## **COUNCIL OF GRADUATE STUDENTS**

## Michigan State University

**Resolution:** 16-FS-03

Title: A Resolution to confirm the Parliamentarian Stephanie White

Introduced by: COGS Executive Board Introduced on: 09/06/2016

Supported by:

## THE COUNCIL OF GRADUATE STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACTS:

WHEREAS, the position of Parliamentarian is an important constitutional role which presides over the Constitution and Bylaws Committee whose purpose is to review our governing documents and render decisions as to their meaning and interpretation; and

WHEREAS, knowledge of Robert's Rules of Order is essential for the duties of the Parliamentarian who also advises as to their operations for the Full Council

RECOGNIZING, that a vacancy in this role currently exists and in the absence of such, proper meeting operation is severely weakened;

RECOGNIZING, the need for a person versed in the understanding and applicability of constitution and bylaws with a strong background in order and conduct;

BE IT RESOLVED, that COGS confirms the candidacy of Stephanie White as COGS Parliamentarian 2016-2017; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution shall take effect at the conclusion of the confirmation vote during the Full Council Meeting in which it is adopted.

## INTRODUCED ON:

VOTE TOTALS:

**40** FOR

O AGAINST

**2** ABSTAIN

Recording Secretary