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# **Resolution for Greater Awareness of Legislative Activity**

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**Whereas:** There have been concerns among the general population of Rollins about the role of the Student Government Association of Rollins College (SGA). Many feel that it is unproductive and that its members are not industrious with their elected and appointed positions.

**Whereas:** SGA is active and passes legislation almost every time it meets. There is no reason for the general feeling of students to be that SGA is not productive. SGA should seek to remedy this disconnect.

**Whereas:** The SGA could send out a campus-wide email every time a piece of legislation is passed by the Senate. The goals of this action could be three fold: 1) It would greater inform the campus of the work of SGA. 2) It could also increase awareness of the issues that SGA is able to discuss and weigh in on a regular basis 3) It would increase institutional transparency within SGA and Rollins as a whole.

**Whereas:** It should be noted that the volume of emails for many students is great and that at most the sum of these campus-wide emails would be about 30, not enough to raise concern for over informing the general population at Rollins College.

# Be it Hereby Resolved, The Student Government Association of Rollins College will:

(1) Pass this measure by "roll call vote" to increase senator ownership of their votes and stress to them the importance of their votes.

(2) Empower the Public Relations Chair, or another executive officer as appointed by the President to send out a document with the legislation passed each week to the entire student body no less than 24 hours after passage.