

STUDENT SENATE RESOLUTION 2016-113

TITLE: Resolution Honoring University of Florida Alumnus Gordon Glover

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SPONSOR(S):

WHEREAS, Gordon Glover is a proud double gator, having earned his undergraduate and graduate degrees from the University of Florida[1]; and,

WHEREAS, while at the University of Florida, Gordon Glover held numerous leadership positions, such as, Chair of Student Government Productions, Chair of the Recreational Sports Board, a student senator, UF's Outstanding Male Leader, a member of the University of Florida Hall of Fame[1]; and,

WHEREAS, Gordon Glover is an active alumnus of the University of Florida; and,

WHEREAS, Gordon Glover went on to receive his law degree from Florida State University[1]; and,

WHEREAS, Gordon Glover has excelled in the practice of law and established his own law firm, the Glover Law Firm, which focuses on representing personal injury victims in Ocala and The Villages[1]; and,

WHEREAS, Gordon Glover has devoted countless hours to serving The Florida Bar on committees, such as, the Young Lawyers Division and the Board of Governors[1][2]; and,

WHEREAS, Gordon Glover has led The Florida Bar Young Lawyers Division as President in 2015-2016, and under his leadership, The Florida Bar Young Lawyers Division has made meaningful contributions to improving the practice of law for lawyers and law students alike[3]; and,

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WHEREAS, during his administration, Gordon Glover established the Commission on Women, which focused on improving the status of women in the legal profession[4]; and,

WHEREAS, he had a keen focus on diversity initiatives, which led to The Florida Bar Young Lawyers Division winning the American Bar Association's Embracing Diversity Challenge; and,

WHEREAS, he navigated The Young Lawyers Division around tough problems such as reciprocity, changes to The Florida Bar Exam, changes to the rule governing Certified Legal Interns, limited legal technicians, among others; and,

WHEREAS, the University of Florida is proud of its alumnus Gordon Glover; then,

THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED, that The University of Florida Student Senate officially recognizes Gordon Glover for his contributions to the legal profession in his community and the State of Florida.

Proviso: A copy of this resolution shall be sent to Mr. Gordon Glover.


[1] <http://www.gloverlawfirm.com/attorney-gordon-j-glover/>

[2]

<http://www.floridabar.org/DIVCOM/JN/jnnews01.nsf/8c9f13012b96736985256aa900624829/9e2c362d807bedea85257e7a0046613c!OpenDocument>

[3] <http://flayld.org/commission-on-women/>

[4] <https://www.facebook.com/floridayld/photos/pcb.1381749605173873/1381749581840542/?type=3>


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