Bill # 67-16
The Graduate and Professional Student Association (GPSA)
The Pennsylvania State University

of the 67th Assembly
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Be it decided by the Assembly of Elected Delegates,

GPSA Financial Literacy Seminars
Funding for food and soda
(Decided: [ Y / N / A ])

Nature of the Situation:
The Graduate and Professional Student Association provides opportunities for students to participate in professional development activities. For many graduate and professional students, managing personal finances is difficult and daunting. Understanding the principles of budgeting, saving, and money-management would be helpful for many graduate students to more confidently handle their finances. Last year, GPSA hosted a popular series of Financial Literacy Seminars teaching graduate students these principles towards their managing their finances effectively. Each seminar this year will have a maximum of 35 students with three seminars in the fall focusing on basic literacy knowledge and five seminars in the spring focusing on specific literacy topics such as filing taxes and making investments. In order to accommodate busy graduate student schedules, the programming subcommittee avoids scheduling these seminars during typical work hours. Therefore they are held in the early evening around dinner time. As a courtesy to attendees, we have provided a light meal.

Recommended Course of Action:
To support the upcoming Financial Literacy Seminars, the Graduate and Professional Student Association authorizes the purchase of the following items to provide food and drinks for the seminar attendees.
Food and Drink Estimates for 35 Attendees:

For One Seminar:

- 8 Large Papa John's Pizzas (w/ 30% discount): $12.94 x 8 x 0.7 = $72.46
- 4 Two Liters of Pepsi: $2.89 x 4 = $11.56
- Delivery Fee = $4.00
- 15% Tip = $12.60

Total for one Seminar: $100.62

Total:

$100.62 x 8 = $804.96

Total Requested: **$804.96**

Respectfully submitted,

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College of Earth & Mineral Sciences Delegate

President _________________________________  Affirm  Veto

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