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G.B. 293
A Bill To Establish a Budget for FY 2017

Be it enacted by the Clemson University Graduate Student Senate assembled,

That the following shall serve as the Clemson University Graduate Student Government budget for Fiscal Year 2017:

- Legislative
  - $2,500.00 shall be allocated for Senate meeting refreshments. The Senate Sergeant-at-Arms shall have discretion to spend these funds.
  - $40,000.00 shall be allocated for activities for the Graduate Student Body. The Activities Committee shall have discretion to spend these funds, with the exception of the following:
    - $20,000 of these funds shall be earmarked for events in the Clemson area.
    - $20,000 of these funds shall be earmarked for events in Greenville and other locations.
  - $28,000.00 shall be reserved for allocation toward recognized Graduate Student Organizations. The Organizations Committee shall have discretion to spend these funds, with the exception of the following:

- Executive Cabinet
  - $6,000.00 shall be allocated for specific community outreach purposes. The Director of Community Outreach shall have discretion to spend these funds, with the exception of the following:
$3,000 of these funds shall be earmarked for community outreach in the Clemson area.

$3,000 of these funds shall be earmarked for community outreach in the Greenville area.

- $1,500.00 shall be allocated for communications. The Director of Communications shall have discretion to spend these funds.
- $3,500.00 shall be allocated for Cabinet Initiatives. The Graduate Student Senate shall have discretionary approval over the allocation of these funds.
- $12,000.00 shall be allocated for office operation and improvements. The Executive Branch shall have discretion to spend these funds.
- $5,000.00 shall be allocated for miscellaneous travel costs. The Executive Branch shall have discretion to spend these funds.
- $500.00 shall be allocated for Clemson University’s Greenville Council. The Vice President of Greenville Council shall have discretion to spend these funds.
- $1,500.00 shall be allocated for the Graduate Student Body President to spend at their discretion.
- $1,500.00 shall be allocated for the Graduate Student Body Vice President to spend at their discretion.
- $1,000.00 shall be allocated for CGSG leadership retreats. The Executive Branch shall have discretion to spend these funds.
- $10,000.00 shall be allocated for graduate student orientation. The Executive Branch shall have discretion to spend these funds.

Honoraria

- The funding of all honoraria positions for this fiscal year has not yet been approved by the Clemson University administration. The amounts and procedures by which these funds might be allocated shall be determined at such time. Senate affirmation of GB293 will thus exclude honoraria. Honoraria will need to be reintroduced and affirmed by the Senate at a later date.
- $2,300.00 shall be allocated as honorarium for the Graduate Student Body President.
- $1,400.00 shall be allocated as honorarium for the Graduate Student Body Vice President.
- $1,600.00 shall be allocated as honorarium for the Vice President of Greenville Council.
$12,600.00 shall be allocated as honoraria for the President’s cabinet.

$8,200.00 shall be allocated as honoraria for the Senate committee chairs.

$1,750.00 shall be allocated as honoraria for Greenville Council committee chairs.

- Other

$3000.00 shall be allocated for the purposes relating to the Hendrix Agreement.

$600.00 shall be allocated for the Legal Aid program.

$10,000.00 shall be allocated as GSG PEG funding contributions.

$7,482.00 shall be allocated for capital improvement projects. The procedure by which these funds are spent shall be determined at a later date. These funds shall not be spent until such a procedure is in place.
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