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Florida International University

Student Government Council

SGA MEETING
August 16th, 2000

IN ATTENDANCE

Ms. JoAnne Albert, Journalism Representative
Ms. Candela Bravo-Casares, SHUA Representative
Ms. Gloria Bryan, Intern Coordinator
Ms. Adrian Carter, Panther Power Coordinator
Mr. Robert Castellanos, Controller
Ms. Johanne Civil, Executive Clerk of Council
Mr. David Cole, Advisor
Ms. Maria Diaz, Advisor
Mr. Thomas Gallagher, Arts & Science Representative
Ms. Ireka Hamilton, Lower-Division Representative
Ms. Irmine Michel, Housing Representative
Mr. Andre Monteiro, Representative-at-Large
Mr. Tito Omaghomi, President
Ms. Veneisha Scott, Vice-President
Ms. Henrietta P. Williams, Graduate Representative
Mr. Michael Yelovich, Graduate Representative

ABSENT

Ms. Joannette Brookes
Mr. Angel Garcia
Ms. Danay Labanon
Ms. Jessica Perez
Ms. Lilliana Ponce
Mr. Rafael Zapata

GUESTS

Ruth Choute
Kimberley Homer
Alcero Marc Arthur

CALL TO ORDER

Mr. Tito Omaghomi, SGC President, called the meeting to order at 5:36 p.m. He greeted the council and the guests that were present. Mr. Omaghomi continued by asking the council members to present their reports.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Mr. Tito Omaghomi announced the following:

1. Freshmen Convocation
 - a. Make sure to get in contact with Tito in order to be allowed in.
2. Proposals
 - a. Proposals #1, #2, #3, #4 were approved unanimously

Also see attached Presidential Report.

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VICE-PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Ms. Veneisha Scott stated the following:

1. There is a new Athletics Director.
2. Volunteers are needed to help with the Biscayne Bay Celebration
3. Faba Organization
 - a. Latin and Caribbean Countries
 - i. In need of students to volunteer in different countries to help other students in the country.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

Ms. Jessica Perez

Absent.

PANTHER POWER

Mr. Adrian Carter

Mr. Carter stated the following:

1. He has ordered shorts, t-shirts, towels, and other paraphernalia.
2. The "Panther Power" song is the making.
3. The first dance squad rehearsal will be on the night of August 16th.
4. There will be weekly meetings for the Panther Power staff members
 - a. There are currently twenty members.
5. He is also getting ready to purchase the Panther Power Banner and other Paraphernalia.

STUDENT SERVICES

- Position Vacant

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Position Vacant

HOUSING REPRESENTATIVE

Irvine Michel

No report.

FINANCE

Mr. Robert Castellanos

No report.

SENATE

No report.

ATHLETICS

Position Vacant

COMMUNITY RELATIONS

Position Vacant

BROWARD REPRESENTATIVE

Position Vacant

DSL
Absent.

Ms. Joannette Brookes

ADVISORS' REPORT

No report.

SOC/SPC REPORT

SPC

Absent.

SOC

Absent.

OLD BUSINESS

- A. Freshmen Convocation
 - 1. August 27; UP; 2:30-3:30 p.m.
- B. Biscayne Bay Celebration
 - 1. August 30; BBC; Noon
- C. SGC Retreat
 - 1. September 9th and 10th; Key Largo

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NEW BUSINESS

- A. Proposals
 - 1. SGC Meeting Date
 - 2. Action Plan
 - 3. SGC Statutes
 - 4. FSA Contract
- B. Rock the Vote 2000
 - 1. August 27th; Panther Square; 4:00-6:00 p.m.
- C. Grant Writing Workshop for Minority Community Based Organizations (MBCO) or potential MBCO's
 - 1. October 24th and 25th; WUC Ballroom; 9:00-4:00 p.m.
- D. Fiscal Accountability Workshop
 - 1. August 18th; Tallahassee

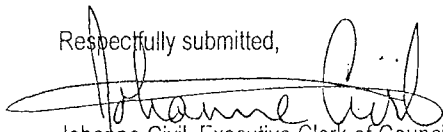
COMMUNITY COMMENTS:

No Comments.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Johanne Civil, Executive Clerk of Council
Student Government Council, Biscayne Bay Campus

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ATTACHMENTS: Presidential Report; Mitchel Saintilmon's Proposal; SGA Proposals



Florida International University

Student Government Council
Office of the President

President's Report

SGC Meeting
August 16, 2000
5:30- 7:00 p.m.

- I. CALL TO ORDER / SIGN IN
- II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES
- III. APPOINTMENTS
 - A. Hospitality Representative
- III. PRESIDENT'S REPORT
- IV. VICE-PRESIDENT'S REPORT
- V. COMMITTEE REPORTS
 - A. Academic Affairs
 - B. Panther Power
 - C. Finance
 - D. Senate
 - E. Athletics
 - F. DSL
 - G. Housing
- VI. OLD BUSINESS
 - A. Student Government Web Page Bill
 - B. SGC Retreat Bill
 - C. FSA
 - 1. Contract
 - 2. Retreat; August 3rd-5th; Departure will be at 5 a.m.
 - D. Mascot.com
 - 1. SGA Web Page

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- E. Freshmen Convocation
- F. Student Decal Mail Out Program

VII. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Appointments
- B. United Way
 - 1. Kick-Off; August 17th; Alapattah Middle School; 9 a.m. shift or 1 p.m. shift
- C. Steering Committee Meeting
 - 1. August 7th; Graham Center West Ball Room; 9 a.m.
- D. Action Plan
- E. Biscayne Bay Celebration
 - 1. August 30th; Panther Square; Noon
- F. Priority Registration
 - 1. August 11th

VIII. REPORTS FROM TRI-COUNCIL

- A. SPC
- B. SOC

IX. ADVISOR'S REPORT

X. COMMUNITY COMMENTS

XI. ADJOURNMENT

Benant Mitchel Saintilmon
Senior Student
Former Athletics Coordinator
8/16/2000

PROPOSAL

Florida International University is involved in numerous activities all over the community. As an involved member of our University I understand that FIU needs to be involved through out the community in all aspects. I would like to involve the students of our university in flag-football leagues that are recognized not only on a local level but a national level. I created the flag-football team the FIU- North Campus All Stars in 1997 and it has been going strong ever since. We have become recognized throughout the community as one of the premier flag football teams in the state. In 1997 FIU-All Stars were the 7 on 7 runner-ups in the intramural college leagues in the state. I would like our North Campus All-Stars to represent our University in the Champion Sports Production/Fast Action league. This competitive league represents schools, businesses, and etc. through out the community, state, and nation on the largest scale of flag football.

The North-Campus All stars are in dire need of sponsorship from our student government. The league starts in September and our uniforms are sponsored by care plus. Our league fees are \$575.00 and we would like our student government to represent and sponsor our FIU ALL Stars in our upcoming season. Our students would like to achieve the best and in order to reach our Plato we need student government's help.

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Dear Weekend Warrior

Enclosed in this envelope is the information on events offered by Champion Sports Productions (CSP) for the upcoming fall season. We call it the "CSP Sportspack". CSP has been producing sporting events since 1992. The CSP Sportspack combines all of our recreational participation events. The staff of CSP takes great pride in providing you the participant with a place to continue your playing days as an athlete. A quick overview of the services offered.

SUNSHINE STATE FLAG FOOTBALL:

4 on 4 non-contact. This is the largest league in the Southeastern United States, with over 250 teams competing in Miami, Ft. Lauderdale, West Palm Beach, Tampa/Pinellas County and the Treasure coast. There are 4 skill levels for the men and women's open division. This will be our 17th season.

FLORIDA DUATHALON & RUNNING SERIES:

The road race division offers an 8-race duathlon (2-mile run, 10-mile bike, 2-mile run) series that travels throughout the state. There are also various 10k and 5k runs, a 10k skate and triathlon offered at various times. There are currently three duathlons and three 5k runs left in the calendar year. The series is six years old.

3 ON 3 BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Our inaugural season will be played at the Dade Christian gym on Thursday nights beginning on September 7th. There are three separate divisions offered: Men's Open, Recreational, and 6'0 Under. Space is limited to 40 teams. Future plans include expanding into a women's division and men's 40 and over, as well as other nights of the week.

ADULTS MEN SOFTBALL & YOUTH FLAG FOOTBALL:

As part of CSP's partnership with the City of Aventura beginning in September we will offer a Saturday Youth Flag Football League for ages 6-17 and on Sunday a ten team Men's Class D League. All games are played at Aventura Founders Park. For more information call our office.

MIAMI DOLPHINS FOOTBALL HOME OPENER:


CSP and the Miami Dolphins are offering all participants, spouses and friends a \$37 ticket to the Miami Dolphins regular season opener vs the Seattle Seahawks on Sunday September 3, 2000. This is a great way to support your home team and enjoy an outing with other CSP athletes.

NAPLES SPORTS FESTIVAL:

August 4-6 Football, Softball, Golf, Duathlon, and a 5k run are all combined.

Over 10,000 people will compete in a CSP event this year. We invite you to be one of them.

Sincerely Yours,



Mario Signerello Jr.
President

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Student Government Council
Office of the President

Proposal # 1

To accommodate new staff, a new unit and additional student groups, certain changes have been made in Campus Life. My proposal is as follows:

Room: WUC 353 B

Square Footage: 94 sq./ft

Current Occupation: Student Government Council-Finance Chair's Office

Proposed Occupancy: Student Government Council-Finance Chair, Director of Student Lobbying, Panther Power Coordinator's E-board.

Due to the use of space for the greater good, it is recommended that the Rm. WUC 353 B is utilized as proposed.

Proposal # 2

The Student Government Council Statutes successfully passed on August 16, 2000 at the last General Council Meeting for the summer. Respectfully you have been provided a copy of the powers and duties of the Chief of Staff.

Respectfully, Tito Omaghomi, SGA President- FIU Biscayne Bay & Broward Campuses is recommending to the SGC to approve the inclusion of the Chief of Staff Powers and Duties section 300.11 of The Student Government Council Statutes.

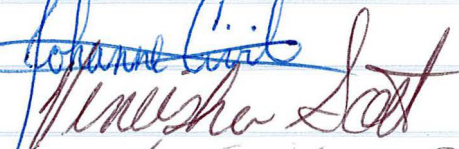
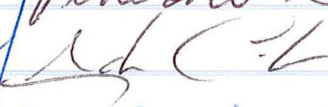




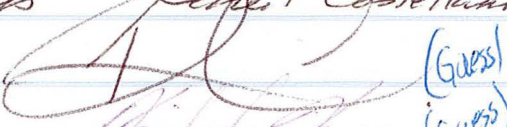
Proposal # 3

The Office of Multicultural Programs and Services (MPAS) will present A Cultural Night of Expressions IV. The program will be held on the Biscayne Bay Campus, 3000 N.E. 151st in the Wolfe University Center Ballroom @ 7 P.M. The Annual goal is to provide our university and pre-collegiate students with culturally enriching experiences.

In the past SGC has supported this event by sponsoring tickets for the 100 students. Due to budget restrictions I am proposing that SGC commit \$250.00 to cover the cost of admission for 50 students.

BBC Student Government Meeting

August 16th, 2000

Name (Print)	Signature	Position
- Johanne Civil		Exec. Clerk of Council
- Venesha Scott		V. Pres.
- ADRIAN CARTER		Parther Power Co.
- Imire Angela Michel	Imire Michel	Housing Rep.
- Alceiro Marc Arthur	Alceiro Junior	Guest
- Michael Yelovich	Muhlyi	Grad Rep.
- Thomas Gallagher		Arts & Science
- Andre Rêgo Monteiro	Andre H. Monteiro	Rep @ Law
- CANDELA BRAVO CASARES		CHUA REP
- GNORIA BRYAN		INTERN COORDINATOR
- DAVID L. COLE		ADVISOR
- Maria Diaz	Maria Diaz	ADVISOR
- Henrietta P. Williams		Grad. Rep.
- Robert Castellanos	Robert Castellanos	Finance chair
Ruth Choute	 (Guest)	Bay Vista Hall Council Pres.
Kimberley Homer	 (Guest)	Bay Vista Hall Council V.P.
- Treka Hamilton	Treka Hamilton	Lower Division Rep.
- JoAnn Albert	Joanna Albert	Journalism Rep.
- Tito Omaghoni		President