

**April 13th, 2026**

**BUDGET COMMITTEE MEETING SG CONFERENCE ROOM**

**CALL TO ORDER:**

- Chair Cumpstone calls meeting to order at 2:11 PM in the SG conference room on April 13th, 2026

**ROLL CALL:**

**Committee Attendance:**

- Phoenix Cumpstone (Chairman)
- Colin Shembekar
- Wyatt Clarke
- Ella Martin
- Cooper Dotson
- Kate Finfrock

**Others Present:**

- Molly Murphy
- Landon Spears
- Jerome Scott
- Carter Swarm

Quorem is Established

**Base Funding:**

Senator Shembakar moves to hear all base funding requests as a bloc by UC.  
Motion passes.

Senator Shembakar moves to approve the bloc of base funding by UC.  
Motion passes.

**Operational, Event, and Travel Funding:**

Senator Martin moves to amend the program's cost per item to \$660 by UC citing code 810.2 #12.  
Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total cost to \$660 to be in accordance with the cost per time breakdown by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the advertising cost per item to \$1320 by UC citing code 810.2 #13.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the advertising total costs to \$1320 to reflect the cost per item category by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the cost per item for food to \$770 by UC citing code 810.2 #10.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total cost for food to \$770 to be in accordance with cost per item by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the cost per item for awards to \$14.28 by UC citing code 810.2 #11.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total cost for awards to \$199.92 to reflect the cost per item breakdown by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve Florida Ski and Snowboard operational request for a total of \$3099.92 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to fail the Florida Ski and Snowboard Racer Development Program travel request citing code 800.205 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to table the event budget request for Florida Ski and Snowboard Club by UUC

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the Florida Ski and Snowboard Club travel request for \$3000 by UC.

Motion Passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to approve the Florida Ski and Snowboard Club event budget request for the amount of \$6882 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin objects to Senator Dotson's motion.

Senator Dotson moves to approve the event budget request for the Florida Ski and Snowboard Club for the amount of \$2620 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the Florida Ski and Snowboard Club's event budget request for \$2470 by UC.

Motion Passes.

Molly Murphy exits the meeting.

Senator Shembekar moves to approve the operational budget request for the Power and Energy Club for the amount of \$2376 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the operational budget request for the Society of Software Developers for \$2512 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to approve the operational budget request for The Illusions Dance Troupe for \$2250 by UC.

Motion passes.

Budget and Appropriations Committee member Kate Finrock enters the meeting.

Senator Martin moves to approve the travel budget request for the Society of Health and Medical Physics Students for \$3000 by UC.

Motion passes.

Budget and Appropriations Committee member Tristan Khajavi enters the meeting.

Senator Martin moves to amend the cost per item for programs down to \$0 citing code 810.2 #12 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total costs under programs to \$0 to reflect the breakdown by cost per item by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the advertising costs per item to \$0 citing code 810.2 #13 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total advertising cost to \$0 to reflect the cost per item breakdown by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the cost per item in the food category to \$0 citing code 810.2 #10 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total cost for food to \$0 to reflect the cost per item breakdown.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin to amend the base funding cost per item to \$0 citing code 808.0 by UC.

Motion passes

Senator Martin moves to amend the total cost for base funding to \$0 to reflect the breakdown.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the operational budget request for Grilling for Greater: Meals that Matter (Gator Grill Club) for \$0 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to approve the travel budget request for the Florida Undergraduate Moot Court for \$240 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi rescinds his previous motion.

Senator Khajavi moves to approve the travel funding request for the Florida Undergraduate Moot Court for \$240 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the cost per item under advertising to \$8 citing code 810.2 #13 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total cost under advertising to \$240 to reflect the breakdown by UC.

Motion passes.

Moves to approve the operational budget request for the Ukrainian Student Association for \$240 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Dotson moves to approve the travel budget request for the Gator Chapter - AISES for \$2000 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the travel budget request for the Gator Science Olympiad for \$2000 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to approve the event budget request for the Indian Student Association for \$10,600 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the event budget request for the Society of PC Building for \$5000 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the event budget request for Floridance for \$7150 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to amend the advertising cost per item to \$6 citing code 810.2 #13 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to amend the total cost under advertising to \$180 to reflect the breakdown by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to approve the operational budget request for Future Business Leaders of America Collegiate in the amount of \$180 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the event budget request for Nuclear Music for \$5000 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator moves to approve the operational budget request for the American Nuclear Society for \$1020 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Finfrock moves to approve the event budget request for the Florida Players for \$9,400 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to approve the event budget request for the Venezuelan Student Association for \$1100 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to approve the event budget request for the Florida players for \$9400 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to amend the quantity for food down to 470 citing code 810.2 #10 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to amend the total cost under the food category to \$3290 in accordance with the breakdown by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the cost per item under advertising to \$12.50 citing code 810.2 #13 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total cost under advertising to \$3759 to reflect the breakdown by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to approve the operational budget request for the Society of PC Builders to \$7569 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Finfrock moves to approve the event budget request for Gator Gaming for \$1180 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Dotson moves to approve the event budget request for SouthWest Immokalee GSO for \$2940 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to approve the event budget request for SCREAM Music for \$5000 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the event budget request for the Argentine Student Association for \$455 by UC.  
Motion passes.

Senator Dotson moves to approve the event budget request for the Venezuelan Student Association for \$1100 by UC.  
Motion passes.

Senator Finfrock moves to approve the event budget request for the Society of PC Building for \$5000 by UC.  
Motion passes.

Senator Dotson moves to approve the operational budget request for the Filipino Student Association for \$4600 by UC.  
Motion passes.

Senator Clarke moves to approve the operational budget request for the Pakistani Students' Association for \$2460 by UC.  
Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to approve the operational budget request for the Deutschklub for \$455 by UC.  
Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the travel budget request for the Software Engineering Club for \$2750 by UC.  
Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to approve the operational funding request for the Russian Culture Club for \$2130 by UC.  
Motion passes.

Senator Clarke moves to approve the operational budget request for Sparks Magazine for \$1628 by UC.  
Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the cost per item for programs down to \$0 citing code 810.2 #12 by UC.  
Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total costs under programs to \$0 to reflect the breakdown by UC.  
Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the advertising costs per item to \$0 citing code 810.2 #13 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total advertising cost to \$0 to reflect the cost per item breakdown by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the operational budget request for the First Generation Leadership Program for \$1190 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator moves to approve the event budget request for the Nepalese Student Association for \$1945 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the cost per time under programs to \$120 citing code 810.2 #12 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total costs under programs to \$120 to reflect the breakdown by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the quantity under food to 20 citing code 810.2 #10 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total cost under food to \$140 to reflect the breakdown by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the operational budget request for the Nepalese Student Association for \$260 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to approve the operational budget request for the Nepalese student Association for \$2255 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Finfrock moves to approve the operational budget request for FOSTER for \$1060 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to fail the travel request for Society of Health and Medical Physics students citing code 800.46 because it is outside the budget cycle by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to approve the travel budget request for The Amazing Race: Florida by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the event budget request for the First Generation Leadership Program for \$3850 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Finrock moves to approve the travel budget request for GatorNatyam for \$500 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to approve the event budget request for Outdoor Adventure Recreation for \$2390 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to strike the verbiage of \$500 from the description of the event budget request for the Korean Undergraduate Student Association citing committee precedence.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the cost per item of advertising for the event budget request for Korean Undergraduate Student Association down to \$900 citing code 808.10 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total cost for the event budget request for Korean Undergraduate Student Association to \$9303 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the event budget request for the Korean Student Association by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to approve the event budget request for Asian Kaleidoscope Month for \$6700 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves amend the number of GBMs for Software Engineering Club Down to 6 citing code 810.2 #13 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to amend the costs per item in the advertising line for the Software Engineering Club down to \$6.40 citing code 810.2 #13 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to amend the advertising total down for the Software Engineering Club to \$960 to reflect the breakdown by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the cost per item under food for pizza for Software Engineering Club to \$3.33 citing code 810.2 #10 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total cost for pizza and food for Software Engineering Club to \$499.50 by UC to reflect the cost per item by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the cost per item for cookies in the food category for Software Engineering Club down to \$1 citing code 810.2 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total cost for the line under cookies and food category for Software Engineering Club to \$60 to reflect the breakdown by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to approve the Operational budget request for the Software engineering club for \$1659.50 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to approve the Event budget request for the Filipino Student Association for \$4550 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to amend the Caribbean Students Association programs' cost per item down to \$7.50 citing code 810.2 #12 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Finfrock moves to amend Caribbean Students Association programs operation budget request total down to \$1200 to reflect the breakdown by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to approve the Caribbean Students Association Operational budget request of \$1200 by UC.

Motion passes.

Let the record reflect that Senator Clarke and Majority Party Leader Finfrock have left the meeting.

Senator Martin moves to approve the Event budget request for the Sikh Students Association for \$10720 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to approve the Event budget request for Pakistani Student Association for \$4100 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the Operational budget request for the Contemporary Vocal Ensemble for \$5000 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Dotson moves to approve the Event budget request for Survivor Florida for \$12500 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Shembekar moves to fail the event budget request for Model United Nations citing code 800.46 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the cost per item to \$200 under the category food for Arab Students' Association citing code 810.2 #10 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to amend the total cost of food down to \$1400 for Arab Students' Association to reflect the breakdown by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Martin moves to approve the Operational Budget Request for Arab Students' Association for \$3660 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to approve the Event budget request for Survivor Florida for \$12500 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to strike the verbiage "and/or equivalent" in the venue of project line of the Chinese American Student Association citing 808.7 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to strike the verbiage "and/or equivalent rental agreement" from the programs description of the Chinese American Student Association citing code 808.7 by UC.

Motion passes.

Senator Khajavi moves to approve the Event budget request for Chinese American Student Association for \$10200 by UC.  
Motion passes.

Chairman Cumpstone adjourns this meeting at 5:21 pm on April 13th 2026.