Hello,

The Sponsorship and Donations Committee met on February 28th, 2018 to discuss the requests that were submitted by multiple groups asking for funding since our last meeting. Unfortunately, the committee did not meet our required quorum of 3 members. As such, the Sponsorship and Donations committee voted to approve non-binding recommendations to the Executive Board. We hope that our thoughts will be helpful in guiding your decision to approve these funding requests.

1. $100 to the BHSc Outreach conference, which brings 150 Grade 7 and 8 students from across campus to participate in fund STEM related challenges. In return for this, we will receive their gold level of sponsorship which includes a social media post, the MSU logo on all print materials and a spoken thank you during the event.

2. $200 to the Communications and Multimedia Society, which hosts two events in March. StratComm is a case competition for communications students which focuses on creating communications plans for local Hamilton businesses. FRESH is a peer reviewed symposium for communications students’ projects, presentations and theses. In return, we will receive their third tier of sponsorship, which includes promotion at both conferences and the MSU logo on all of their social media.

3. $200 to Ethan D’Mello, a 5th year engineering student who hopes to attend the Engineering and Case Competition in Montreal this March.

4. $200 to Landon Fama, a 4th year Justice, Political Philosophy and Law student who hopes to attend the Eastern Michigan University Undergraduate Philosophy Conference, where he has been invited to present his thesis.

5. $200 to the McMaster Egyptian Students Association’s Koshary and Chill event. This event celebrates Egyptian food and invites close to 100 students to participate in Egyptian culture games and activities. In return for this sponsorship, we will receive promotions on their slideshow during the event as well as promotion of our logo across the club’s social media channels.

The committee’s decisions to recommend these allocations were unanimous in all cases, as we are confident that the allocation of these funds will benefit the MSU and its constituents. As
mentioned above, these decisions are non-binding from the committee, as there was not quorum at this meeting.

This is the sixth time this year that the Sponsorship and Donations Committee is making recommendations to the Executive Board. As such, should these recommendations be approved, the fund will now sit at $2,705.00 to be used throughout the remainder of the year.

I am available to answer any questions that you might have.

Thank you,
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