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To: The Honorable Student Body of the University of South Florida Tampa Campus
From: Student Government Leadership
Subject: Week of February 1st Updates
Date: February 5th, 2021

This week's update for the Federal and Local Student Government is as follows:

Federal Student Government

- Working on a student government sponsored scholarship.
- Finalized members of the Spring cohort for the Student Government Advisory Task Force.
- Applications for student representatives on university committees are opening soon!
- Make sure to have your voices heard by participating in the Presidential Strategic Renewal town halls!! More info can be found on the Strategic Renewal website.
- The SG Supreme Court is hosting a pre-law series that runs from Feb. 3rd to March 24th. DM us for more info!

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Local Student Government

- CAFC concluded providing annual budget workshops and the annual budget application for registered student organizations closed today at 4:59 PM.
- CAFC continued funding the base budget for departments this week and heard a presentation from Dr. Dosal about a new departmental initiative.
- Had a great turnout for the first Florida Politics Series panel! Our next panel is **February 11th at 4 PM on Microsoft Teams**, with Florida Commissioner of Agriculture and Consumer Services **Nikki Fried** and Florida Chief Financial Officer **Jimmy Patronis** as our guest speakers.
- Met with the Governor and Lt. Governor of the USF St. Petersburg campus to further our discussion of SAFE Team starting up on their campus.
- Hired a new Chief Judge of the Tampa Circuit Court: Welcome aboard, Tristen Sheptock!
- Attended a Wellness Center meeting to discuss the color palette for the interior of the new building.
- Held our SG Monthly Townhall today from 3PM-4PM.
- Furthered discussion of the hotspot distribution process.

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