

Student Senate Appropriations Funding Board
Meeting Minutes
March 15th, 2019 1:30 PM
2201 Kirkhof Center

Chair: Amanda Crawford

Advisor: Valerie Guzman

Student Senators Present: Gavin Hunter, Richard DeBerry, Madeleine Samuels, Christian Rush, Adam Gordon

Appropriations Committee Members Present: Nehemiah Ingram, Christian Graham

I. Agenda

1. Swing Dance Club
2. Belly Dance Club
3. National Collegiate Sales Competition
4. Eta Sigma Phi
5. Pre-Pharmacy Association
6. Pre-Physical Therapy Club
7. Grand Valley State University Winter Guard

II. Discussion of Presenting Requests

Requesting Organization: **Swing Dance Club**

1. Title of Request: Swing Dance Club Showcase
2. Name(s) of Requester(s): Ciana Witherell
3. Amount Requested: \$440.00
4. Description of Request: This is our 4th annual Swing Dance Club Showcase. We have club members and additional clubs perform such as the Capoeira Club, Irish Dance Club, Belly Dance Club, and K-GE.
5. Discussion: This request is for a dance floor and catering. They are expecting around 100 people. The decorations were bought by the club funds. VP Crawford thinks this is a very straightforward request and the cost per head is low.
6. Final Motion to: Approve in full

6 FOR 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

Final Amount Allocated: \$440.00

Requesting Organization: **Belly Dance Club**

1. Title of Request: Winter 2019 Showcase
2. Name(s) of Requester(s): Maureen Wood
3. Amount Requested: \$872.00
4. Description of Request: This event is the culmination of everything the members of the club have been working on all year! It gives everyone an opportunity to show off what they have learned and celebrate how far they have come.

5. Discussion: The organization is expecting around 200 people. VP Crawford expresses this event is very consistent and this is good event.
6. Final Motion to: Approve in full

6 FOR 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

Final Amount Allocated: \$872.00

*A Cappella Groove! was not able to make it to the meeting but the board voted to approve the request in full. This was for the Decade Dance.

III. Discussion of Non-Presenting Requests

Requesting Organization: **National Collegiate Sales Competition**

1. Title of Request: Grand Valley State University- National Collegiate Sales Competition
2. Name(s) of Requester(s): Hayden Schoenherr
3. Amount Requested: \$500.00
4. Description of Request: We are requesting \$150 for Registration fee, and \$350 for Airfare fee.
5. Discussion: Each request is eligible to attend and has submitted all necessary documentation.
6. Final Motion to: Approve in full

7 FOR 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

Final Amount Allocated: \$500 * 4

Requesting Organization: **Eta Sigma Phi**

1. Title of Request: Rental Car
2. Name(s) of Requester(s): Tabitha Sherk
3. Amount Requested: \$140.00
4. Description of Request: Taking a trip to Minnesota for their chapter reading. Requesting one van.
5. Discussion: Request looks good
6. Final Motion to: Approve in full

7 FOR 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

Final Amount Allocated: \$140.00

Requesting Organization: **Pre-Pharmacy Association**

1. Title of Request: Van for Great Lakes Pharmacy Conference
2. Name(s) of Requester(s): Anjali Patel

3. Amount Requested: \$142.00
4. Description of Request: We will be attending the Great Lakes Pharmacy Conference on March 30th, 2019 and would like some funding for the drive there.
5. Discussion: The amount had been adjusting to \$142 by VP Crawford on behalf of the organization and the rest of the van amounts look good.
6. Final Motion to: Approve in full

7 FOR 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

Final Amount Allocated: \$142.00

Requesting Organization: **Pre-Physical Therapy Club**

1. Title of Request: University of Michigan-Flint DPT tour
2. Name(s) of Requester(s): Sabrina Ahmad
3. Amount Requested: \$91.92
4. Description of Request: The Pre-Physical Therapy Club is offering an amazing opportunity for its members to travel to the University of Michigan-Flint to tour the University's physical therapy school. While here, students will get the chance to learn more about U of M-Flint's DPT Program, have all of their questions answered, meet the professors and faculty, and check out the facility. In addition, U of M-Flint has offered to waive the \$55 supplemental application fee for everyone who attends this event and who will apply to their program in the future. The Pre-PT Club is requesting \$125.96 for one 12/15 passenger van rental and van delivery to GVSU.
5. Discussion: VP Crawford explains this request makes sense for the organization. Request looks good.
6. Final Motion to: Approve in full

7 FOR 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

Final Amount Allocated: \$91.92

Requesting Organization: **Grand Valley State University Winter Guard**

1. Title of Request: State Finals Van Rental
2. Name(s) of Requester(s): Carrie Warner
3. Amount Requested: \$400.00
4. Description of Request: GVSU Winter Guard will be attending State Championships at SVSU on Saturday, March 30, 2019 and need travel rentals for two days because of the weekend rental policies.
5. Discussion: VP Crawford explains what the organization is and why this event is so exciting for this campus. They are taking a lot of equipment and 19 people. Request looks good.
6. Final Motion to: Approve in full

7 FOR 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

Final Amount Allocated: \$400.00

Meeting adjourned at 1:42 pm