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"Walk With Ease"

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WHEREAS: There are 19,077 students, (70% of the university's student body), at the Boca Raton Campus of Florida Atlantic University who navigate around campus on a daily basis, and;

WHEREAS: All of the students who walk around campus on a daily basis need to be able to travel safely, and;
WHEREAS: There are many pedestrian crosswalks located around campus, and;

WHEREAS: The risk of an incident increases for those students with disabilities, and;

WHEREAS: A series of pedestrian crosswalks have traffic, visual and audio signals to alert oncoming traffic of pedestrians, and;

WHEREAS: As FAU grows within a confined space, rising traffic volume poses a threat to all pedestrian welfare, and;

WHEREAS: In the past, students commuting along these pedestrian crosswalks have been hit by inattentive drivers, and;

WHEREAS: There have been at least two (2) separate instances in which FAU students have been hit by oncoming traffic, and;

WHEREAS: Never, should any student, at any time, feel unsafe when using pedestrian crosswalks around campus, NOW;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the Boca Raton House of Representatives be in favor of bi-monthly inspections of all pedestrians crosswalks in order to assure proper mechanical functionality, and;

THEREFORE: BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED: That a copy of this resolution is sent to the FAU Police, the FAU Office of Facilities and Planning, the Office for Students with Disabilities, the Office of the University President, the University Board of Trustees, the Florida House of Representatives, the Florida Senate, and the Florida Governor, Rick Scott.
This Bill / Resolution # BRHR-12-02 PASSED FAILED on this 26th day of October 2012 by a vote of 29 YES, 0 NO, 0 ABSTAIN moved by Mustain and seconded by Sosa.

Signature – House Speaker / President of the Senate: 

For House Bills or Resolutions ONLY:

This Bill / Resolution is hereby ENACTED VETOED on this 29th day of October 2012. Signature – Campus Governor: 

For All Legislation:

This Bill / Resolution is hereby ENACTED / VETOED on this 30th day of October 2012. Signature – Student Body President 

For All Legislation, Pursuant to University Regulation 4.006:

This Bill / Resolution is APPROVED / SENT BACK FOR RECONSIDERATION on this 1st day of November 2012. Signature – Vice President for Student Affairs 

For All Legislation:

This Bill / Resolution is Received and Recorded by the Student Government Student Court on this 2nd day of November 2012.