

RUSA Bill F19 - 03

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Bill to Fund a RUSA Kick-Off Barbecue

Whereas, undergraduate student engagement and familiarization with Rutgers University Student Assembly (RUSA) members foster a greater connection between the student government and the student body;

Whereas, tailgating and barbecuing are popular components of Rutgers student culture during the football season;

Whereas, providing Rutgers students with a friendly environment that promotes student involvement is integral to RUSA's mission; and

Whereas, providing entertainment-based programming will increase RUSA's social presence to further strengthen the connection among students;

Be it hereby resolved that the Assembly allocates \$2,500 to create a safe, inclusive, and alcohol & drug-free space for all Rutgers students to socialize before the BIG10 football game;

Be it further resolved that the Assembly shall request additional funding from the Allocations Board through the Treasurer of the Assembly, to be added as a special events line item;

Be it further resolved that the event will be held on Saturday, October 5th, 2019 at 10:00 am - 12:00 pm on Morrell Street on College Avenue Campus, the same day as the football game between Rutgers University-New Brunswick and the University of Maryland-College Park;

Be it further resolved, the event will include music, games, and food, including options for vegetarian, vegan, halal, and kosher, catered by King Pita;

Be it further resolved, every hour a RUSA member spends attending this event will count as one office hour for the week of September 30th, 2019, and every hour a RUSA member spends volunteering to work at this event will count as two office hours for that same week; and

Be it finally resolved, the Public Relations Committee will be charged with advertising and promoting this event on RUSA's social media platforms, as well as communicating information about the event to other relevant student groups on campus.

RUSA President		Date