Bill/Resolution # 68-11

The Graduate and Professional Student Association (GPSA)
The Pennsylvania State University

of the 68th Assembly
September 26, 2018

Be it decided by the Assembly of Elected Delegates,

Penn State Home Football Game Family-Friendly Tailgate
Funding for Tailgates

(Decided: [Y / N / A])

Nature of the Situation:
It is part of GPSA's mission to offer events to the graduate and professional student body that enrich their student life at our university. Penn State Football is an enormous draw to students, fans, and alumni locally and across the nation. This year, the Student Section sold out more than 21,000 tickets in just 48 minutes, contributing to the Student Section's record of consistently selling out for the last four decades. Yet, the enthusiasm surrounding football weekends at Penn State can, in most cases, be hard to understand by graduate and professional students. A family-friendly tailgate provides a fun and welcoming atmosphere to foster camaraderie across the various colleges at the university and integrate graduate and professional students and their families into the Penn State community at large.

Recommended Course of Action:

The Graduate and Professional Student Association authorizes the programming committee to purchase food and drink for a family-friendly tailgate during the fall season (specific game TBD) to be held at Orchard Park. Following is a breakdown of the anticipated spending for the tailgate:

$312 = 8 x $39 on Wegmans Sub Trays (1 vegan/vegetarian tray)
$40 = Large Vegetable Tray 1
$37 = Large Fruit Tray 2
$64 = 2 x $32 Cannoli Dip 3
$35 = Mediterranean Party Dip Tray 4
$50 = Assorted Soda/Water/Other Beverages/Ice/Tablecloths/Etc.
$60 = Orchard Park Pavilion Rental (capacity: 60 people) $20/hr. x 3 hr. block (minimum)
$120= Portable music speaker

Total : $718

Respectfully submitted,

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At-large Delegate

Charles Wolstenholme
Delegate, Eberly College of Science

President _____ Affirm Veto