

Registered Student Organization Strike Policy

Failure to comply with University policies and/or Student Involvement guidelines may earn your RSO a strike. An RSO could have its privileges suspended due to actions/behaviors of members including, but not limited to:

- Fiscal delinquency and/or abuse of University privileges and/or services
- Violation of University Policies and Procedures
- Failure to annually register the student organization with Student Involvement

Common Infractions

- Misuse or damage of equipment in on-campus rooms reserved the by the RSO.
- Using your solicitation permit for something other than what your requested the permit for.
- The use of amplified sound or a guest speaker at solicitation permit location.
- Not returning solicitation permit equipment to the Student Involvement office by 4:15pm on the day of your solicitation permit.
- Refusal to adhere to the food safety guideline, i.e. individually wrapped bake goods.
- Property damage to any SIU property at the time of use or solicitation.
- Failure to return receipts to the Student Involvement Accountants within 24 hours of purchase.

Strikes

The number of strikes will be given at the discretion of the Student Involvement staff. The staff will consider the history as well as the severity of the infraction when issuing the strike.

Strike 1: An email notice of the infraction is sent to the certified officers and the advisor.

Strike 2: The organization's portal will be disabled up to 30 days. Organizations with a disabled portal will not be able to request any space on campus, solicitation permit, or allowed access to their organization monetary accounts. This may impact participation in the Involvement Fair and USG Funding requests.

Strike 3: The organization's portal will be disabled for at minimum 16 academic weeks, including the Involvement Fair.

Appeal of Strike

If you would like to appeal your strike(s) the following is the protocol:

- A letter of appeal should be written describing why the RSO should have not received the strike. The letter should address what the RSO believes should be the appropriate sanction instead of a strike if they agree that the accused behavior was not appropriate. This letter of appeal is due within 5 school days of the infraction notification.
- The letter of appeal should be given to the following:
 - The Coordinator of Student Involvement – if the Coordinator of Student Involvement issued the strike then the letter of appeal should be given to the Associate Director of Programming for the Student Center.