First Reading: 10/22/2024

Second Reading: 10/29/2024

Pass:

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Other:

**Bill 12-24-F. A Bill to fund the Modern Languages’ Día de Los Muertos Celebration**

PURPOSE: For the Student Government Association of Western Kentucky University to allocate $200.00 for the Modern Languages’ Día de Los Muertos Celebration

WHEREAS: The Modern Languages’ Dia de Los Muertos Celebration will be held on November 6th, 2024, in the Honors College International Center Multipurpose Room from 4:00 to 6:00 PM, and

WHEREAS: Día de Los Muertos is a culturally significant holiday, observed widely across Latin America. The Modern Languages’ Día de Los Muertos Celebration will offer students from all backgrounds the opportunity to engage in meaningful cross-cultural experiences together, and

WHEREAS: This celebration directly aligns with the university’s mission to foster a globally engaged campus, and

WHEREAS: The event will feature hands-on educational components for participants such as the lotería, ofrenda, sugar skull decorating, and papel picado crafting, and will feature traditional dances performed by WKU’s HOLAS, and

WHEREAS: The money will come from the Legislative Discretionary Fund, and

WHEREAS: The money will be used to purchase reusable decorations and materials for the event from Amazon. These items include the following:

1. [Plastic Butterflies](https://www.amazon.com/Monarch-Butterfly-Decorations-Artificial-Birthday/dp/B0C6MLFGK1/ref=sr_1_9?dib=eyJ2IjoiMSJ9.xB9RUmhOKMjD-L-3ywwH_uTbvTUW8PrviH341MDcPM5NoamemlsGpxzBJCtktbYkiLRxW4bwprCbYWcCtRI4mLhUE-Sn2SwKq0n9It9xwshk1y9M0FJNiK0dJbxtmvopTBP5AQNKWKnPqF5Ojpp6vUW5DMU6lyBgMJnIdcjZjfyobybrCReI9Etq3TieqSYQKQjkZ5sP5UcZ3Q55SwRqWAGNXt8KazHaT6N1tgQvcGi5z2g2pw5RnAAR0VZlQvLlh0F2pMGqSyNR5JNWh3Evba2UgtXvWGIqLYDYST6cLtk.l63mSLk30T-1AVWpg-dCWsWn689WtNVGFVsu43GO7Zc&dib_tag=se&keywords=day%2Bof%2Bthe%2Bdead%2Bdecorations&qid=1728690503&sr=8-9&th=1)
2. [Light up Marigolds](https://www.amazon.com/CandyHome-Marigold-Decoration-Artificial-Operated/dp/B0D4QC1L4J/ref=sr_1_10?dib=eyJ2IjoiMSJ9.xB9RUmhOKMjD-L-3ywwH_uTbvTUW8PrviH341MDcPM5NoamemlsGpxzBJCtktbYkiLRxW4bwprCbYWcCtRI4mLhUE-Sn2SwKq0n9It9xwshk1y9M0FJNiK0dJbxtmvopTBP5AQNKWKnPqF5Ojpp6vUW5DMU6lyBgMJnIdcjZjfyobybrCReI9Etq3TieqSYQKQjkZ5sP5UcZ3Q55SwRqWAGNXt8KazHaT6N1tgQvcGi5z2g2pw5RnAAR0VZlQvLlh0F2pMGqSyNR5JNWh3Evba2UgtXvWGIqLYDYST6cLtk.l63mSLk30T-1AVWpg-dCWsWn689WtNVGFVsu43GO7Zc&dib_tag=se&keywords=day%2Bof%2Bthe%2Bdead%2Bdecorations&qid=1728690503&sr=8-10&th=1)
3. [Fake Candles](https://www.amazon.com/Homemory-Flameless-Flickering-Operated-Realistic/dp/B08CZJKYBT/ref=sr_1_6?dib=eyJ2IjoiMSJ9.xB9RUmhOKMjD-L-3ywwH_uTbvTUW8PrviH341MDcPM5NoamemlsGpxzBJCtktbYkiLRxW4bwprCbYWcCtRI4mLhUE-Sn2SwKq0n9It9xwshk1y9M0FJNiK0dJbxtmvopTBP5AQNKWKnPqF5Ojpp6vUW5DMU6lyBgMJnIdcjZjfyobybrCReI9Etq3TieqSYQKQjkZ5sP5UcZ3Q55SwRqWAGNXt8KazHaT6N1tgQvcGi5z2g2pw5RnAAR0VZlQvLlh0F2pMGqSyNR5JNWh3Evba2UgtXvWGIqLYDYST6cLtk.l63mSLk30T-1AVWpg-dCWsWn689WtNVGFVsu43GO7Zc&dib_tag=se&keywords=day%2Bof%2Bthe%2Bdead%2Bdecorations&qid=1728690503&sr=8-6&th=1)
4. [Papel Picado](https://www.amazon.com/Frontales-Ofrendas-Muertos-Decoration-Colorful/dp/B07J3RBY2L/ref=sr_1_4?dib=eyJ2IjoiMSJ9.xB9RUmhOKMjD-L-3ywwH_uTbvTUW8PrviH341MDcPM5NoamemlsGpxzBJCtktbYkiLRxW4bwprCbYWcCtRI4mLhUE-Sn2SwKq0n9It9xwshk1y9M0FJNiK0dJbxtmvopTBP5AQNKWKnPqF5Ojpp6vUW5DMU6lyBgMJnIdcjZjfyobybrCReI9Etq3TieqSYQKQjkZ5sP5UcZ3Q55SwRqWAGNXt8KazHaT6N1tgQvcGi5z2g2pw5RnAAR0VZlQvLlh0F2pMGqSyNR5JNWh3Evba2UgtXvWGIqLYDYST6cLtk.l63mSLk30T-1AVWpg-dCWsWn689WtNVGFVsu43GO7Zc&dib_tag=se&keywords=day+of+the+dead+decorations&qid=1728690503&sr=8-4)
5. [Orange & Yellow Tissue Paper (2)](https://www.amazon.com/NEBURORA-Wrapping-Packaging-Birthday-Halloween/dp/B0BZYRMK67/ref=sr_1_26?crid=28MDY025TMVDQ&dib=eyJ2IjoiMSJ9.nypYqFobKckHLZuZLk6U9gYHl6YBHDqbaPp12HGYMEMgvG3gRggPssWz3pnZh1GlxZUw-wTeGZetl2Rq1UVXdYsHdMsc0E26Q1bg3mzD9jy8I0qaraOeKWq-G4Mmgkq0zFwZNIzB1X3XHZdBGuGPPcGVjA7GmYeXa015mNXhgV11Z2E4DLAvUbWKMeeLpu0eu2O7LBVhpnZy9VeCCU6XXJyCDcHYuH41xNMbx8hmhz03l4JZjGx3ITNbbM8oECc_6svCAcB_aJoQWQyVG4feGJIXWUKZQvZXhEoxak1XdZI.YpwLse2Ub9fVT4tpHoqsIF8k4XCqrtFispbr7eS6esU&dib_tag=se&keywords=Orange%2B%26%2B%3D%2BTissue%2BPaper&qid=1729176234&sprefix=orange%2B%26%2Btissue%2Bpaper%2Caps%2C163&sr=8-26&th=1)
6. [Bright Mix Tissue Paper (2)](https://www.amazon.com/Sheets-Wrapping-Colored-Multicolor-Assorted/dp/B09B3C86ZY?source=ps-sl-shoppingads-lpcontext&ref_=fplfs&smid=A2R655S2YMPKK4&th=1)
7. [Green Pipe Cleaners](https://www.amazon.com/BlingKingdom-Cleaners-Chenille-Supplies-Decorations/dp/B0CL2WYSZL/ref=sr_1_10?dib=eyJ2IjoiMSJ9.XNnrxp7m4pJP3HA7eA390-m_EyB2LrsqCx4rx7_MqAJ-zAVnFAW9ln-3o5lVFqVmWqreACW84ZK0e87rpiStnulxypj55690Qphw0yqWL2iL11HRhFDEkl2L8HD7nbChGwnUbZEqC6cAevUCg-lfTVTo-DSuhVVSfAeMNcbAGIDeBEa2rMVNwPJhTFiXPZ9I5ew213bj82IIUOTuLMBJI0HYsjoQDCTxivUknn8TEb7TmWQTmQhI1EskqOs9UF2wK1cbOe9mOvc-6E9JoSaZ2j6wsYyOZdNDvNYcK7zQAa8.aBSt1_1TMKAnjJpPJl6R6_x-tId3BsEFWP8DD2vdc2k&dib_tag=se&keywords=green%2Bpipe%2Bcleaners&qid=1729029066&sr=8-10&th=1)
8. [Day of the dead Tablecloth](https://www.amazon.com/Hxezoc-Day-Dead-Tablecloths-Decorations/dp/B0D9VLKK1Q/ref=sr_1_2?crid=5V2PUFB7Q7J1&dib=eyJ2IjoiMSJ9.iEB_SSo_B3BZjGxWPUDIxbNE9TjEvrIAAP_SGZ2lLdXrVrWMy4YuLf5fGvj856CWpK0pZEL5C-Q_avqttFh_Zf2eFleQy05anftn7RCaOdcHYcf0zhXAnv5hvG1YbbxnwLDNUwpSGNEwr8Xo9xTSKSD4DtSFhXmAIf0Qqa-Cd8N0UDkdqpOixVcBY-TUaXO5EvC3UPciTSMOr6OfCnuV8klLDC2gd4Ymx-MYqVHo2RlENH6JZtSnO_JncUcN5mte42uKSpR7NizCTrdCqb6IEGnC3NFklVDkPjr2nY0E7sM._wjE0ey5RGlpF3ZQSzG_BdHFQoCf52TYQe47lsRjaCw&dib_tag=se&keywords=Festive%2BDay%2Bof%2BThe%2BDead%2BTable%2BCover&qid=1729176846&sprefix=day%2Bo%2Caps%2C135&sr=8-2&th=1)
9. [Orange Tablecloth](https://a.co/d/64R2H45)
10. [Festive Backdrop](https://www.amazon.com/Avezano-Backdrop-Photography-Background-Backgrounds/dp/B08CVBHVFV/ref=sr_1_10?crid=1G6TITNO1O7O4&dib=eyJ2IjoiMSJ9.Qg_1f11ZzEbXWDk46jKVvPFtj2bTN0Z9LtaTfQeGb7E0jkNM-vdL_xTdGuUD-T3ycCoYdRWaOYFA3UxoTWPpw8RmLbg-YVeY7vIQADncGPcygni0SfdYh0Ws8-K5fchEzmAhyVxsHwPhx1yvHq2adRosy__Ih22dVwzKFW93jStcozRFloZjxyGmU8huMqtV_vSI7QcW5rta6sowGcwoXcaVVhY3hRwavitTKf3sboyTH0YsGEvlYlY3tYDnHB6qwydYoRrzyRdr93tMitS1rDXzKy8X_11NexEm1h6jrSM.XjG7swHuhjDyfeyFBQ5EtEXPvIovCxZND0-5ppZOkOc&dib_tag=se&keywords=day%2Bof%2Bthe%2Bdead%2Bdecorations&qid=1729030592&sprefix=day%2Bof%2Bthe%2Bdead%2Bdecorations%2Caps%2C112&sr=8-10&th=1)
11. [Piping Bags](https://www.amazon.com/Piping-Disposable-100Pcs-Frosting-Decorating/dp/B0B5XP1WSJ/ref=sr_1_5?crid=3ELARUM7G2A0G&dib=eyJ2IjoiMSJ9.FwYb-GcGw76DJukMYqOhG24CS0ZH_00LwuIcemKh4lCUegFN1f6XW9oHUrk6Xz5nE66wj7tYCcly2mqQhZdNd45P1rLlNJ9eXtSJf7BZCiufw-CkNpC4JaNerc-bFPVgqq0uCtz5DSzjboOWsZ7P9hNG5OCPrnDQNSzyI7PKowOoZcWK97K6-M_FRLweJrr-imwU6JP6vzdw8krT6JNESPmPyFXM1-zZQ5aeWs9pkFYbAPo6kcaqU7wXeLpNqpxqKvvxYeW5Wxkr6tITdkjyTlH47a21ZDktddEIIMhaHHM.WTqLSaBDwq4mnVzRaC8qg-vGOA4BevFdLBll6CglvhY&dib_tag=se&keywords=piping%2Bbags&qid=1729176514&sprefix=piping%2Caps%2C150&sr=8-5&th=1)
12. [Hanging Decor](https://www.amazon.com/Muertos-Hanging-Mexican-Metallic-Halloween/dp/B0C8MBMVWF/ref=sr_1_33?crid=1G6TITNO1O7O4&dib=eyJ2IjoiMSJ9.Qg_1f11ZzEbXWDk46jKVvPFtj2bTN0Z9LtaTfQeGb7E0jkNM-vdL_xTdGuUD-T3ycCoYdRWaOYFA3UxoTWPpw8RmLbg-YVeY7vIQADncGPcygni0SfdYh0Ws8-K5fchEzmAhyVxsHwPhx1yvHq2adRosy__Ih22dVwzKFW93jStcozRFloZjxyGmU8huMqtV_vSI7QcW5rta6sowGcwoXcaVVhY3hRwavitTKf3sboyTH0YsGEvlYlY3tYDnHB6qwydYoRrzyRdr93tMitS1rDXzKy8X_11NexEm1h6jrSM.XjG7swHuhjDyfeyFBQ5EtEXPvIovCxZND0-5ppZOkOc&dib_tag=se&keywords=day%2Bof%2Bthe%2Bdead%2Bdecorations&qid=1729030592&sprefix=day%2Bof%2Bthe%2Bdead%2Bdecorations%2Caps%2C112&sr=8-33&th=1)
13. [Plastic Marigolds and Butterflies](https://www.amazon.com/FFNIU-Marigold-Butterfly-Decorations-Halloween/dp/B0C5SNZT6L/ref=sr_1_6?crid=2EH33XWJKMZRX&dib=eyJ2IjoiMSJ9.jeBkQ2ntYDFkUHrtKMf9T8Y0-oSrtZ6jSGkoSInDJFOhw0en9p7dXVA4ja6JubfsQPQTgcQudCW4olm44O618xpNinvfE41gs9BZHK5Sq5AbbrmD8I2AsMBXlg-20OJ7dcWK9tQwgMaYmfFStY6_XkdA-DxL17Yaco-Pi6lz8ukMyVsWLwuHHvFt1n-tMyuY0rXLGAsKk5v6btwjgcJzLWJE3GnbiFPhXR_NJmi5XUhC7R8voPRST7anwEzfk3_V4Hb2n_D_Hk3N0eQYla5gPFD72OD86Nss-QRGEoYSrBw.9Q8lxll1Nt0WBE5_PirOx3kFka-FoOB7l_RgUGe7unw&dib_tag=se&keywords=marigold+flowers+%2B+butterflies&qid=1729510256&sprefix=marigold+flowers+%2B+butterflies+%2Caps%2C117&sr=8-6)

THEREFORE: Be it resolved that the Student Government Association of Western Kentucky University will allocate $200.00 for the Modern Languages’ Día de Los Muertos Celebration

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