



**Government Relations Update
Board of Trustees Governance Committee Meeting
December 7, 2022**



Legislative Calendar At-A-Glance

December 12-16: Florida Special Session

January-December: 1st Session | 118th Congress

March 7, 2023: Florida Session Convenes

April 13: FAMU Day at the Capitol

May 5, 2023: Florida Session Adjourns

August: Fiscal Year 2024-2025 LBR Submission



117th Congress | 2nd Session

FY 2023 Programmatic Requests

- Strengthening HBCUs
- NOAA National Sea Grant College Program
- NOAA Educational Partnership Program/Minority Serving Institutions
- Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants
- Education Grants for 1890 Institutions
- 1890s Extension Program
- Scholarships at 1890 Institutions
- NIH Research Centers in Minority Institutions Program
- NIH Minority Health & Health Disparities
- HBCU Capital Financing Program
- HRSA Health Career Opportunity Program

IGNITE HBCU Excellence Act

- Supports HBCU campus renovation, repair and modernization.
- Protects health and safety of students, faculty and staff.
- Expands educational capacity and enhances student experience.

CHIPS and Science Act of 2022

- As enacted, authorizes \$81 billion for NSF over five years for research and related activities, STEM education, and major research equipment.
- Authorizes National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) grant to establish or expand cybersecurity programs for institutions of higher education that have a high enrollment of disadvantaged students, HBCUs, Tribal colleges and universities, and minority serving institutions.

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Florida Legislative Budget Requests FY 2023-2024

Elevating and Sustaining Student Success \$15 million recurring

- Increase graduation rates and first-time licensure pass rates.
- Increase undergraduates and post-graduates in Programs of Strategic Emphasis.
- Recruit, develop, and retain world-class faculty.
- Increase research productivity.

Chemical & Biological Research Laboratory Center \$20.4 million

- Position FAMU as a leader in research, healthcare education, and service.
- Increase research productivity for interdisciplinary research in STEM and health-related disciplines.
- Enhance cadre of competitive graduates for employment in high-need STEM disciplines.

Peaden Education Center, Crestview, FL \$1.5 million recurring

- Since its beginning in 2012, the Peaden Campus has seen tremendous growth and retains students and faculty whose economic contribution to the Crestview community is approximately \$1 million annually.
- Graduates contribute more than \$10 million to the Panhandle economy.

Howard Hall \$13.5 million

- Howard Hall has not had major renovations for nearly 70 years.
- The new facility would support robust collaboration, learning, information dissemination, visualization, operations, mission support and logistical coordination internally and externally to organizational partners.



FLORIDA A&M UNIVERSITY

Founded in 1887 as the State Normal College for Colored Students, Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University (FAMU) is the only historically state supported educational facility for African Americans in Florida. It has always been co-educational. In 1890, the second Morrill Act was passed. This enabled the school to become the Black Land Grant College for the State of Florida. In 1891, the college was moved from its original location west of town to its present location which was once the site of "Highwood," Territorial Governor W.P. Duval's slave plantation. The site is one of the highest hills in Tallahassee. The school was known as Florida A&M College from 1909 until 1953 when it attained university status.