



Resolution 1: Resolution Approving a Pre-Internal Budget Expense

Abstract: “Resolution 1: Resolution Approving a Pre-Internal Budget Expense” approves funding in the amount of \$100.00 USD for costs associated with obtaining the services of an internet domain host to support the new GPSA website.

Sponsored by: James A. Rowe in his capacity as President of the GPSA to sponsor resolutions on behalf of the GPSA Appropriations Committee while the committee is absent members.

Reviewed by: Executive Committee, 07/28/2021

Vote: Approved (19-1-0)

Whereas, the GPSA Bylaws require that the Appropriations Committee propose and present, by the end of the second GPSA Assembly meeting of the fall semester, an internal budget for the GPSA based on the consolidated budgets of each of the GPSA’s respective committees; and

Whereas, the GPSA does not have access to funds during the period beginning July 1 until the end of the second GPSA Assembly meeting of the Fall semester; and

Whereas, the GPSA requires funding for summer projects that benefit recruiting and communication efforts of the Assembly; and

Whereas, the only alternative to requesting a pre-internal budget expense is the use of the personal funds of individual GPSA members; and

Whereas, any request, by members, for reimbursement of funds used in lieu of approved funding is subject to the risk of being voted down and forcing individual GPSA members to bear the cost of a pre-internal budget expense

Be it therefore resolved, that the GPSA approves \$100.00 in pre-budget approval funding for the purpose of retaining a domain host with the intent of creating and upgrading the GPSA website;

Be it further resolved, that the pre-budge expense will be charged to the GPSA Communications Budget;

Be it finally resolved, that the GPSA adopts this recommendation for pre-budget funding for the purposes outlined in this resolution

Respectfully Submitted,

James A. Rowe, President, Graduate and Professional Student Assembly

July 28, 2021