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University of Central Florida
Forty-Sixth Student Body Senate
Resolution 46-27

[Updated 2014-2015 FAO Committee Spending Policy]

.01 **WHEREAS**, Title VIII: The Finance Code states that the Financial Allocations for Organizations (FAO) Committee shall
 .02 introduce legislation establishing the current year's Senate Working Fund Spending Policy; and
 .03 **WHEREAS**, The FAO Committee feels that it is in the best interest of the student body to continue this statute-mandated
 .04 requirement;

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.06 **THEREFORE, BE IT**

.07 **RESOLVED**, by the Forty-Sixth Student Body Senate of the University of Central Florida that the following policies be
 .08 amended for use of the Senate Working Fund account by the FAO Committee and the Senate:

- .09 1. Allocation requests must be time-stamped and received by the FAO Committee prior to the start of the FAO
- .10 meeting for which they are to be considered.
- .11 2. Allocation requests must be heard by the FAO Committee at least two (2) school weeks before funding is
- .12 needed.
- .13 3. The funding level for Senate Bills shall be 50% of total costs, unless the amount of eligible expenses is less, or
- .14 the entity requests a lower funding level.
- .15 4. The only exception to the above stated funding level shall be sanctions imposed by the Operations Review
- .16 Committee, or the organization reaching the total funding limit.
- .17 5. If an organization is requesting funding, an authorized officer of the organization must be present at the FAO
- .18 Committee meeting, caucus, or Senate meeting to be considered. Regional campus, Rosen, and Medical
- .19 School students may be present via teleconference and/or video conference.
- .20 6. The Senate Working Fund shall not be used to fund food, refreshments, or decorations, unless being used for
- .21 the educational purpose of a cultural, ethnic, or religious event. Such decision will be left to the discretion of
- .22 the FAO Committee.
- .23 7. Registered Student Organizations shall not receive nor be eligible to receive Activity and Service Fee funding
- .24 to provide for cash equivalent awards, prizes, and gifts.
- .25 8. Registered Student Organizations shall not receive nor be eligible to receive Activity and Service Fee funding
- .26 for ink cartridges, copier toner, and copy paper.
- .27 9. If an organization is requesting funding for projects, food, refreshments, or decorations, price quotations must
- .28 be provided to the FAO Committee.
- .29 10. The Senate Working Fund shall not be used to fund the costs for shirts or awards/trophies.
- .30 11. The Senate Working Fund shall not be used to fund award ceremonies or banquets at the discretion of the
- .31 FAO Committee.
- .32 12. The Senate Working Fund shall not be used to fund Non-OCO furniture and equipment over \$100.00.

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 .35 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, That to break this policy, it will require a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the FAO Committee or the
 .36 Student Body Senate.

AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES

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Speaker of the Senate

6-30-14

Date

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Senate President Pro Tempore

7-7-14

Date