

**A Bill to Amend the Code of Student Governance  
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39<sup>th</sup> STUDENT SENATE  
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**IN THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT OF GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY**

**February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

Sponsored by: Clerk Attiya  
Co-Sponsored by: Chairwoman Kelly

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*Be it enacted by the Student Senate of George Mason University –*

- A. That Title II, Chapter 4, § 401: be amended to read the following in the Code of Student Governance:

**§ 401 Process for Introduction of Legislation**

Members having bills or resolutions shall present them the Clerk via in accordance with the Legislative Drafting Manual of the Student Senate, at least 24 hours prior to the meeting at which they are to be read. **If the Clerk wishes to submit legislation, they must present them to the Speaker and Speaker Pro Tempore at least 24 hours prior to the meeting at which they are to be read.** At which point, the Clerk must send the legislation via the Senate mailing list, at least 12 hours prior to the meeting. Any bill or resolution introduced in the Senate must list the names of sponsors and any co-sponsors. All Bills and Resolutions submitted must have at least one sponsor and one co-sponsor. Should legislation be submitted prior to the first meeting of the first session, it shall be sent to the Clerk of the previous Senate, considered at the first meeting.

- (1) The Clerk shall assign each Bill or Resolution a number in the order in which they are presented.
- (2) Upon receipt of such legislation the Speaker shall schedule a reading for each Bill or Resolution at the next upcoming meeting of the Student Senate. It shall be distinctly announced or set out at each reading on the Agenda, whether it is the first or second reading.
- (3) Senators shall have the ability to submit new legislation during New Business, at the discretion of the Speaker.
- (4) All agendas, bills, and resolutions for meetings are to be sent through email prior to Senate meetings and are to be projected during the meetings. Hard copies are to be printed for the Leadership of the Student Senate (Speaker, Speaker Pro Tempore, Clerk, and Chairpersons), and the sponsors of said bills and resolutions. **all members who**

previously requested it from the clerk prior to the meeting with a few additional copies for those seated in the gallery.

Passed the Student Senate: \_\_\_\_\_

Attest:

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Speaker: Claire Olivier

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Clerk: Amanda Attiya

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President: Rebekah Pettine