



## **Resolution 2: Resolution Regarding the Panhellenic Delegation**

**WHEREAS**, in October 2018, the National Panhellenic Conference Board of Directors adopted legislation changing the governance structure of the NPC such that each member organization is no longer represented by an Official Delegation, but is instead represented by an official representative to the NPC Council of Delegates;

**WHEREAS**, the *Alpha Gamma Delta Constitution and Standing Rules* needs to be amended to comply with the change made by the NPC that eliminates the need for a Panhellenic Delegation.

**WHEREAS, the Fraternity desires to create a** Panhellenic Committee to advise and support the Fraternity, collegiate chapters, and alumnae chapters on Panhellenic matters.

### **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT**

Article VI. Volunteer Structure, Sec. 1 STANDING COMMITTEES, Subsection f. be amended to read, in its entirety, as follows:

- f. Panhellenic ~~Committee~~ Delegation
- (1) Membership. The Panhellenic ~~Committee~~ Delegation shall consist of a chairman, and not less than three (3) members, one of whom may be a member of International Council.
  - (2) Duties. The Panhellenic ~~Committee~~ Delegation shall be to
    - a) ~~Serve as the official Delegate and alternate Delegates of the Fraternity to the National Panhellenic Conference.~~
    - b) ~~C~~onsult with and advise Fraternity members on all Panhellenic matters.

### **RATIONALE:**

1. This amendment aligns the *Constitution and Standing Rules* with the current structure of the NPC.
2. The amendment preserves the advantages of having Fraternity members experience in Panhellenic matters available to work with the Fraternity's representative to the Council of Delegates, the International Council, chapters, Fraternity members, and staff.

### **SUBMITTED BY:**

Jennifer Smentek Mores, Chief Panhellenic Officer

**International Council Response:**

International Council unanimously supports this resolution. Our Constitution should not be subject to revision based on changes that occur at the NPC level, such as the change that occurred over the last biennium that resulted in the elimination of our Panhellenic Delegation. This resolution will allow flexibility as NPC roles, needs, and responsibilities of membership develop over time.