Introduced By: Senator Cantrell
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## University of Central Florida Fifty-Fourth Student Body Senate Fiscal Bill 54-49

[Funding for Knights Experimental Rocketry to build rockets for the Solid Propulsion Project in Palm Bay, Florida on June 30th, 2023]

WHEREAS, Knights Experimental Rocketry (KXR) has been a Registered Student Organization since 2022;

**WHEREAS**, The mission of KXR is to design and build high-power rockets to encourage a passion for science, technology, and space exploration while developing skills that prepare students for the professional STEM industry;

WHEREAS, KXR members pay dues of \$25.00 annually;

WHEREAS, KXR currently has 150 active, dues-paying members;

WHEREAS, The purpose of the Solid Propulsion Project is to design, build, and test-fire a solid propellant rocket motor and showcase it at the Spaceport Rocketry Association;

WHEREAS, This project will engage students in an exciting engineering project that teaches technical and hands-on skills that prepare students for the professional STEM and space industry, like ballistics, combustion, machining, CAD software, simulation software, computational fluid dynamics, and teamwork;

WHEREAS, The expected turnout for Solid Propulsion Project is 50; and

WHEREAS, Knights Experimental Rocketry received \$21,205.92 via Fiscal Bills 54-17, 54-18, 54-23, 54-44, FAO Allocation 54-74, and CRT Allocation 54-041 in Activity and Service Fee Funds in the 2022-2023 Fiscal Year.

**THEREFORE**, **BE IT ENACTED**, by the Fifty-Fourth Student Senate of the University of Central Florida that \$1,000.55 be allocated to Knights Experimental Rocketry from the Senate Working Fund according to the following breakdown:

<u>Item</u>	Description	Cost
Fuel		\$427.91
Hardware		\$899.09
Machining		\$674.10
Total Cost		\$2,001.11
Total Knights Experimental Rocketry Contribution		\$1,000.56
<b>Total Senate Contribution</b>		\$1,000.55

**BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, That all unspent funds revert to their originating account by June 30th, 2023; **BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, That Knights Experimental Rocketry may complete a Post-Funding Form and return it to the Operations, Review, and Sanctions Committee (ORS); and

**BE IT FURTHER ENACTED**, That Knights Experimental Rocketry completes a Verification of RSO Purchases Form by July 7th, 2023, as a condition of receiving funding.

## **AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES**

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03/06/2023	
Date	Date