

<u>Article</u>	<u>Current Wording</u>	<u>Proposed Wording</u>	<u>Rationale</u>	<u>Accept/Reject</u> (by P&P committee)
1. Committee Duties – Project 13	<i>Project 13</i>	<i>Charitable Partners</i>	<i>Update name per national</i>	Accept
2. Committee Duties - Directories	<i>Provide directories to financial members at the beginning of each sorority year.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Post behind Members Only Area annually.</i> • <i>Print hard copies to financial members every other sorority year.</i> • <i>Offer members option to purchase directories</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>The following information is now allowed behind the members only area of a website (name, email, phone).</i> • <i>Print per budget allowances.</i> 	Accept
3. Committee Duties – Women’s Forum	<i>Support and serve on the board of the Women’s Forum</i>	<i>Delete</i>	<i>No longer an event</i>	Accept
4. Committee Duties – Budget and Finance	<i>The Budget and Finance Committee shall be composed of five members including the</i>	<i>The Budget and Finance Committee shall be composed of a minimum of five members including</i>	<i>Give more members an opportunity to serve. As it stands now, the other two members are the VP</i>	Accept

	<i>Treasurer, Financial Secretary, President, and two other members.</i>	<i>the Treasurer, Financial Secretary, and President.</i>	<i>and Immediate Past President.</i>	
5. Committee Duties – Health and Healing	<i>Health and Healing</i>	<i>Change name to Physical and Mental Health Committee</i>	<i>Update name per national</i>	<i>Accept</i>
6. Committee Duties – Scholarship	<i>The amount of each scholarship shall be \$1000 (two thousand) dollars</i>	<i>The chapter will distribute ten scholarships (two per service area) in the amount of \$1000 each.</i>	<i>Grammatical error</i>	<i>Accept</i>
7. Scholarship	<i>The amount of each scholarship shall be \$1000 (two thousand) dollars</i>	<i>The amount of each scholarship shall be \$2000</i>	<i>\$1000 is a book scholarship</i>	<i>Reject – budget risk/issue based on historical information</i>
8. Scholarship	<i>A maximum of ten scholarships shall be awarded each year to eligible high school seniors among the designated service areas.</i>	<i>A minimum of five scholarships shall be awarded each year to eligible high school seniors among the designated service areas.</i>	<i>Quality over Quantity</i>	<i>Reject– due to budget risk</i>

9. Scholarship	<i>If there is no qualified recipient from one or more of the service areas, the scholarship shall remain in the scholarship account.</i>	<i>If there is no qualified recipient from one or more of the service areas, the scholarship shall be given to the applicant with the highest score from one of the other service areas.</i>	We need to give away our designated yearly scholarship amount. Why are we holding on to the funds?	Reject – due to budget risk
10.Scholarship	<i>Sample scholarship application in Appendix</i>	<i>Add word “Sample” on scholarship application in Appendix</i>	Actual scholarship is on-line	Accept
11.Jabberwock	<i>Little Miss Jabberwock contestants shall be girls ages 7-10.</i>	<i>Little Miss Jabberwock shall be open to females in Elementary School, a minimum age of 7.</i>	Provides more clarity	Accept but replace “female” with “girls”. Politically correct.
12.Jabberwock	<i>Miss Jabberwock shall be open...to Grades 6-8.</i>	<i>Miss Jabberwock shall be open to females in Middle School (Grades 6-8), no minimum age requirement.</i>	Provides more clarity	Reject – only recommend Little Miss Jabberwock based on poor recruitment efforts.
13.Jabberwock	<i>An additional co-chair for the finance</i>	<i>Delete</i>	Point of clarification...the	Accept

	<i>role should be added to the Jabberwock Steering Committee</i>		<i>current financial team is a part of the pageant. If another member is added, she won't be bonded and wonder if this Soror will be appointed and bonded for that amount of time? Also, if the Jabberwock Pageant is now the Jabberwock Cotillion, shouldn't the verbiage be correct in P&P; does the name change have to be voted on by chapter? And lastly, will the winner in each group be Miss Jabberwock or differentiated in some way because of age/level.</i>	
14.Quorum	<i>A quorum shall consist of 30% of chapter members. (A quorum is not required to begin a</i>	<i>A quorum shall consist of 30% of chapter members. A quorum is required to do business or vote.</i>	Clarity per parliamentary workshop.	Accept

	<i>business meeting but a quorum is required to act on business matters).</i>	<i>Silence is consent. The chair should not call for abstentions.</i>		
15.Elected Officers – Treasurer	<i>Disburse a check after a voucher has been signed. All checks require two signatures. The Treasurer, President, and Financial Secretary are authorized to sign checks.</i>	<i>Disburse a check after a vouchers has been signed. All checks require two signatures. The Treasurer, President and Financial Secretary are authorized to sign checks. The Financial Secretary signs checks only when reimbursement is for another fiscal officer or when specifically requested by the President. (This should be a rare occurrence).</i>	<i>Offers clarification and this is taken from Fiscal Officers Manual</i>	<i>Accept</i>
16.Fiscal Policies and Procedures	<i>A member who is not financial for the current year shall pay a reinstatement fee of \$15 to Natl HQ. Members who are</i>	<i>A member who is not financial for two years or more shall pay a \$30 reinstatement fee to Natl HQ.</i>	<i>Match national policies</i>	<i>Accept</i>

	<i>non-financial for two or more years shall pay a \$25 reinstatement fee to Natl HQ.</i>			
17.Fiscal Policies and Procedures	<i>Additional time for fiscal year closing</i>	<i>Chapter year events and expenses must be submitted by July 10 to allow for the closing of chapter year finances</i>	Help with closing out financials timely	Reject – June 30 is end of fiscal year
18.Fiscal Policies and Procedures - Bonding	<i>The Chapter shall be covered by general bonding insurance, which is provided by the Grand Chapter. The President, Treasurer, Financial Sec, and Corresponding Sec are bonded.</i>	<i>The Chapter shall be covered by general bonding insurance which is covered by the Grand Chapter. The President, Treasurer, Financial Sec, and Corresponding Sec are bonded. The bond does not cover the theft of chapter money from the person (s) bonded by the chapter.</i>	Clarification; statement out of fiscal officers' manual	Accept

		<i>The bond does cover the theft of chapter money if it is stolen by the person who is bonded by the chapter.</i>		
19. Eligibility and Holding Office	<i>No criteria requirement for offices of Chaplain, Historian, Sgt-at-Arms, or appointed positions</i>	<i>Add these positions with at least one requirement.</i>	<i>All positions need written requirements to hold office/position.</i>	Accept
20. Election Procedures	<i>Election day procedures and timeline</i>	<i>Election day procedures and timeline. Candidates for office can provide a two-minute speech, if desired.</i>	<i>New members will know the candidates and why they are running for office</i>	Accept
21. Elections	<i>Candidates who receive the majority vote will be elected to office.</i>	<i>Candidates who receive the majority vote will be elected to office. A majority vote is more than half of the votes cast by members entitled to vote, excluding blanks, or abstentions.</i>	<i>Clarification; statement taken from C&B</i>	Accept

		<p><i>(Example: $19 \times 1/2 = 9 \frac{1}{2}$. Ten votes needed for the majority). The number of votes cast for each office/position may differ.</i></p>		
--	--	---	--	--

The Audrey Jones Legacy Scholarship

The Fredericksburg Area Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. (FAAC DST) has created a scholarship in honor of the late Soror Audrey Jones in recognition of her many years of commitment to our sorority, her role as an educator, and her vast community involvement.

The scholarship is open to children (graduating seniors) of FAAC DST members who plan to continue their education at the college/university level after high school.

Monies for this scholarship will be raised only from FAAC DST members through internal vehicles such as Ways and Means fundraisers and member donations; not from the public. Scholarship amounts/gifts will be determined by the scholarship committee based on funds generated for this effort each sorority year.

