



# IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY

## Graduate & Professional Student Senate

### SENATE BILL F14-12 SENATE MEETING November 10, 2014

- TITLE:** PAGs Maintaining the Same Level of Students Supported
- WHEREAS:** The old PAG policy unequally supported non-presenters at \$120 and presenters at \$200, and
- WHEREAS:** In the 2012-2013 fiscal year the “Average” PAG award amount was \$173.72, and
- WHEREAS:** In the 2013-2014 fiscal year the “Average” PAG award amount was \$182.13, and
- WHEREAS:** The new PAG policies brings equality to the system between non-presenters and presenters and supports both at \$200 per award, and
- WHEREAS:** This equality policy implicitly sets the “Average” PAG award amount equal to the \$200 PAG award amount, and
- WHEREAS:** Increases in the “Average” PAG award while the budget for PAG awards remains approximately constant results in a decrease in the number of students served by the PAG System, and
- WHEREAS:** An estimated 47 (9%) fewer students will be served due to this increase in “Average” PAG award, while even at current “Average” award levels the old PAG policies routinely denies applicants due to lack of funds, and
- WHEREAS:** 64% of senate representatives had voted on October 27<sup>th</sup> 2014 to maintain the same number of PAG awards per fiscal year as awarded in the previous years, be it therefore
- ENACTED:** The amount of a PAG award shall be \$180, and be it further
- ENACTED:** That the attached document shall amend and become the official governing document for the policies and procedures of the PAG system beginning January 1, 2015

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