

Student Senate Cultural Funding Board
Meeting Minutes
September 20nd, 2018 1:00 PM
2201 Kirkhof Center

Chair: Madeline Samuels

Advisor: Eric Stevens

Student Senators Present: Alexandra Murascu, Kelly Dowker, Anthony Paquet, Eric Siegrist, Richie Deberry

Cultural Funding Board Members Present: Christian Graham

I. Agenda

1. Native American Student Association

II. Discussion of Non-Presenting Requests Requesting Organization

Requesting Organization:

1. Title of Request: **NASA Day of Service: The Mounds**

2. Name(s) of Requester(s): Natasha Stewart

3. Amount Requested: \$294.00

4. Description of Request: NASA, GVSU students and community members will be cleaning up the Mound National Historic Landmark. The 55-acre Mound National Historic Landmark is one of a few surviving Hopewellian burial mound groups that were once present in the lower Grand River Valley. It is the only one where the mounds still exist. NASA is working with the Grand Rapids Public Museum and local Native community members to ensure proper respect and honor is given during the project. We will start by meeting in the Kirhof Center Room 2201 for a brief introduction and then will leave for the mounds. We will return around 11:30am for lunch, a Q&A and a discussion.

5. Discussion: VP Samuels brings up the discussion of funding the event for cultural food. She recommends adjusting the price from \$10-8. The board discusses the options for Native American food provided by Campus Dining. Stewart discusses the community members who will also be in attendance. The board adjusts the food cost from \$250 to \$200.

6. Final Motion to: Approve at adjusted amount

8 FOR 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

Meeting adjourned at 1:13 pm