

Legislation

Resolution #: 03-MockGA-04 Title: Car Wash

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Whereas: The student government needs funds to run activities
and programs throughout the year

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Whereas: A good way to raise funds is to offer a needed service
to the community

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Whereas: A car wash doesn't require any money "up-front" as
needed supplies such as soap, hoses, sponges, etc. can
be provided by student government members

Whereas: _____ and

Be it Hereby Resolved: That the student government conduct a
spring "donations accepted" car wash

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Be it Further Resolved: that special tickets be sold ahead of time to
be redeemed for vacuuming the inside of a car.

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- Can be conducted after school on a warm day (always plan several “rain” dates on the calendar) - best if on a Saturday...may be done at the school or often a service station or other business will donate their location(s) (especially if the funds raised are for a charity)
- Set up charts for SGA members sign up to work on teams of 4 people in 3 hour shifts (also, have substitute folks assigned to teams in case of unexpected emergencies) - write down phone numbers, cell phone numbers and emails of volunteers so you may contact them quickly for cancellation (due to rain) or to get a substitute in case of an unexpected emergency)
- List the materials needed - each team will need buckets, sponges, detergent, vacume cleaner, window cleaner, paper towels, and a hose - also a **BIG, DECORATED DONATION BUCKET**
- List the snacks/water for the volunteers on the day of the car wash and who will provide it
- Collect the materials - these may be donated or loaned by SGA members or businesses (ie Walmart might donate a case of paper towels if the car wash it to benefit a charity).
- Publicize, Publicize, Publicize!
- *Some folks like to sell special “tickets” ahead of time to also vacume the inside of cars...*
- Have fun!
- Return borrowed materials and write all appropriate thank you notes