

**AMENDMENT TO THE MANUAL OF RULES AND REGULATIONS
SOUTH DAKOTA GRAND GUARDIAN COUNCIL**

PASSED AT ANNUAL SESSION ON April ___, 2024

Please use a separate sheet for each change. Amendments must be mailed to the Grand Secretary postmarked no later than thirty (30) days prior to Grand Session, or postmarked no later than March __8__, 2024.

Page SD-B-GGC 2a Article 3 Section 6 Grand Secretary Subsection (w)

NOW READS:

(w) See that a donation of \$50 is sent to Grand Chapter OES, Grand Lodge and Grand York Rite to be used for a project of their choice.

DELETE

ADD new to read

X AMEND to read: UNDERLINE THE CHANGED WORDS as amended

WILL READ:

(w) See that a donation of \$50 is sent directly to a charity or service sponsored by ~~to~~ Grand Chapter OES, Grand Lodge and Grand York Rite ~~to be used for a project of their choice.~~

REASON FOR CHANGE: [if necessary to Committee to understand unusual change]

SW 2024-1b

They do not cash our checks and this causes delays in accounting for the Grand Secretary/Grand Treasurer.

Sandra Vanneman, PGG

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_____**PASSED AT THE ANNUAL SESSION ON APRIL ____2024**

_____**DEFEATED AT THE ANNUAL SESSION ON APRIL ____2024**

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PAGE: SD-SOP-GGG 3 1 ARTICLE SOP-GGG-3 SECTION 3 SUBSECTION (e)

NOW READS:

(e) Scholarships may be awarded to active Bethel members in good standing and/or Majority Members who have not previously received a scholarship from the South Dakota Grand Guardian Council.

Amend to read: underline the changed words as amended so that it will read:

(e) Scholarships ~~may~~ will be awarded to active Bethel members in good standing and/or Majority Members who have not previously received a scholarship from the South Dakota Grand Guardian Council. If funds are available, additional scholarships may be awarded to Daughters and/or Majority Menbers that have previously received a scholarship from the South Dakota Grand Guardian Council.

REASON FOR THE CHANGE: In years past, we have only received 1 or 2 applications while we had the funds to grant more awards. This change will allow Daughters and Majority members to apply again in hopes that they may receive a second or third award, depending on the number of 1st time recipients.

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Page SOP-GGC 4 FINANCES Article VI Section 2 Fees Subsection (c)

NOW READS:

Each voting member of the GGC shall pay a thirty dollar (\$30) membership fee and each associate member of the GGC shall pay a fifteen dollar (\$15) membership fee which would include receiving all mailings and publications throughout the year (for other fee assessment see the following:

- dispensation form a new Bethel SOP-BETHEL 12
- issue a Charter SOP-BETHEL 12 3.
- dispensation for special privileges SOP-BETHEL18:
- initiation fee SOP-SGC 11;
- annual fee SOP-SGC 11.

DELETE in its entirety

ADD new to read

AMEND to read: UNDERLINE THE CHANGED WORDS as amended

WILL READ:

Each voting member of the GGC shall pay a forty dollar (\$40) membership fee and each associate member of the GGC shall pay a fifteen dollar (\$15) membership fee which would include receiving all mailings and publications throughout the year (for other fee assessment see the following:

- dispensation form a new Bethel SOP-BETHEL 12
- issue a Charter SOP-BETHEL 12 3.
- dispensation for special privileges SOP-BETHEL18:
- initiation fee SOP-SGC 11;
- annual fee SOP-SGC 11.

REASON FOR THE CHANGE: (if necessary for Jurisprudence Committee to understand unusual change) To increase revenue for the GGC.

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