

Bowdoin Student Government

Proposal to Vote

Proposal 0809030

Proposed by: Student Activities Funding Committee

Date: April 15, 2009

REQUEST FOR A CHANGE TO THE SAFC RULES AND PROCEDURES REGARDING THE CALCULATION OF GAS REIMBURSEMENT

It is the recommendation of the SAFC that the calculation for gas reimbursement for student vehicles be amended from 0.225 to a variable rate to be determined by the national gas average divided by 20mpg.

We feel is the average for US vehicles. The justification for change is that we have been overpaying students for their gas when they use their own personal vehicles. We determined this by looking at gas receipts returned by students. The current gas calculation is for a 7 passenger van, which has a much lower mpg than the average car.