**Introduced By:** Chair Borges **Sponsored By: Contact:** sgaors@ucf.edu Adopted in Committee; **First Reading:** September 6, 2023 **Committee Action:** Passed 3-0-2 Second Reading: September 7, 2023; Passed 39-0-0 **Third Reading:** September 14, 2023; Final Vote: Passed 36-0-0



## University of Central Florida Fifty-Fifth Student Body Senate Fiscal Bill 55-12

[Funding for 12 members of the Future Theme Park Leaders Association to travel to the FTPLA California Executive Management Shadow Week in Southern California from December 10th, 2023, to December 19th, 2023]

**WHEREAS**, The Future Theme Park Leaders Association (FTPLA) has been a Registered Student Organization since 2004; **WHEREAS**, The mission of FTPLA is to develop future leaders for the Theme Park Industry by providing educational, professional, and networking opportunities;

WHEREAS, FTPLA members pay dues of \$45 annually;

WHEREAS, FTPLA currently has 173 active dues-paying members;

WHEREAS, The purpose of the FTPLA California Executive Management Shadow Week is to allow students who are actively pursuing a career within the theme park industry to shadow and network with executive management in various departments of multiple theme parks on the West Coast while conducting research to expand knowledge within the theme park industry, including Food & Beverage, Merchandise, Sales, Marketing, Engineering, Park Services, Entertainment, Attractions, and more, and our goal in coordinating this conference is to help students learn relevant academic and professional information through various leaders and managers within the theme park industry and continue to offer a trip that has been executed by FTPLA for over 10 years; WHEREAS, This conference will allow us to further spread the name of the University of Central Florida and the Rosen College nationally by exemplifying professionalism and ambition, especially on the heels of the new Theme Park & Attraction Management Degree here at the Rosen College. This conference also provides UCF student members of FTPLA with a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to develop career goals and provide job opportunities while exploring the differences between Florida theme parks and California theme parks including different operations, laws, and more;

WHEREAS, FTPLA will be lodging at the Knott's Hotel; and

**WHEREAS**, The Future Theme Park Leaders Association received \$0.00 in Activity and Service Fee Funds in the 2023-2024 Fiscal Year.

*THEREFORE*, *BE IT ENACTED*, by the Fifty-Fifth Student Body Senate of the University of Central Florida that \$6,015.06 be allocated to the Future Theme Park Leaders Association from the Registration and Travel Account according to the following breakdown:

Item	Description	Cost
Lodging	(\$172.01 per night x 9 nights x 3 rooms)	\$4,644.36
Registration	(\$219.00 x 8 members)	\$1,752.00
Travel	<u>(\$469.48 x 12 members)</u>	<u>\$5,633.76</u>
Total Cost		\$12,030.12
Total Future Theme Park Leaders Association Contribution		\$6,015.06
Total Senate Contribution		\$6,015.06

**BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, That all unspent funds revert to their originating account by January 18th, 2023; **BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, That Future Theme Park Leaders Association may complete a Post-Funding Form and return it to the Operations Review and Sanctions Committee (ORS); and **BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, That Future Theme Park Leaders Association completes a Verification of RSO Purchases Form by January 25th, 2023, as a condition of receiving funding.

Brandon Greenaway Brandon Greenaway

Student Body President

Date

## AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES

Dr. Adrienne Frame Vice President, SSWB

Date