ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY
GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FIFTY-FIFTH SESSION

BILL NO. 55-51
INTRODUCED BY: Guinyard (NPHC) SECONDED BY: Turner (BSA)

A BILL TO: Allocate $5,000 to the National Pan-Hellenic Council to plan and host an Awards Banquet.

THE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY ENACT:

WHEREAS, the National Pan-Hellenic Council is the governing body for the Historically Black Fraternities and sororities; and,

WHEREAS, NPHC was established at the height of racial segregation, and students of color were ostracized and rejected from the Pan-Hellenic Council (PC) and Inter-fraternal Council (IFC); and,

WHEREAS, Students of color at a Predominantly White Institution, Black Greek Leaders are still facing the effects of systemic racism on and off campus, while still maintaining high levels of community engagement and academic excellence; and,

WHEREAS, during the Fall 2018 semester, NPHC achieved over 300 hours of community service, member organization Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity Incorporated achieved the highest GPA average of any Greek Letter Organization at MSU, NPHC hosted a variety of drives school supplies, books, clothes, food and other community needs, as well as numerous fundraising events; and,

WHEREAS, NPHC has not been recognized for any of their achievements, while IFC and PC has been recognized under the moniker of “The Greek Gala”, excluding not only NPHC, but the Multicultural Greek Council (MGC) as well; and,

WHEREAS, being that we are near the end of the school year and NPHC does not have the availability to make this event collaborative with other Greek Councils; and,

WHEREAS, NPHC wants to hold MSU Greek Life accountable for excluding organizations representing minority students at MSU; and,

WHEREAS, NPHC would be open to collaborating in the future; therefore be it,

RESOLVED ASMSU will allocate $5,000 to the National Pan-Hellenic Council for the means of planning and hosting the NPHC Awards Banquet.
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