

## **NASPAA and Pi Alpha Alpha Call for Proposals: Chapter Mini-Grants**

### **PROPOSAL COMPONENTS**

#### **STATEMENT OF NEED**

There is a need to promote careers in public service to draw candidates into public policy, affairs, and administration programs.

#### **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

Pi Alpha Alpha (PAA) chapters will develop grant proposals describing their projects promoting public service careers in their community.

#### **BUDGET**

There will be 2 (two) – \$2,000 grant proposals awarded by the national PAA committee. The proposal must include an itemized budget and justification.

#### **ORGANIZATION INFORMATION**

Each proposal must indicate the name of the PAA advisor and contact information.

#### **CONCLUSION**

Applicant must provide a statement which includes project goals and expectations.

### **CRITERIA**

NASPAA member school in good standing and associated local PAA chapter that has inducted students within the last 12 months. A winning chapter may reapply the following year, however preference will be given to new applicants.

Awards will be based on:

- Adherence to proposal requirements
- Must have a public service career emphasis
- The project draws in various stakeholders to support desired outcomes

Note: The grants shall not be used for induction or commencement ceremonies. The grants are to be used for professional development, networking, community service, and/or the promotion of public service careers.

Proposal submitted by the deadline of 11:59pm on Friday, June 2, 2017 will be considered. Submission by mail or electronic/portal.

### **SCORING OF PROPOSAL**

The committee can decide how to score the proposal-points per segment.

### **HOW TO APPLY**

**All nominations are to be submitted to [awards@naspaa.org](mailto:awards@naspaa.org) by Friday, June 2, 2017.**