APPROPRIATION

STUDENT GOVERNMENT COUNCIL · MODESTO A. MAIDIQUE CAMPUS

Agenda Item: SA 1704 - In support of appropriating $1,280 to the MANRRS/Agroecology to attend the MANRRS Training and Professional Development Trip on March 29 to April 1, 2017

Date: March 8, 2017

Committee: Finance Committee

Sponsors: Senator Martin Villamizar, Honors; Senator Stephanie Gutierrez, Lower division; Senator Sharlene Buchely, Business; Senator Anjali Tripasingerthi, Graduate; Senator Johnny Louis, At-Large;

In Support of the MANRRS/Agroecology attending MANRRS Training and Professional Development Trip

WHEREAS, Florida International University’s vision is to lead a student-centered urban public research university that is both locally and globally engaged;

WHEREAS, The Student Government Council at Modesto A. Maidique campus is committed to provide and improve the overall student experience by fostering student life, encouraging community involvement, and embracing diversity;

WHEREAS, The MANRRS/Agroecology mission is to provide their students with all the opportunities (scholarly, professional, and personal) to grow and develop in order to become successful graduates and be able to acquire employment in the field in which they earned their degrees. This conference affords these hardworking student researchers and diligent community members the chance to connect with numerous governmental, private, and nonprofit entities to secure employment through internships and future research collaboration. Furthermore, this conference brings various experts in the field to one location, where they conduct workshop and training sessions that are highly desirable but not readily available to students like us. Apart from the gain to the individual student, the group as a whole will be representing FIU and the Agroecology program on a national level, highlighting the level of rigor and talent which is cultivated at FIU.
WHEREAS, This event will help establish FIU’s vision and mission by showing what we as students learn, collaborate, and innovate through research to advance the technologies and processes for the future;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Student Government Council - Modesto A. Maidique Campus will appropriate $1,280 to students to attend MANRRS/Agroecology on May 29 to April 2, 2017;

THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, MANRRS/Agroecology 4 students ($1,280 total)

Proviso: Student(s) should submit a brief paragraph and picture describing the success of the trip, so that they may be published in the Beacon and/or Student Government website.

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