Resolution: 19-SS-42
Title: A resolution to accept Finance Committee recommendations for GSO Event Funding
Introduced Ex Post by: Finance Committee    Introduced on: March 13, 2019

THE COUNCIL OF GRADUATE STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACTS:

WHEREAS, The Full Council has allocated $15,260 this fiscal year in GSO event funding; and,

WHEREAS, The 2018-2019 budget assigns $22,000 toward event funding requests; and,

WHEREAS, Nine groups requested funding for events taking place after the March Full Council Meeting, totaling $9,570; and,

RECOGNIZING, The funding guidelines do not provide guidance as to how to allocate funding when more money is requested than is budgeted; and,

RECOGNIZING, The importance of providing financial support to graduate student organizations for events that benefit the graduate and professional student community; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED; The Finance Committee recommends reducing each March event allocation to 70.4% of the original request in order to stay within budget; and,

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Finance Committee recommends funding for the graduate student organizations listed below for their respective events totaling $6,740.00 for the Spring of 2019:

- Plant Biology GSO (self-defense workshop) $80.00
- Plant Biology GSO (end of year meeting) $140.00
- Latino Law Society $352.00,
- Horticulture Organization of Graduate Students $888.00
- Bangladesh Students Association $1056.00,
- Pakistani Students Association $1056.00,
- Indian Students Organization $1056.00,
- Malaysian Student Organization $1056.00,
- ATLAS/Women’s Law Caucus/PILS $1056.00.

BE IT RESOLVED, That COGS Full Council authorizes funding for the recommended registered student organization events in accordance with COGS
Event Funding Guidelines contingent upon Finance Committee recommendations; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution will take effect at the end of the Full Council meeting in which it was adopted.

INTRODUCED ON:

VOTE TOTALS:

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0 AGAINST

0 ABSTAIN

Recording Secretary

President