to require an Environmental Impact Statement or not.
   B. It must be presented to the requesting governmental body within a reasonable time, and prior to a final vote of the requesting body concerning funding for the project.

595.4 Environmental Impact Study
   A. An Environmental Impact Study is a document containing pertinent information, reasonably researched, relating to the physical environment directly impacted by a project funded by Student Senate.
   B. An Environmental Study is required to discuss:
      1. The environmental impact of the proposed action;
      2. Any adverse environmental effects which cannot be avoided should the proposed action be implemented;
      3. Alternatives to the proposed action (this would include the alternative of not doing the project);
      4. The relationship between local short-term uses of man's environment and enhancement of long term productivity;
      5. Any irreversible and irretrievable commitments of resources which would be involved in their proposed action should it be implemented.
   C. At least one public hearing, notice of at least one week having been provided, must be held prior to completion of the Environmental Impact Study.
   D. The Environmental Impact Study must be presented to and approved by a majority vote of the Student Senate, at least one week prior to opening the project for bids and prior to any construction contracts for the project are signed.

595.41 An Environmental Impact Study shall be limited in cost to a maximum of two per cent (2%) of the projected budget of the project. This limit may be overridden by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the Student Senate, provided it is heard as a special funding request.

595.411 The budget for the Environmental Impact Study shall be approved by the Student Senate in compliance with all applicable student body laws.