Expansion Guidelines for the Multicultural Greek Council of the University of North Texas

Section 1: Statement on Expansion

Expansion is defined as the growth of the fraternal community through the addition of new or returning organizations. The MGC provides leadership for organizations identifying as culturally-based social fraternal organizations at the University of North Texas (UNT). The MGC views expansion as influencing the advancement of fraternity and sorority life at UNT as it provides options for non-members. Expansion also allows for the advancement of a widely growing movement of culturally-based organizations nationally to positively impact our community at UNT. With this in mind, our approach is to openly consider expansion efforts; however, such growth requires resources from the MGC, the Office of Greek Life, and many constituents. Expansion is not an easy task. With this in mind, the MGC will work with the Office of Greek Life to consider expansion opportunities while understanding the collective capacity of all involved in making successful expansion happen. We reserve the right to limit expansion at any time when reasonable efforts to support new groups cannot be made.

Section 2: Inquiry Stage:

Article A: 
The interested fraternity/sorority shall provide a written statement to the Multicultural Greek Council Executive Board when seeking admission to the council. The following information should be included:

1. Reason for interest in colonizing at the University of North Texas
2. Individual organizational goals
3. Organizational goals for the MGC community as a whole
4. Names and Student IDs for all members of the interest group
5. Name of institution of the nearest chapter
6. All chapters (if applicable) in the State of Texas
7. Number of alumni within a 100-mile-radius of the city of Denton
8. Name, phone, and email of a potential faculty/staff advisor

Article B: 
Membership Requirements: Refer to the MGC Bylaws for membership requirements.
Article C:
Submit written statement to the MGC Vice President of Community Relations and Expansion. The documents will be reviewed by the MGC Executive Board to determine if the interest group is ready for the next stage of the process.

Section 3: Executive Board Interview

A formal presentation about the inter/national/local organization will be conducted with the MGC Executive Board. It is highly encouraged an inter/national/local organization representative be present.

If approved by the Executive Board the interest group will move to the final stage of the expansion process.

Section 4: Council Interview

A presentation to the council members presented by the interest members only. The presentation should include but it is not limited to the following:

- Overview of organization
- Goals for MGC
- Goals for the organization

After the presentation the council delegates will vote on the acceptance of the prospective organization into MGC.

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