

Black Student Union Travel Request

Total Requested: 7439

- 600 Transportation
- 2239 Hotel/Lodging
- 4600 Registration Fees

Conference Details:

- Southern Black Union Conference in College Station, TX
 - Professional development, leadership conference
- They typically go every year, but had weather issues last year

Presentation Details:

- Important to go because there was a lot of interest with their club
 - Important for students to network with other students of color
 - It will not just benefit BSU, because the students are all members of other clubs
- They think they have the funds from registration fees
 - Subtract 4600
 - They were funded through USG last year
 - The conference carried over registration from last year since they didn't get to go
- Transportation is Motorpool
- Reason they chose to bring 20 people?
 - They brought 20 people last year
 - Roughly 30 people showed interest
- What is the grade breakdown of students going?
 - Mostly freshmen, interested on e-board next year
 - E-board (4 sophomores, 3 juniors, 1 senior)
 - Mostly freshmen and sophomores
- Did the upperclassmen want to go last year and couldn't?
 - Yes

Debate Details:

- We funded them 6500 last year to go to this conference
 - This was contentious because of the number of people
 - If they have already been covered for registration, we don't see any issue with funding hotels this year
 - It is almost all freshmen and sophomores – a lot to bring back to campus
- How cool that the conference carried over their registration!
- 2840
 - Full fund transportation and hotel
- This conference is about leadership for people of color
 - It is great to send as many people as possible

Voting: **2840, 11-0-1**

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