



SB-83.03

“SFC Process Bill”

(Bill to formalize SFC Process in ASOSU Statute)

SUMMARY

The actual process for how the SFC is run and how fee bills work used to be mainly covered under the House and Joint Session sections of statute, when ASOSU switched to a unicameral system and rewrote its statutes, some of the sections governing how mandatory incidental fees are set was not replaced. This bill aims to put those process’ back in ASOSU Statute

WHEREAS Sections of how the SFC works were covered under the House and Joint Session sections of the old ASOSU Statutes and were not carried over into the new statutes, and;

WHEREAS The actual process by which the SFC recommends fee levels to the ASOSU Senate is not currently defined in any current governing documents

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE ASOSU THAT:

Upon passage of this bill, The ASOSU Statutes be amended to include the following changes:

Title IV §3 subsections C, D, E, and F be adjusted to D, E, F, and G

A new subsection C be created which includes the following quotation:

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1. The SFC shall provide templates for the budget proposal and supporting documents to the SABs and/or Budget Managers. The committee shall request impact of all options, including a decrease, freeze, and increase to the last year’s budget.
2. Upon receipt of these budget proposals, the SFC shall review them in detail and seek any clarification and additional information from the SABs, Budget Managers, or Financial Strategic Services (FSS) as needed.
3. The SFC shall deliberate over the budget proposal and host at least one public forum to gather feedback from the student body. The SFC shall reconvene after the public forum and recommend the fee level for each unit based on its deliberations, feedback gathered from the student body, the larger budget priorities outlined for the next fiscal year, and the impact on the total fee amount.



4. The SFC shall be responsible for evaluating the budget proposals and considering the value they provide to the student body, when balanced against the impact to the total fee level. It shall also consider the spending in the previous years, as well as the impact to the student body to inform its deliberations over the budget proposals.
5. The SFC Chair shall forward the recommended fee levels, a summary of the votes on each Student Advisory Board's budget request on behalf of its unit, and a narrative explaining any alterations by the SFC from the SAB's originally requested Student Fee level and any decision packages both approved and rejected, to the ASOSU Vice President
6. A formal written report providing an overview of the SFC process will be posted publicly after submission of the recommendation to ASOSU Senate. “

§3 subsection A “6.” be removed



BE IT HEREBY ORDERED BY THE ASOSU THAT UPON PASSAGE:

This bill be sent to:

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Signature: Dakota Canzano Date: 8/10/23

Approval or veto by the ASOSU President:

Carissa O'Donnell, ASOSU President

Signature: Carissa O'Donnell Date: 8/14/2023 **Approved**
 Vetoed