



Passed
11/18/97

A.R. 11 Concerning the misunderstanding regarding the Beta Alpha Rho Appropriation

A RESOLUTION

AUTHORIZING THE RELEASE OF FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE BETA ALPHA RHO PRE-LAW FRATERNITY FOR USES OTHER THAN TO PAY FOR PERMITS, WHILE STILL IN ACCORDANCE WITH REGULATIONS GOVERNING STUDENT FEE MONEY AND STUDENT GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS.

WHEREAS: The original appropriation of \$450 to the Beta Alpha Rho Pre-Law Fraternity, for the purposes of assisting with their "Ambulance Chase" run benefiting the Friends of Austin Emergency Medical Services, the fundraising arm of Austin EMS, passed in this Assembly on October 7, 1997.

WHEREAS: The Appropriation Committee Report specified that the money appropriated to fund this event should be used to pay for permits associated with the run, and the City of Austin waived the fees necessary for those permits, making this expenditure unnecessary.

WHEREAS: There were other costs associated with the run that were paid for by Friends of Austin EMS on October 25, 1997 in the expectation that the Student Government Appropriation would make up for those costs.

WHEREAS: The Austin EMS will suffer a loss in using donations gathered at the run to pay for these costs.

THEREFORE, let it be resolved that the Student Assembly of The University of Texas at Austin, authorizes the Financial Director of the Student Government to release the funds from the original appropriation of this Assembly to Beta Alpha Rho, for the explicit use of The Friends of Austin Emergency Medical Services to cover costs incurred during the "Ambulance Chase" fund raising run.

Sponsored by Representative Opiela (Liberal Arts).