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**To:** The Honorable Student Body of the University of South Florida Tampa Campus  
**From:** Student Government Leadership  
**Subject:** Week of July 13<sup>th</sup> Updates  
**Date:** July 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020

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This week, the Federal and Local Student Governments have been hard at work, moving towards completing initiatives regarding the Black Lives Matter movement, food insecurity, eSports, and many more. Here is what we have been doing this week:

**Federal Student Government:**

- Met with UF, FSU, Cornell, and Senator Marco Rubio's Office to discuss the CARES Act and advocate for continued financial support to universities and students.
- Passed a resolution supporting international students and condemning the actions of the ICE's last Saturday during FSA.
- Met with Swipe Out Hunger to learn about their work to help food insecure students on college campuses. We'll meet again early in the Fall once we have done a marketing campaign to increase awareness of our existing food pantries across the system.

**Local Student Government:**

- Facilitated the creation of a Memorandum of Agreement with The Oracle to provide Registered Student Organizations with a way to promote their organization through student publications.
- Helped facilitate a meeting with the Federal Student Government for the Black Collective Movement Tampa (Instagram: @thebcmtampa), a Tampa Bay organization, to have a conversation about city of Tampa concerns with Representative Driskell.
- Had a meeting with Administration and Black Student Union (BSU) to further pursue ideas with a Black student space and discuss proposals.
- All Tampa Executive Branch members completed UndocuAlly training on July 16<sup>th</sup>.

If anyone has any questions, please do not hesitate to email the Tampa Governor, Spencer McCloskey at [sg-governor@usf.edu](mailto:sg-governor@usf.edu).