

Executive Action Sheet for Senate Legislation

Senate Bill 329-	
Resolution 329-	
I, Meghana Boojala, President of the Student As	ssembly of William & Mary do hereby
Approve	
Veto	
The Student Assembly Senate Legislation:	
resident 329th Student Assembly (21-22)	DATE:
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A Bill

To facilitate activities of wellness and bonding within SA

The Wellness Initiatives Funding Act

An Act of the 329th Student Assembly of William & Mary,

Sponsored by Chair of the Senate Owen Williams ('23)

Supported by Student Assembly Chief of Staff John Cho ('23), Secretary of Health and Safety Amelia Grossman ('22)

WHEREAS, Student Assembly has planned weekly 'Wellness Initiatives' to be undertaken by various bodies within SA including Exec, Cabinet Departments, and Senate Class Committees;

WHEREAS, it is up to the department or class committee to plan the format and activities encompassed in that week's wellness initiative;

WHEREAS, the wellness initiatives that have already been undertaken have been regarded as successful by many in attendance;

WHEREAS, the weekly wellness initiatives would be even more successful if they were not reliant on the self-funding of those responsible for planning and executing the initiative;

WHEREAS, requiring initiative sponsors to self-finance their initiative is detrimental to the purpose of facilitating mental wellness;

WHEREAS, the Off Campus Account exists to support the internal operations of SA, which the wellness initiative project surely constitutes;

WHEREAS, the wellness initiative project is planned to continue for the remainder of the 329th Session;

WHEREAS, Student Assembly has secured a plot in the Campus Garden and funds are needed to get the plot functioning;

WHEREAS, participating in the upkeep of the plot and sharing its produce would be a great wellness initiative activity;

WHEREAS, SA senior leadership is also planning an SA-wide Halloween pumpkin carving activity for the end of October.

Now, therefore, be it,

RESOLVED, that the Student Assembly of William & Mary,

- 1. Allocates up to \$650 from the Student Assembly Off Campus Account for the financing of future Wellness Initiatives through the end of the 329th Session, including regular upkeep of the Campus Garden plot and the pumpkin carving initiative.
- 2. Charges the organizers of the weekly Wellness Initiative to pro-actively coordinate with the Secretary of Health and Safety and the Student Assembly Chief of Staff to secure financing/purchasing for their planned initiative in a fiscally responsible manner.
- 3. Charges the Department of Sustainability with the maintenance of the Campus Garden plot.
- 4. Stipulates that any reimbursement requests must be submitted within 30 days of the event.
- 5. Strongly encourages all SA members to attend the weekly Wellness Initiatives and other planned special wellness events.