

Appropriations

October 7, 2014

Organizations in Attendance: Righteous at GVSU, Victorious Women of Virtue, Better Together at GVSU, Urban Planning Association, Mock Trial, International Justice Mission

Board Members: Jordan (Chair), Mackenzie, Kaylee, Danielle, Raquel, Adam

Righteous at GVSU: \$300.00

The purpose of this request is for food for the experiences where Righteous brings their motivational speaker in to talk about different skills.

Questions:

- Are these your general meetings?
- Do you have the rooms reserved?
- Is this through campus catering?

Discussion:

- None

Voting:

- Vote passes in full for \$240.00

Victorious Women of Virtue: \$495.00

The purpose of this request is for food as well as promotions for an event they are putting on called *Why Me?*. The event is to increase awareness for women who have dealt with some type of domestic abuse and help them move past it.

Questions:

- Do you have the room reserved?

Discussion:

- Request cut down for promotions due to the creation station in the SOC.
- Request cut to eliminate certain food items.

Vote:

- Vote passes in full for \$429.00

Victorious Women of Virtue: \$538.00

The purpose of this request is for food and promotions for an event to show why it is okay for some couples to wait until marriage to have sex.

Questions:

- Room reserved?

- Can you provide more details about the photographer?

Discussion:

- Request cut down for promotions due to the creation station in the SOC.
- Request cut down for the photographer.
- Motion to cut two of the food items in half.

Vote:

- Passes for \$332.00

Better Together at GVSU: \$1,000.00

The purpose of this request is for their event called the *Spiritual Life Fair*. The money is for food for the event, as well as promotions for the event.

Questions:

- Do you have a quote form catering?
- Is the room reserved?
- How many people do you plan on attending?
- Question about a line item on the quote.

Discussion:

- Discussion about what the cap should be for the food.

Vote:

- Request passes for \$800.00

Urban Planning Association: \$1,245.00

The purpose of this request is for a once a year trip to Chicago for students who are studying Urban Planning as well as Environmental Studies.

Questions:

- Do you have a quote for the hostel?
- Does this tour include everything on the itinerary?
- Do you have 15 people secured to go?

Discussion:

- Discussion if there is a cheaper alternative for the hostel.

Vote:

- Vote Passes in full for \$1,245.00

Mock Trial Association: \$1,385.00

The purpose of this request is for them to take a trip to Joliet IL for one of their competitions.

Questions:

- Is the faculty included in the request?
- Is the \$125 a group rate?
- What type of trial is this representing?
- What do you hope to bring back to Grand Valley?
- Would Grand Valley ever be able to host one of these events?
- Do you do any fundraising?
- Are the rooms reserved yet?
- Do you have a verified number of who will be attending?
- Do you have an off campus bank account?

Discussion:

- No discussion

Vote:

- Vote Passes in full for \$1,159.00

International Justice Mission: \$2,310.00

The purpose of this request is to bring a speaker in to talk about human trafficking. The money is for the contract as well as promotions to advertise the event.

Questions:

- Do you have the room reserved?
- How many people are you expecting?
- Where is the speaker coming from?

Discussion:

- Really like the request

Vote:

- Vote passes in full for \$2,310.00