

## Appropriations Committee Meeting Minutes Date: Oct. 26, 2021

- I. Call to Order
  - A. Meeting Called to Order at: 5:03 p.m.
- II. Roll Call

Name	Position	Present	Required Attendance
Alexander Sutton	Senator for School of International and Public Affairs	P	Yes
Alex Benin	Senator for College of Arts, Sciences, and Education	A	Yes
Alejandro Suarez	Senator for College of Business	P	Yes
Sergio Reyes	Senator for College of Business	P	Yes
Tyler Lopez	Senator for College of Arts, Sciences, and Education	P	Yes
Zoilo Batista	Lower Division Senator	A	Yes
Nicolas Ramirez	Senator for College of Business	A	Yes

## III. Old Business

A. SB 02 003, the Panther Motorsports Appropriation, is being reviewed by the Comptroller and amended to ensure compliance with the Finance Code; 2 clauses likely to be cut in order to reduce appropriation to \$6,889.14

## IV. New Business

- A. A group of students emailed requesting information on how to submit a request for funding so they can travel to the Creating Change Conference 2022
  - 1. Will take no further action until the group submits an appropriation request through PantherConnect
- B. A PantherConnect appropriation request has been submitted for the "How Would You Save the World? A philanthropic Conference" event, organized by the student ambassadors
  - 1. Chair Sutton will email the person who submitted the request to ask if they can modify their submission to request funding for food instead of airfare and

hotel for the speakers, because A&S funds cannot fund amenities and travel for non-FIU students

- 2. Chair Sutton will ensure that A&S funds may pay for a speaker honorarium
- V. Senate Leadership Reports
  - A. No reports
- VI. Meeting Adjournment
  - A. Meeting Adjourned at 5:09 p.m.