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**Bill 10-24-S. A Bill to fund STEM Starry Nights**

PURPOSE: For the Student Government Association of Western Kentucky University to

allocate **$175** to support **STEM STARRY NIGHT**, an event dedicated to celebrating and fostering community among STEM students.

WHEREAS: The money will come from Legislative Discretionary,

WHEREAS: STEM STARRY NIGHT will take place on April 2nd at 6:00 PM in the Downing Student Union (DSU) and will be free and open to all students interested in STEM fields, empowerment, and the representation of individuals within them, and

WHEREAS: The event aims to bring together minority and underrepresented students in STEM to build connections, celebrate achievements, and create a more inclusive and supportive community at WKU, and

WHEREAS: Encouraging representation in STEM aligns with WKU’s commitment to fostering an inclusive academic environment and promoting student success, and

WHEREAS: The money will be used to purchase food, decorations, and reserving the room for the event to take place, and

WHEREAS: This event will serve as a partnership with WKU STEMPOWERMENT to both establish the support of increasing representation in STEM fields while also extending the reach of WKU SGA.

THEREFORE: Be it resolved that the Student Government Association of Western Kentucky

University will allocate **$175** to support the **STEM STARRY NIGHT** event.

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