**Student Affairs – Center for Student Leadership and Engagement:**

**Student Government Association-Allocation Process Review**

**AY 2013-2014**

**Outcome:**

Students representing CSLE (various student groups) and participating in CSLE identity development specific programs will report enhanced self-awareness.

**Summary:**

In the 2013-2014 academic year SGA appropriated approximately $100,000. SGA focused on decreasing the amount of money spent on travel and invest more money into events student groups were hosting in and/or for the ECU community. As a result the amount of allocations spent in the 2013-2014 academic year decreased by 21% from the previous year moving from 87% of the money being allocated to travel down to 66%. On campus impact then, in terms of funding was 34% or $26,173 of the $92,959 allocated. Additionally, the funding guidelines were updated and posted prominently for student organizations to find.

**Highlights:**

* The SGA appropriated approximately $100,000 in fiscal year 2013-2014
* SGA funded over 50 student organizations at least once, over 65 total funding requests approved

**Gap Analysis:**

* In the 2013-2014 academic year 54 ECU student organizations were funded by SGA Appropriations at least once. This means that SGA only funded 12% of the 417 student organizations. There is a need to share the appropriations process with more student organizations, increasing the accessibility of these funds. Furthermore the numbers show that club sports teams represent only 5% of the organizations that received funding, but received 18% of the overall funding allocated.