B-021
ELIMINATION OF PANTHER PRINTS FUNDING

University of Pittsburgh
Student Government Board
15 April 2014

Introduced by President Mike Nites and Board Member Graeme Meyer

Whereas, Resolution 001 introduced by the 2009 Student Government Board set the percentages of funding for Formula Groups on campus,

Whereas, the 2013 Student Government Board recommended eliminating Panther Prints which was the University yearbook,

Whereas, the Panther Prints yearbook is no longer being produced or printed and Student Affairs has been utilizing a Flickr account to document student activities,

Whereas, Panther Prints is still being allocated 1.6% of the Student Activities Fund,

Whereas, this funding could be used to increase the amount of money that is distributed to the over 400 student organizations on campus,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, on this 15th day of September in the year of 2014, the University of Pittsburgh Student Government Board recommends an amendment to the SGB Governing Code in Title 4 called Formula Groups:

1. A new chapter titled “Formula Group Finance” shall be added at the beginning of Title 4.
2. Article 1 shall read, “General Information about Formula Groups.”
3. Section 1 under Article 1 shall read, “Formula Group Finance” and the contents shall read:

   A. Student Government Board has recommended that the following student organizations’ budgets be allocated based upon the following percentages of the Student Activities Fee:
      1. WPTS-FM Radio: 6.1%
      2. Pitt Program Council: 33.5%
      3. PittServes: 3.9%
      4. Office of Sustainability: 0.35%
      5. Panther Prints: 0%

4. All subsequent numbering in subsequent chapters shall be updated.

This resolution shall be effective upon adoption by the Student Government Board and subsequent approval by the Vice Provost and Dean of Students, Dr. Humphrey.