Gamma Beta Phi is a student run organization within the UA South campus community. Last year our goal was to increase our student membership through recruitment and we received $3000 from Student Services Fees to do so. As a result of a spring recruitment event we have increased our membership from 5 members in fall 2009 to 19 members in fall 2010. GBP successfully achieved its goal of increasing membership with the support of Student Services Fees Monies and this year the organization would like to move forward with a new goal. One of the objectives a local chapter must meet in order to be in good standing with the GBP National Headquarters is to implement a service project that would foster, disseminate, and improve education.

On October 1, 2010, Gamma Beta Phi held their monthly meeting in which the club project was discussed and decided upon. What this club would like to do is Adpot-a-School in a lower income neighborhood and hold a fair in which students and their families can attend at no cost on a Saturday in their school’s MPR (multi-purpose room). The fair will consist of activities such as arts and crafts, reading / story time, a science activity, as well as other educational activities.

Gamma Beta Phi understands the importance of supporting community needs. This is why the impact this project would create will be so beneficial. The elementary students will interact with GBP members to whom they can look
up to as they are college students, working hard to achieve their goals. Not only will Gamma Beta Phi members, who are also UA South students, be an inspiration to this community but they will also be able to give back to the community. This project allows UA South to be a visible presence in the community.

Gamma Beta Phi has members from many academic programs within the University of Arizona South, but the one thing each of its members has in common is they are hard working, dedicated, and they all strive for individual excellence. Through service learning projects, fundraising, and volunteer work Gamma Beta Phi exceeds in promoting the development of leadership ability and character in its members.

By using this money, Gamma Beta Phi would be able to provide students and their families with age appropriate learning materials as well as a fun and interactive learning fair. The money would be used to help provide activity supplies, prizes, decorations, snacks and beverages for students and their parents in attendance, as well as T-Shirts in order for us to become a more unified, visible, and distinguished organization.

IV The Revised budget
Budget
In 2009 received $3000 for Recruitment
We spent $389.97
Balance $2610.03

We would like to convert the balance to our Adopt-A-School Project, which would be a much larger project and would include purchasing supplies for crafts and children’s books, prizes, t-shirts for members during the event, office supplies, publication costs, snacks.
Student Services Fee Committee
Program Alteration Request – 2010-2011

Date: October 20, 2010

TO: The Student Services Fee Committee
FROM: Ben Packer; Justin Dutram

RE: Nogales Tutor Program

In light of the recent survey, which indicated that 47% of the UAS students polled deemed tutoring services as one of their top five priorities, we request that the current Nogales Tutor Program be expanded to include all University of Arizona South campuses and students.

The originally proposed Tutor Program for the Nogales campus consisted of a monetary award of $6,936.00. To date, there remains $5,919.40 in unused funds. Listed below are the changes that would take effect, pending Committee Approval.

**Proposed Name Change:** University of Arizona South All Campus Tutor Program

**Proposed funding:** $5,919.40; taken from the current balance of the existing Nogales Tutor Program.

**Program Coordinator:** Ben Packer, Director of Student Services and Justin Dutram, Outreach Coordinator – Santa Cruz County.

**Proposed Program Changes:**

- Current tutor, Judith Becker, will be available through electronic contact to edit, review and assist all UAS students with their writing questions and concerns.
- She will provide resources via websites and links to students in an effort to provide further assistance to them in all manners of collegiate writing.
- Printed materials will be made available to all campuses via the office of Student Services Fee Advisor.
- Promotion of the services to the students will be the responsibility of Student Services.
- Faculty support will be provided through communication with the Tutor in identifying the needs of their students.

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