

**Resolution 012**  
**A Resolution to Increase the Student Activity Fee**  
**Sponsored by: Senator Bommer**  
**Co-Sponsored by: Senator Besendorfer, Senator Gehrig, Senator Michels**

***Whereas,***

The Undergraduate Student Activity Fee is used to fund programming for all Catholic University Student Organizations, club sports, Orientation, and the Office of Campus Ministry.

***Whereas,***

The Undergraduate Student Activity Fee has not been adjusted to account for inflation or changes to enrollment since 2018.

***Whereas,***

The current Student Activity Fee of \$128 per student per semester is not in line with other universities of our size and geographic location.

***Whereas,***

The Student Government Association Treasury Board has expressed that an increase to the Activity Fee would allow for more financial stability and increase funding opportunities for student organizations.

***Whereas,***

The benefits of the Treasury Board's excess accumulation of Student Activity Fee as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic and less event planning on campus has been used, and Student Organizations are encouraged now, more than ever, to participate in the University's expansive community and engage others in their passions.

***Whereas,***

Student Organizations have become increasingly interested in the funding of more prominent and well-known speakers and elaborate events, making prudent financial decisions extremely difficult to navigate a tight budget.

***Be it enacted that,***

The Student Government Association Senate, acting in its official capacity as the representative of the undergraduate student body of The Catholic University of America, hereby requests that The Undergraduate Student Activity Fee be increased by \$4.00 for each academic year over the next four years.

Agreed to by a vote of \_\_\_\_\_ yeas to \_\_\_\_\_ nays on this date: \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ abstaining and \_\_\_\_\_ not present.

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Anthony Crnkovich

*President of the Student Government Association*

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*Vice President of the Student Government Association*

