



# MINUTES

## AILG Plenary Meeting

Thursday, September 22, 2022 | in-person and zoom | Meeting called to order at 6:30 pm by Akil Middleton

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### In Attendance

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Board: Akil Middleton (ZP), Cecilia Stuopis (AXO), Herman L. Marshall (BTP), Beverly Borden (WILG) Administration, Staff, Vendors: Pam Gannon (AP/DSL), Liz Jason (FSILG Office), Scott Klemm (FCI), Jessica Morris (FSILG Office)

#### FSILGs attending:

Alpha Chi Omega, Alpha Delta Phi, Alpha Phi, Beta Theta Pi, Chi Phi, Theta Tau, Theta Xi, WILG, Zeta Beta Tau, Zeta Psi Lambda Chi Alpha, Phi Beta Epsilon, Phi Delta Theta, Phi Kappa Sigma, Pi Beta Phi, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Tau Epsilon Phi, Theta Chi, Theta Delta Chi,

#### FSILGs not attending:

Alpha Epsilon Phi, Alpha Epsilon Pi, Alpha Tau Omega, Delta Kappa Epsilon, Delta Phi Epsilon, Delta Tau Delta, Epsilon Theta, Fenway House, Kappa Alpha Theta, Kappa Sigma, Nu Delta, Number Six Club, Phi Kappa Theta, Phi Sigma Kappa, Pi Lambda Phi, pika, Sigma Chi, Sigma Kappa, Sigma Nu, Sigma Phi Epsilon, Student House,

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### Review of Minutes

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There were no minutes of the previous meeting, as this is the first one of the year.

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### Treasurer's report

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Bev Borden presented the Treasurer's report. The handoff from the previous Treasurer is complete.

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### FSILG Office / DSL, and Council updates

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Liz Jason reported on FSILG activities, starting with the office organization chart and the newest employees. On recruitment, Liz is waiting for two organizations to report but it appears that the IFC did well, with about 300 accepted bids. Last year, there were 311 accepted bids but that included a lot of sophomores. This year's number includes 30-40 second-year students. About 600 potential members attended events. Jess reported on Panhellenic; 163 started the first round and over 150 continued the process and there were over 120 matches. Retention is also good. For the ILGs, numbers are incomplete and some bids remain open.

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### Goals for the year.

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The two areas of focus are member support and living group sustainability. These were also discussed at the AILG retreat in June (see next item). As part of learning about current dorm conditions with an eye toward sustainability, this plenary is being held at Burton Connor. The in-person attendees were treated to a short tour of the facilities and rooms of the BC renovations, which are rather impressive. In a similar

vein, Stu Schmill will be attending an AILG plenary to provide an overview of admissions and demographics of the admitted students.

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### The Third Annual Bob Ferrara Leadership Retreat

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The second annual retreat was held in June and the next one is scheduled for January 28.

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### Reintroduction to the SLI Program

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Larry Stabile is the new chair and described updates to the SLI program. The changes to the program will be posted on the AILG website. Roy Russell asked about how to improve the timeliness of the SLI dashboard. Larry responded that the issue is being addressed.

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### Committee reports

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Bob Ferrara reported for the IT committee. Equipment is backlogged. Roy reminded the group that the Peer Visit Program (PVP) is the revised Accreditation program. There will now be free lunches for the in-person reviews. There are no longer “grades” (e.g. “accredited with reservations”).

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### Facility Renewal

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Pam Gannon reported on progress of the program. Three houses are participating in a pilot program. There will be another update at the November plenary.

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### Announcements

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Chancellor Melissa Nobles will be touring three houses in Cambridge (PBE, KAT, and WILG). She has already toured some of the dorms.

Career week is underway this week.

Scott Klemm reported that FCI is moving elsewhere in the Student Center. The next FCI meeting is October 22. He encouraged everyone to update their contacts. Pam will also ask for leadership info.

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### Adjournment – 7:16pm

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Respectfully Submitted,

Herman L. Marshall, AILG Secretary

#### Abbreviations

AILG	Association of Independent Living Groups
BSF	Building Safety Facilitator
CPW	Campus Preview Weekend
DSL	Division of Student Life
FCI	FSILG Cooperative, Inc.
FSILGs	Fraternities, Sororities and Independent Living Groups
IFC	Interfraternity Council
ILGs	Independent Living Groups
IRDF	Independent Residence Development Fund
IS&T	Information Systems & Technology

LGC	Living Group Council
MITAA	MIT Alumni Association
NIC	North American Interfraternity Conference
NPC	National Panhellenic Conference
Panhel	Panhellenic Association
RFM	Release Figure Methodology (algorithm for optimizing Panhel recruitment)
SLI	Safety, Licensing, and Inspections
VPF	Vice President for Finance
VPR	Vice President Recruitment