

**STUDENT SENATE BILL 2024-1459**

**TITLE: Class Councils Agency Head Clarification Act**

**AUTHOR(S): Senator Hunter Monson**

**SPONSOR(S):**

CHAPTER 234 CLASS COUNCILS (2019-107, 2020-1021, 2021-115, 2023-109)

- 234.1 Class Councils, as an agency of Student Government, shall operate under the authority of the Student Body President who shall be empowered to remove from position those individuals guilty of malfeasance, misfeasance, or nonfeasance.
- 234.11 A member of Class Councils may also be removed by following the procedures as outlined per Chapter 306 and 307, S.B.S.
- 234.2 Class Councils shall be an agency of Student Government whose purpose is to serve and unite the University of Florida's cohorts of graduating classes. Class Councils will host various programming events in an effort to build community and pride within their respective academic class. In partnership with the University of Florida Alumni Association, Class Councils will enhance university traditions and increase the value of every student's degree through alumni engagement and participation.
- 234.3 There shall be a Class Councils Chairperson(s) Agency Head(s) who shall be responsible for overseeing implementation of all responsibilities of the Class Councils. The Class Councils Chairperson(s) Agency Head(s) shall serve as the Senior Class President(s). They shall be appointed by the Student Body President and shall assume office upon majority confirmation by the members of the Student Senate present and voting.
- 234.31 The Chairperson(s) Agency Head(s) shall serve as a liaison between the University of Florida administration, University of Florida Alumni Association, the Student Body President, and each Class Council.
- 234.32 The Chairperson(s) Agency Head(s) shall make an oral report to the Student Senate at least once per semester regarding its efforts.
- 234.33 The Chairperson(s) Agency Head(s)/Senior Class President(s) shall be a fourth-year student.
- 234.41 Should a Chairperson Agency Head resign or be removed from office, a successor shall be appointed through the same procedure used to make the original appointment.

- 234.42 The Chairperson(s) Agency Head(s) shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am ET, unless reappointed pursuant to Section 234.3, S.B.S.
- 234.43 Any replacement Chairperson(s) Agency Head shall serve only until the last day of classes in the Spring semester at 8am ET, unless reappointed pursuant to Section 234.3, S.B.S.
- 234.5 The Chairperson(s) Agency Head(s) shall appoint the Junior Class President, Sophomore Class President, and Freshman Class President, subject to approval by the Student Body President. The remainder of the organizational structure shall be left up to the Chairperson(s) Agency Head(s), subject to approval by the Student Body President.
- 234.51 The Junior Class President shall be a third-year student.
- 234.52 The Sophomore Class President shall be a second-year student.
- 234.53 The Freshman Class President shall be a first-year student.

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