



# GAMMA PHI DELTA SORORITY, INC.

Elizabeth Gardner, Founder Violet T. Lewis, Co-Founder

Founded February 1943 in Detroit, Michigan

## SOUTH ATLANTIC REGION

Soror Lenor Reese  
Supreme Basileus

### 2019-2021 REGIONAL OFFICERS

Soror Almeda Alexander  
(Gamma Delta Chapter)  
Regional Director  
SARegDir@GPD1943.org

Soror Angela Bowman  
(Alpha Gamma Chapter)  
Assistant Regional  
Director/Organizer  
SAARDir@GPD1943.org

Soror Nykowanna H. Sloan  
(The Xi Beta Chapter)  
Regional Grammateus  
SARSec@GPD1943.org

Soror Emma Sewell  
(Gamma Delta Chapter)  
Regional Financial Grammateus  
SAFinSec@GPD1943.org

Soror Yolanda Amos  
(Delta Delta Chapter)  
Regional Tamias  
SARTreas@GPD1943.org

Soror Myrtle Randall  
(Alpha Phi Chapter)  
Regional Anti-Grammateus  
SARAsstSec@GPD1943.org

Soror Janine Mack  
(Alpha Gamma Chapter)  
Regional Editor  
SAREditor@GPD1943.org

### MEMORANDUM

Date: December 11, 2020

To: Supreme Basileus Reese, National Board of Directors  
Regional Officers, Chapter Basilei and Sorors

From: Soror Almeda Alexander, South Atlantic Regional Director

Subject: 2021 South Atlantic Virtual Regional Conference

The Sensationally Awesome South Atlantic Region will host its 17<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conference March 27-28, 2021. Over the last few months, the Regional Board and Coordinators along with our host chapter, the Xi Beta Chapter, have been hard at work designing a conference that embodies the feel of the in-person conference now convening directly to our homes. This experience will bring over 200 Sorors together virtually for the first time in our region's history!

COVID-19 has changed the manner in which we gather and communicate requiring us to be more innovative with our use of technology as our new normal way of life. We are gladly adapting to these adjustments to ensure that we remain viable throughout our organization. As a result, your attendance at our South Atlantic Regional Conference will be from the comfort of your home. While we will miss the coercive eye contact and the personal engagement of our sisters, together we will make this conference as successful as an on-site conference. We will influence others, make decisions, solve problems and strengthen relationships through your voluntary engagement.

Attached are several documents pertaining to the conference with detailed request and deadline dates. Please adhere to them as this will assist in the ease of our virtual flow.

We appreciate your commitment to Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc. and look forward to receiving your response to the request made in this memorandum.

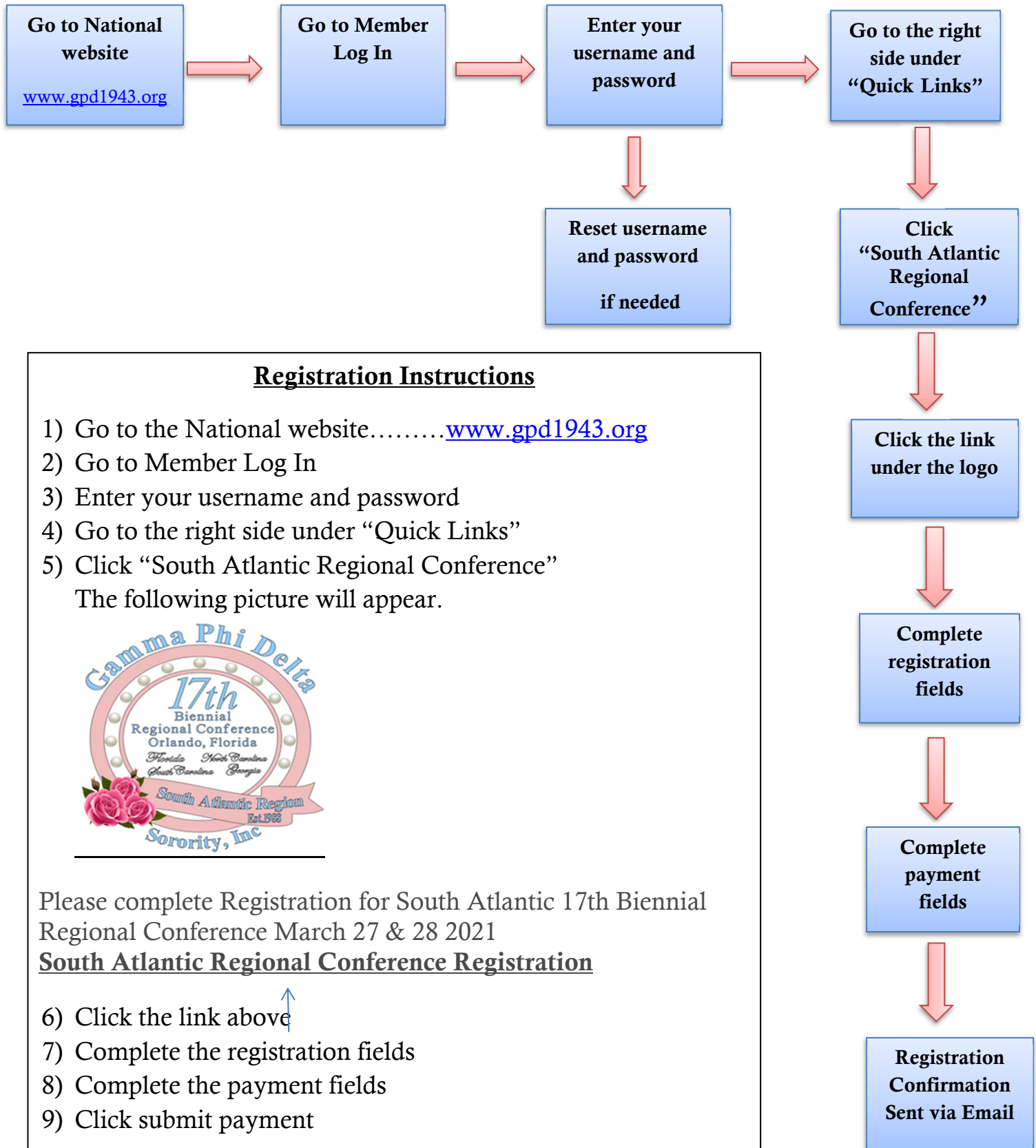
In Sisterly Service,

*Almeda Alexander*

Soror Almeda Alexander  
South Atlantic Regional Director  
Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc.

# 2021 South Atlantic Regional Virtual Conference

## Registration Workflow Instructions



You will receive a confirmation email...

**Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc.**  
**17th Biennial South Atlantic Virtual**  
**Regional Conference**  
**Theme: The Unique Roses of Gamma**  
**March 27 – 28, 2021**

**Saturday, March 27, 2021**

**Attire: Pink or Blue Business**

**Plenary Session I**

**9:00am – 9:30am**

Virtual Protocol

Announcing of the Dais

Credential Report

Color Guard Presentation

National Anthems

Invocation

Welcome

Response

Ritualistic Opening

Roll Call

Minutes of 16<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conference

Reading /Acceptance of Orders

Soror Louissteen Cummings, Reg Monitress

Soror Emma Sewell, Reg Fin Grammateus

Lift Every Voice & Sing/Star Spangled Banner

Soror Beverly Jones, Reg Chaplain

Soror Debra McMillon-Hall, Xi Beta Chapter

Soror Althea Jackson, Immediate Past RD

Soror Almeda Alexander, Presiding Officer

Soror Nykowanna Sloan, Reg Grammateus

Soror Myrtle Randall, Reg Anti-Grammateus

Soror Amy Filmore, Reg Parliamentarian

**9:30am – 10:00am**

Community Recognition  
Xi Beta Chapter, Oviedo, FL

**Plenary Session II**

**10:00am – 11:30am**

Membership Recognition

- First Timers
- Members At Large

Membership Veruzuz

Chapter Recognition

Soror Angela Bowman, Chair

Soror Almeda Alexander, Regional Director

**11:30am – 12:15pm**

Pink Table Talk Session I - Gamma Basics

-----**Break for Lunch**-----

**Plenary Session III**

**1:15pm – 3:00pm**

Regional Finance Report

Soror Emma Sewell & Soror Yolanda Amos  
(SA Regional Finance Team)

Committee Reports

- Nominations Committee
- Recommendations Committee
- Scholarship Committee

Soror Joyce Lewis, Chair

Soror Christy Fuller, Chair

Soror Joy Davis, Chair

Candidates Forum

**5:00pm**

**Gamma Hour**

**Attire: Paraphernalia**

**Sunday March 28, 2021**

**Attire: Uninterrupted Black with Pearls**

**8:00am – 9:30am**

Electronic Voting

**9:30am – 10:00am**

Memorial Service

Soror Gloria Sapp & Alpha Phi Chapter

**Plenary Session IV**

**10:00am – 10:30am**

Audit Committee Report

Soror Ann-Marie Hammond, Chair

Soror Carrie McQuay

Election Results (Run-Off Election if Necessary)

Soror Joyce Lewis, Chair

**10:30am – 11:15am**

Pink Table Talk Session II – Business Basics

**Regional Director's Message**

**Soror Almeda Alexander**

**11:30am – 11:45am**

2022 Regional Conference Invitation  
Epsilon Epsilon Chapter, Anderson, SC

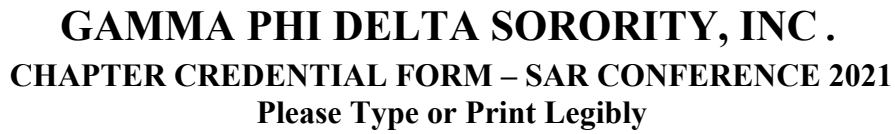
**11:45am – 12:00pm**

Installation of 2021-2023 Officers

Ritualistic Closing

Soror Lenor Reese, Supreme Basileus

Soror Almeda Alexander, Regional Director



Please be advised that failure to send either the chapter Basileus or 1<sup>st</sup> Anti, and chapter Financial Grammateus or Tamias will result in a fine for each absence. If neither officers are attending, **please forward the chapter non-representation fee \$70.00 per office by February 28, 2021.**

**\*\*Note: Regional Director will receive one (1) vote for every 5 Members-At-Large**

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# GAMMA PHI DELTA SORORITY, INC.

Elizabeth Gardner, Founder  
Violet T. Lewis, Co-Founder

Founded February 1943  
Detroit, Michigan

Date: December 5, 2020  
To: Chapter Basileus  
From: Soror Joyce Lewis, SAR Nominating Chairperson  
Re: Candidates for Regional Elected Office

The 2021 Regional Conference will convene on March 27 & 28, 2021.

Please note all Regional Offices are open for candidate applications. Attached you will find the Regional Nominating Form for candidacy for Regional office. Below are the requirements for eligibility that were adopted in our 2014 Boulé.

## **Regional Director, Assistant Regional Director, and Regional Financial Officers**

1. Must have been a member in good standing on a National, Regional and Chapter levels for at least five (5) years immediately preceding election.
2. Must have attended one (1) Boulé and two (2) Regional Conference or two (2) Boulé and one (1) Regional Conference within the five (5) years immediately preceding the election.
3. Must have a completed background check (*Regional Director only, Can be requested via Memberclicks on National website*)

## **Grammateus, Anti-Grammateus, and Editor**

1. Must have been a member in good standing on a National, Regional and Chapter levels for at least two (2) years immediately preceding election.
2. Must have attended either a Boulé, Regional Conference or National Administrative Board meeting within two (2) years immediately preceding the election.

All nomination forms must be completed and signed by the proper officers to be considered for review. Chapter Basileus, please assure that all forms are complete and accurate prior to submission.

The forms are due to Soror Joyce Lewis no later than Monday, February 1, 2021. After that date, we will contact the chapters to share the slate of candidates.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

**Soror Joyce Lewis, SAR Nominating Chairperson**  
Email: [SARNom@GPD1943.org](mailto:SARNom@GPD1943.org)  
Cell Phone: (407) 620-1401

# Gamma Phi Delta Sorority Inc, Regional Elections Procedures/Process Checklist

Candidate	
Position	
Chapter	
Region	

## *Chapter Endorsement*

- Chapter Letter/Chapter Letterhead
- Signed by: Chapter Basileus  
                     Chapter Grammateus  
                     Chapter Financial Grammateus
  - Statement Endorsing the Candidate
  - Reviewed eligibility
  - Candidate meets criteria/qualifications
  - Submitted to Region
  - Date of Submission

Chapter Basileus: \_\_\_\_\_

Please Print
Signature
Date

Please complete the checklist before submitting the information to the Regional Nominating Chairperson.



**GAMMA PHI DELTA SORORITY, INC.**

**CANDIDATE FOR Regional OFFICE – page 1 of 2**

Nomination for Office of:			
Region:			
Candidate's Name			
Address:			
City:	State:	Zip	
Telephone:	E-mail:		

OFFICES HELD:

**CHAPTER**

**REGIONAL**

**NATIONAL**

Candidate is Financial in:	Chapter	(Yes)	(No)
Mark the correct response with an "X"	Regional	(Yes)	(No)
	National	(Yes)	(No)

Please review functions and characteristics for Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc. in your handbook. Any Soror recommended for office must be in good standing.

**GAMMA PHI DELTA SORORITY, INC.**  
**CANDIDATE FOR Regional OFFICE – page 2 of 2**

Office \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

National Conventions Attended \_\_\_\_\_  
 (years)

Regional Conferences Attended \_\_\_\_\_  
 (years)

State reasons you wish to be considered  
 for this office \_\_\_\_\_

What Education, work experiences,  
 special skills and community  
 responsibilities have helped you  
 qualify for this office?  
 \_\_\_\_\_

What computer skills do you  
 have?  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have time to devote to  
 this position

(Yes)

(No)

Is nominee able to handle  
 expenses  
 (if necessary)

(Yes)

(No)

Is nominee available for meetings  
 and services when required?

(Yes)

(No)

Chapter Basileus: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Please Print

Signature

Date

Chapter Grammateus: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Please Print

Signature

Date

Chapter Fin Grammateus: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Please Print

Signature

Date

Nomination FORM MUST BE RETURNED BY \_\_\_\_\_

SEND TO: Soror Joyce Lewis, SAR Nominating Committee Chairperson  
 Email: [SARNom@GPD1943.org](mailto:SARNom@GPD1943.org) Cell: (407) 620-1401

**Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc.**  
**17<sup>th</sup> Biennial South Atlantic Regional Conference**  
**March 27-28, 2021**  
**Virtual Conference Hosted by Xi Beta Chapter**

**Recommendations for the 2021 Biennial Conference**

Greetings Sorors,

In an effort to become more efficient in the way we conduct business within the South Atlantic Region and the national body, we are soliciting your input in the form of recommendations.

If there is a procedure, policy, or item in our constitutions/by-laws and handbook that if changed or amended would enhance the operations of our organization please complete the recommendation form and submit by January 31, 2021 to, Soror Christy Fuller @ [sarrec@gpd1943.org](mailto:sarrec@gpd1943.org)

Once the recommendations have been received, the Recommendations Committee will review the documents. The committee verifies and determines if the proposed recommendations comply with the constitution and by-laws, policies or procedures of Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc.

When the above process has been completed, each chapter Basileus will receive a copy of all recommendations so that each chapter will have an opportunity to discuss them before the conference.

If there are any questions or concerns feel free to contact Soror Christy Fuller at [sarrec@gpd1943.org](mailto:sarrec@gpd1943.org) or 864-525-1194

Sisterly,

Soror Christy Fuller Recommendations  
Committee Chair



Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc.  
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March 25 – 28, 2021  
Orlando, Florida

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS FORM

The procedure for Recommendations is outlined in Chapter XVII, pg. 132 in the Policies and Procedures Handbook but here is a quick outline:

- Recommendations are to be typed.
- Recommendations are generated from member(s). Those Recommendations are voted on by the chapter. The Chapter Recommendations that pass are then forwarded to the Regional Recommendations Chair.
- The Regional Recommendations Chair and committee will examine the recommendations and make sure the form is completed properly. Incomplete recommendation forms will be returned to the originating chapter for the necessary corrections
- After review, Chapter Recommendations are to be forwarded to all chapters in the region for review and discussion prior to the Regional Conference
- Chapter Recommendations accepted and passed by the regional body become Regional Recommendations.
- The committee reviews all Regional Recommendations for completeness.  
*Recommendations will be rejected if they are incomplete/incorrect - missing information, signatures, incorrect references, etc.*
- Recommendations passed at the Regional Conference will be forwarded to National Headquarters to the attention of the National Recommendations Chair no later than 30 days after the Regional Conference.

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Orlando, Florida

Recommendation Form

(circle one)

Chapter

Region

National

Location

Event

Presiding Officer  
& Title

Policy Recommendation

( )

Procedure

( )

Recommendation

Constitution/By-Laws

( )

Recommendation:

Rationale:

Financial Impact

Yes

No

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Presiding Officer and Title

Presiding  
Grammateus

Date

----- For Official Use -----

Region Action:

Approved:

Yes

Action Taken:

Disapproved:

Yes

Action Taken:

Referred to:

Signature:

Title:

Date:

National Action (if applicable):

Approved:

Yes

Action Taken:

Disapproved:

Yes

Action Taken:

Referred to:

Signature:

Title:





# Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc. South Atlantic Region Scholarship

To Whom it May Concern:

The South Atlantic Region of Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc. is pleased to extend its scholarship opportunity to graduating high school seniors or college Freshmen. The four scholarships are in the amount of \$500.00 each, payable to the students in the form of a check. The necessary criteria are included in this package.

The South Atlantic Region Scholarship Committee will base the awards on Academic Achievement, Leadership, Social Awareness, Career Goals, Financial Need, Public Service and Community Involvement. It is our desire to make a formal presentation of these Awards during the South Atlantic Regional Conference in March 2021. If you have any questions please contact our Scholarship Committee Chairperson, Soror Joy Davis at (321)352-7443 Home, or (313)-977-0014 Cell, or E-mail at [XiBeta2ndVP@GPD1943.org](mailto:XiBeta2ndVP@GPD1943.org).

Peace and Harmony,  
Soror Almeda Alexander, SAR Director  
Soror Dr. Joy Davis, SAR Scholarship Chairperson

## 2020-21 Scholarship Application Criteria/Checklist

Dear Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in applying for the Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc. South Atlantic Region Scholarship. Please be sure to review the criteria and enclose all required documentation as outlined in the checklist below.

All applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Be a high school graduating senior or College Freshman
- Have applied and been accepted to an accredited college or university
- Have a cumulative GPA of 2.5 and above

Please submit the following materials:

- A completed application form (*incomplete forms will not be accepted*).
- An official copy of high school transcript from fall 2020
- Two letters of recommendations. One must be from a teacher or guidance counselor at your school.
- A one-page type written essay about your goals and aspirations (*font 12, Times New Roman*).
- Letter of acceptance from an accredited college or university
- Deadline for application submission is January 29, 2021

# 2020-21 Scholarship Application

Deadline January 29, 2021

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

SAT Score \_\_\_\_\_ ACT Score \_\_\_\_\_ GPA \_\_\_\_\_

Honors/ Awards \_\_\_\_\_

What college or University do you plan to attend? \_\_\_\_\_

Location of College or University \_\_\_\_\_

Extra-curricular Activities: \_\_\_\_\_

Community Service Involvement: \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

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Please email your completed application and essay to:  
**XiBeta2ndVP@GPD1943.org**

APPLICATION DEADLINE IS JANUARY 29, 2021





**Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc.**  
South Atlantic Regional Conference - March 27 &-28, 2021  
Soror Almeda Alexander, Regional Director



## **Memorial Service Form**

Chapter \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter Basileus \_\_\_\_\_

1. Deceased Soror \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Transition \_\_\_\_\_

2. Deceased Soror \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Transition \_\_\_\_\_

3. Deceased Soror \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Transition \_\_\_\_\_

4. Deceased Soror \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Transition \_\_\_\_\_

5. Deceased Soror \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Transition \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*The Alpha Phi Chapter will oversee the Memorial Service\*\***

Please send completed forms by February 20, 2021 to Soror Gloria Sapp Watson  
Email address.... [AlphaPhiPres@GPD1943.org](mailto:AlphaPhiPres@GPD1943.org)



## South Atlantic Region Membership Verzuz

Calling each chapter to participate in the 2021 Membership Verzuz during the regional conference. This is a friendly and sisterly stroll competition designed to display a chapter's creativity and talent.

Each chapter is asked to submit a video of their best stroll.

Each team...

1. Must consist of a minimum of five (5) participants, maximum of (10)
2. Must wear GPD Paraphernalia along with a mask
3. Must adhere to social distancing policies
4. Must use music free from explicit, profane and vulgar lyrics
5. Must prepare a video (no longer than 1min and 30 secs)  
(Resolution: 1280x720 / less than 200MB)

Each video will be played during the membership portion of the conference and voted on using the following criteria.....

- Presentation
- Difficulty
- Song Selection
- Attire / Appearance

The winning chapter will receive the Membership Verzuz award and of course....have bragging rights!

Note: This is purely voluntary....

Deadline date to submit video is March 6, 2021. Chapter Basilei will be provided a link to upload video.

Any questions or concerns, please free feel to contact

Soror Angela Bowman, Asst Regional Director  
@ [SAARDir@gpd1943.org](mailto:SAARDir@gpd1943.org) or 404.518.5569



# **Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc.**

**ΓΦΔ**

**“The Power of Sisterhood: Individually Unique...Together Complete”**

**16th Biennial Regional Conference**

**South Atlantic Region**

**30 Year (Pearl) Anniversary**

March 21 - 24, 2019

Summit Pointe Conference & Events Center

Hilton Garden Inn

Spartanburg, South Carolina

Hosted by Beta Mu Chapter

## **MINUTES**

**Soror Althea Jackson, Regional Director**

Alpha Phi, Orlando, FL

Regional Grammateus

Soror Angela Bowman, Alpha Gamma, Atlanta, GA

Regional Anti-Grammateus

Delonjié Tyson, Eta Chapter, Tampa, FL

**Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc.**  
**South Atlantic Region 16th Biennial Regional Conference**  
**30 Year (Pearl) Anniversary**  
**March 21-24, 2019**  
**“One Gamma”**

**“The Power of Sisterhood; Individually Unique.....Together Complete”**  
**Conference Theme: *Southern Girls in Pearls***

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**Thursday March 21, 2019**

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**Regional Director’s Felicitation Party at 7:00pm**

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**Friday March 22, 2019 – Plenary Session I**

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**Presentation of Colors** - The line-up and special seating was begin at 10:16am followed by the introduction and seating of the Dias and then the National Color Guard presentation.

**National Anthem** - Sung by Voices of Gamma under the direction of Soror Marilyn King

**Lewis Invocation** - Given by Soror Ann Marie Hammond

**Welcome Addresses** - Given by Soror Althea Jackson, South Atlantic Regional Director, Soror Lenor Reese, Supreme Basileus and Soror Corina Moore, the Basileus of the Host Chapter, Beta Mu.

**Response** - To the welcome address came from Soror Romesena Holman, member of Beta Mu, the host chapter. Greetings were delivered by a hotel representative, Soror Pamela Roberts, the Supreme 2<sup>nd</sup> Anti-Basileus and Regional Tamias and Soror Darlene Ruffin Alexander, the Supreme Editor

**Ritualistic Opening** - Regional Director Althea Jackson called the assembly to order for the official opening of the 16<sup>th</sup> Biennial Regional Conference.

**Roll Call** – Given by Soror Angela Bowman, Regional Grammateus

**In Attendance:**

- Soror Althea Jackson, Regional Director, Alpha Phi, Orlando, FL
- Soror Almeda Alexander, Assistant Regional Director, Gamma Delta, Eatonville, FL
- Soror Angela Bowman, Regional Grammateus, Alpha Gamma, Atlanta, GA
- Soror Emma Sewell, Regional Financial Grammateus, Gamma Delta, Eatonville, FL
- Soror Pamela Roberts, Regional Tamias, Delta Delta, Tampa, FL
- Soror Yolanda Amos, Regional Editor
- Soror Pinkie Sanders, Immediate Past Regional Director, Alpha Phi, Orlando, FL

**Absent:**

Soror Delonjie Tyson, Regional Anti-Grammateus

Soror Janine Mack, Alpha Gamma sat in for Soror Tyson

Soror Trudy Edwards, Parliamentarian

Soror Amy Filmore sat in for Soror Edwards

In Attendance: Graduate Chapters Present

Alpha Beta, Greensboro, NC – Soror Marilyn King Lewis, Basileus  
Alpha Gamma, Atlanta, GA - Soror Angela Bowman, Basileus Alpha  
Phi, Orlando, FL – Soror Angelisa Pinkston Young, Basileus Alpha  
Upsilon, Winston-Salem, NC – Soror Aurelia Worthy, Basileus Beta  
Mu, Spartanburg, SC – Soror Corina Moore, Basileus Delta Delta,  
Tampa, FL – Soror Erica Francios  
Gamma Delta, Eatonville, FL – Soror Almeda Alexander, Basileus  
Xi Beta, Oviedo, FL – Soror Deborah McMillon Hall, Basileus

Credential report was given by Soror Emma Sewell, Regional Financial Grammateus.

Graduate Chapters and Voting Strength

Alpha Beta, Greensboro, NC

8 Members

1 Chapter Basileus

1 Delegate

**Voting Strength: 3**

Alpha Gamma, Atlanta, GA

25 Members

5 Delegates

1 National Officer

1 Chapter Basileus

3 Life Members

1 Regional Officer

**Voting Strength: 11**

Alpha Phi, Orlando, FL

69 Members

14 Delegates

1 Living Pearl

1 Regional Director

1 Chapter Basileus

12 Life Members

2 MAL

**Voting Strength: 31**

Alpha Upsilon, Winston-Salem

12 Members

2 Delegates

1 Chapter Basileus

1 Life Member

**Voting Strength: 4**

Beta Mu, Spartanburg, SC

20 Members

4 Delegates

1 Chapter Basileus

1 Life Member

**Voting Strength: 6**

Delta Delta, Tampa, FL

13 Members

3 Delegates

1 National Officer

1 Chapter Basileus

2 Life Members

2 Regional Officers

**Voting Strength: 9**

Gamma Delta, Eatonville, FL

18 Members

4 Delegates

1 Chapter Basileus

10 Life Members

2 Regional Officers

**Voting Strength: 17**

Xi Beta, Oviedo, FL

31 Members

6 Delegates

1 Living Pearl

1 Past Supreme

1 Chapter Basileus

6 Life Members

**Voting Strength: 15**

**MAL:9**

**Total No. of Members: 205**

**Voting Strength Total: 96**

**Acceptance of the 2019 Agenda** – Soror Angela Bowman, Regional Grammateus

Physical copy with the agenda placed in the souvenir booklet as well as shown on the overhead screen

Motion: To accept the agenda as printed

Coming from Soror Pinkie Sanders, Alpha Phi

Seconded - No questions or discussions

Motion Carried

**Acceptance of the 2017 Conference Minutes** – Soror Angela Bowman, Regional Grammateus Minutes no longer need to be accepted

**Regional Orders of the Day** – Soror Louisteen Cummings, Regional Monitress presented a physical copy of the orders of the day to each chapter Basileus and regional board member prior

to the conference. Rules were read aloud. All fines must be paid to the Monitress at the time of infraction.

Motion: To accept the regional orders of the day  
Coming from Soror Rebecca Ford, Xi Beta  
Seconded – No questions or discussions  
Motion Carried

**Community Luncheon – Mistress of Ceremony, Soror Corina Moore**  
**First Timer's Recognition- Soror Almeda Alexander**

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**Friday March 22, 2019 – Plenary Session II**

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**Regional Director's Address:** Plenary Session II began with the Regional Director's Address: Soror Althea Jackson gave her Regional Director's Address to the body.

**Nominating Report** - Soror Joyce Lewis, Nominating Committee Chair Soror Lewis and her committee informed the body that emails were sent to each Chapter Basileus to send the names of the delegates and eligible voters who would be voting at the conference. From those submitted.....

Slate of Officers

- For Regional Director: Soror Almeda Alexander, Gamma Delta
- For Assistant Regional Director/Organizer: Soror Angela Bowman, Alpha Gamma
- For Regional Grammateus: *No submission*
- For Regional Financial Grammateus: Soror Emma Sewell, Gamma Delta
- For Regional Tamais: *No Submission*
- For Regional Editor: Soror Janine Mack, Alpha Gamma
- For Regional Anti-Grammateus: *No submission*

Soror Lewis, opened the floor to accept nominations from the floor

Nominations for Regional Editor – Hearing None - Nominations are Closed

Nominations for Regional Anti-Grammateus

Soror Angelisa Pinkston Young, Alpha Phi nominates Soror Latanya Strickland, Alpha Phi  
Nominations are Closed

Nominations for Regional Tamias

Soror Angelisa Pinkston Young, Alpha Phi nominates Soror Anita Barnes, Alpha Phi  
Nominations are Closed

Nominations for Financial Grammateus – Hearing None - Nominations are Closed

Nominations for Regional Grammateus

Soror Natalie J. Ford, Xi Beta nominates Nikki Sloan, Xi Beta  
Nominations are Closed

Nominations for Asst Regional Director/Organizer – Hearing None - Nominations are Closed

Nominations for Regional Director – Hearing None - Nominations are Closed

Soror Lewis discussed the electronic voting procedures. Voting will start as 7:00am on Saturday March 23, 2019

Motion: To accept the slate of candidates for Regional office Coming from Soror Janine Mack, Alpha Gamma  
Seconded – No questions or discussions Motion Carried

Next discussion – Nominating Committee

Soror Jackson read the qualifications for nominating committee from the Policies and Procedures Handbook on page 73 – Nominations are open from the floor

Soror Rebecca Ford, Xi Beta nominates Soror Allan Rollerson, Xi Beta Soror Romasena Hollman, Beta Mu nominates Soror Edna Westley, Beta Mu Soror Dana Inman, Alpha Gamma nominates Soror Tracy Cutler, Alpha Gamma Soror Pamela Roberts, Delta Delta nominates Soror Erica Strange Francois, Delta Delta Soror Audrey Allison, Gamma Delta nominates Soror Joyce Lewis, Gamma Delta Soror Janine Mack, Alpha Gamma nominates Soror Latasha Mack Soror Marilyn King-Lewis, Alpha Beta nominates Soror Ann Riley, Alpha Beta Soror Latanya Strickland, Alpha Phi nominates Soror Chianta Lindsey, Alpha Phi Soror Angelisa Pinkston Young, Alpha Phi nominates Soror Kat Gordon, Alpha Phi Soror Ashtian Turner, Xi Beta nominates Soror Robyn Burrell, Xi Beta Soror Angelisa Pinkston Young, Alpha Phi nominates Soror Lanora Poitier

Nominations are Closed

Soror Joyce Lewis noted that there are more than 7 nominations – The question was asked if we would waive the restriction of having 7 members on the committee

Question: Soror Dana Inman, Alpha Gamma – Are we voting for who out of the 11 sorors nominated will be on the nominating committee?

Answer: Soror Jackson, at this time we will voting to suspend the rule for only 7 names and then we will vote to accept the slate. Our National Tech Manager will add the names to the electronic voting and everyone will be able to vote on every person nominated and the person with the highest votes will become the chairperson.

Motion: To waive the required number of 7 members on the nominating committee, so that extra members can be added  
Coming from Soror Pamela Roberts, Delta  
Delta Seconded – No questions or discussions  
Motion Carried

Soror Jackson asked for delegates vote to suspend the rule of having only 7 members of the nominating committee - Delegate Vote – 66 – No opposes\



### **Recommendations – Soror Almeda Alexander**

Three recommendations were submitted, presented to the body and voted on

Recommendation No. 1 – Approved

Votes – 81      Yes

Votes – 11      No

Recommendation No. 2 – Approved

Votes – 93      Yes

Votes – 2      No

Recommendation No. 3 – Approved

Votes – 81      Yes

Votes – 11      No

Votes – 03      Abstain

### ***Recommendations Forms Attached***

### **Budget/Finance Report – Soror Pamela Roberts, Regional Tamias & Soror Emma Sewell, Regional Financial Grammateus**

Soror Emma Sewell provided a copy of the 2019-2021 reports to the Supreme, Regional Officers, Chapter Basilei and Delegates.

Question: Soror Darlene Ruffin Alexander, Alpha Gamma – It seems that we have spent \$1,264.16, Why didn't you just budget that rather than budget \$1,000.

Answer: Soror Emma Sewell, Gamma Delta - That amount spent was not expected

Discrepancies found in the report – Soror Emma Sewell asked if she could recheck her figures and come back tomorrow.

Motion: To table the presentation of the budget until  
tomorrow Coming from Soror Emma Sewell, Gamma Delta  
Seconded – No questions or discussions Motion Carried

Question: Mary Patterson, Beta Mu - Will there be a copy of the report available tomorrow?

Answer: Soror Althea Jackson, Alpha Phi - Yes, the voting delegates will receive a revised copy of the report

Question: Soror Mary Patterson, Beta Mu – Why doesn't everyone get a copy?

Answer: Soror Jackson, everyone is not voting, only the delegates sent by the chapter. The delegates will be responsible to report to the chapters.

Soror Pamela Roberts provide a copy of the 2019-2021 reports to the Supreme, Regional Officers, Chapter Basilei and Delegates.

Activity of our checking account from July 1, 2017 to March 15, 2018

Beginning Balance: \$15, 088.41

July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2018 - we brought in \$12,007.63

Total Income for fiscal year: \$27,096.04

Total Disbursements: \$12,394.65

No Outstanding Checks

Total Disbursements for fiscal year: \$12,394.65

Ending Balance on June 30, 2018: \$14,701.39

The next fiscal year began July 1, 2018

Beginning Balance: \$14,701.39

This expense report is from July 1, 2018 to Feb 28, 2019

Per Soror Roberts, have not seen the March bank statement – once reconciled with bank statement – once reconciled – went back and pulled up the individual activity up to March 15, 2019. So from July 1, 2018 to Feb 28, 2019 - we brought in \$5, 810.32 Total Income for the fiscal year \$20,511.71

Total Disbursements: \$11,921.87

Outstanding check: \$862.62  
Total Disbursements: \$12,784.49  
Ending Balance: \$7,727.22

Activity between March 1, 2019 – March 15, 2019

We took in: 26,285.00  
Total Income: \$46,796.71  
Total Disbursements: \$2,187.83  
Outstanding check: \$280.99  
Total Disbursements: \$15,253.41  
Ending Balance: \$31,543.41 as of March 15, 2019

No questions – Soror Pamela Roberts ask that the Tamias report be accepted as presented

Question: Soror Lenor Pointer, Alpha Phi – If the ending balance is \$7,727.22, how do you get the \$46,796.71?

Answer: Soror Pam Roberts, Delta Delta – The \$46,796.71 is the total income from July 2018 to March 2019

Answer: Soror Rebecca Ford, Xi Beta – Soror Roberts went back to total income from 2018 \$20,511.71 and added it to the 26,285.00 to get the total of \$46,796.71

Question: Soror Anita Barnes, Alpha Phi – What is our fiscal year?

Answer: Soror Pam Roberts, Delta Delta - July 1 through June 30 – this is when end of year reports are to be submitted

Motion: To accept that the Tamias report be accepted for the time period expressed Coming from Soror Pamela Roberts, Delta Delta Seconded – No questions or discussions  
Motion Carried

Question: Soror Darlene Ruffin Alexander, Alpha Gamma – Would we prefer to table this vote until the Tamias has had time to check her figures?

Answer: Soror Althea Jackson, Alpha Phi – The actual time period of the report was up until Feb 28 – the addition part was a projection based on items she received – so that we would have information that was added for the conference. The actual report is the one ending on Feb 28, 2019, those numbers are the correct, the rest are for added information and they have not been reconciled. The bank statement will not come out until after this conference. We are voting on the reconciliation of the bank statement from Feb 28, 2019.

Statement made Soror Kat Gordon, Alpha Phi – State clearly what you would like the treasurer to check – she is reporting what is being reconciled and this is official information. If there are discrepancies, they need to be stated for the body for clarification.

Per Soror Althea Jackson, the motion on the floor has been moved has to do with the finance report that was reconciled from our Feb 28, 2019 bank statement – it has been moved and seconded that we except that information – Delegate Vote: 62 – No Opposes

Recount – Not to count the number of people – but voting strength – Delegate Vote: 94

Workshop Presentation - Title: Getting Your Chapter in Financial Order  
Presented by Soror Pamela Roberts & Soror Emma Sewell Attendees:  
Chapter Financial Officers

Workshop Presentation – Title: Sorority  
Assessment Presented by Soror Charity Ware,  
Southern Region Attendees: All Members

Workshop Presentation – Title: Entrepreneurship  
Presented by Ms. Cherry Griffin, Host of Destiny Talk Live  
Attendees: All Members

After the workshops –  
**Announcements**

### **Candidate's Forum**

### **Beta Mu Chapter Social in the Summit Point Foyer**

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### **Saturday March 23, 2019 - Plenary Session II**

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#### **Voting Session began to open**

#### **Memorial Service – Soror Angela Bowman**

Members set aside time to memorialize members of the SA Region who have passed away since the last Regional Conference in 2017.

- Soror Ruby Royal, Alpha Upsilon – Transitioned on October 19, 2018  
Presented by Soror Aurelia Worthy, Basileus
- Soror Lula Mae Ford, Alpha Phi – Transitioned on December 13, 2018  
Presented by Angelisa Pinkston Young, Basileus
- Soror Mildred D. Snoddy, Beta Mu - Transitioned on February 12, 2019  
Presented by Corina Moore, Basileus

#### **History Report – Soror Angelisa Pinkston Young**

Soror Pinkston Young provided a history report of the chapters within the region

#### **Scholarship Report – Soror Myrtle Randall**

There were three application packets received on or before the March 1, 2019 absolute deadline and one was received on March 4, 2019, consequently, this one was disqualified. The remaining three were carefully studied and reviewed using the scale based on the following criteria, Scholarship,

Community Involvement, Letters of Recommendations, a one page essay, and Discretionary, totaling a maximum of one hundred points. As a result of the established criteria the committee is recommending the following students as recipients for the three SAR Scholarships to receive \$500 SAR Scholarship. They are Jada Nicole Chambers, Tyler Fowler Gray and Joshua Oliver

Motion: To accept the scholarship committee report as given.  
Coming from Soror Myrtle Randall, Alpha Phi Seconded –  
No questions or discussions Motion Carried

### **Membership Report – Soror Almeda Alexander**

Committee Members includes Soror(s)

Marilyn Lewis, Alpha Beta  
Danise St. Andrew, Alpha Gamma  
Angelisa Pinkston Young, Alpha Phi  
Vernat Gaston, Alpha Upsilon  
Whilemena Johnson, Beta Mu  
Pamela Roberts, Delta Delta  
Phyllis Seward, Gamma Delta  
Natalie Ford, Xi Beta  
Erin Jackson, Beta Chi Upsilon

We gained a total of 43 new members in the last 2 years, 6 new members at large in SC and 1 in NC. We lost ETA Chapter in Tampa, FL but we have 1 remaining member at Bethune Cookman University in Daytona Beach, FL. We have one graduate chapter below 10 members. Members at Large are working to recruit new members in order to charter a chapter in Easley, South Carolina.

Motion: To accept the membership report as presented  
Coming from Soror Myrtle Randall, Alpha Phi  
Seconded by Soror Pinkie Sanders, Alpha Phi  
No Questions or Discussions  
Motion Carried

Soror Emma Sewell came back to the podium with the corrected balance of \$51,595.00

Motion: To accept the proposed budget as presented  
Coming from Soror Emma Sewell, Gamma Delta  
Seconded by Soror Rebecca Ford, Xi Beta  
No Questions or Discussions  
Motion Carried

### **Social Action Report – Soror Eunice Davis**

Soror Davis reminded the body that chapters keep up with hours and names of sorors that worked on the project. She thanked the region for all that we do by way of service.<sup>4</sup>

Motion: To accept the Social Action report as presented  
Coming from Soror Eunice Davis, Alpha Phi

Seconded by Soror Bernice Cook, Alpha Phi  
No Questions or Discussions  
Motion Carried

### **Ways & Means Report – Soror Pamela Roberts**

Soror Pamela Roberts, Delta Delta, Chair  
Soror Michelle Potts, Alpha Gamma  
Soror Erica Strange, Delta Delta  
Soror Louissteen Cummings, Gamma Delta  
Soror Debra Burns, Xi Beta

The Ways and Means committee met to have a t-shirt designed for the South Atlantic Region 30th Anniversary. Profits from the t-shirts will be used towards Regional Scholarships.

Soror Michelle Potts from Alpha Gamma Chapter graciously created the design at no charge to the Region. The chapters that participated were Alpha Phi, Beta Mu, Delta Delta, Gamma Delta and Xi Beta Chapters participated in the T shirt Scholarship Fund Project.

We collected \$2,260 for t-shirt sales, spent \$1,923.94 which includes the following (\$244.08 for sample shirts, \$218.49 for postage and \$1,461.37 for paid t-shirt orders) which provided a \$336.06 profit. In order to increase profits, it is the committee's recommendation that future t shirt sales don't include sample shirts for each chapter or postage. Which means each chapter will receive a picture of the proposed t-shirt and all t-shirts will be picked up at the Regional Conference

Motion: To accept the Ways & Means report as presented  
Coming from Soror Eunice Davis  
Seconded by Soror Yolanda Amos, Delta Delta  
No Questions or Discussions  
Motion Carried

### **Global Connection Report – Soror Andrea Gary**

3 out of 8 active chapters has reported contributions to Ribbons for Africa.

- 1.) Xi Beta Chapter - Oviedo, FL: Chapter Basileus - Soror, Deborah McMillon Hall  
Global Connections Chair - Soror Dr. Joy Davis - Amount of contributions \$300.00
  - 2.) Alphi Phi Chapter – Orlando, FL: Chapter Basileus - Soror Angelisa Pinkston Young  
Global Connections Chair - Soror Myrtle Randall - Amount of contributions \$461.00
  - 3.) Beta Mu Chapter - Spartanburg, SC: Chapter Basileus - Soror Corina Moore  
Global Connections Chairperson - Soror Linda Rogers - Amount of contributions \$50.00
- Total Contribution Amount: \$811.00

Motion: To accept the Global Connections Report be accepted as presented  
Coming from Soror Andrea Gary, MAL Seconded by Cianta Lindsey, Alpha Phi  
No Questions or Discussions  
Motion Carried

### **Courtesies Report – Soror Nikki Sloan**

Everyone should have received courtesies at the end of our opening session

Motion: To accept the Courtesies Report be accepted as presented

Coming from Soror Nikki Sloan, Xi Beta

Seconded – Soror, Anita Grant, Alpha Phi

No Questions or Discussions

Motion Carried

### **Regional Director State of the Region Address**

### **Membership Luncheon - Mistress of Ceremony, Soror Almeda Alexander**

### **Time & Place Report – Soror Angela Bowman & Soror Peggy Gaines**

Soror Bowman informed the body of the future SAR

Conferences 2021 Xi Beta Oviedo, FL

2023 Alpha Upsilon Winston-Salem, NC

2025 Delta Delta Tampa, FL

2027 Alpha Gamma Atlanta, GA

2029 Alpha Phi Orlando, FL

Motion: To accept the Time & Place Report Courtesies Report be accepted as presented

Coming from Soror Nikki Sloan, Xi Beta

Seconded – No questions or discussions

Motion Carried

### **2021 Regional Conference Presentation - Xi Beta Chapter, Oviedo, FL**

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### **Saturday March 23, 2019 - Plenary Session IV**

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### **Nominating Committee (Post Election) – Soror Joyce**

**Lewis** Results of the election

Regional Editor – Soror Janine Mack, Alpha Gamma

Regional Assistant Anti-Grammateus – Soror Latanya Strickland, Alpha

phi Regional Tamias – Soror Anita Barnes, Alpha Phi

Regional Financial Grammateus – Soror Emma Sewell, Gamma Delta

Regional Grammateus – Soror Nikki Sloan, Xi Beta

Assistant Regional Director/Organizer – Soror Angela Bowman, Alpha Gamma

Regional Director – Soror Almeda Alexander – Gamma Delta

Results of the Nominating Committee  
Joyce E. Lewis - Gamma Delta Chapter  
Erica Strange  
.Francois - Delta Delta Chapter  
Edna Westley, Beta Mu Chapter  
Kathleen "Kat" Gordon - Alpha Phi Chapter  
Ann Riley - Alpha Beta Chapter  
Allana Rollerson - Xi Beta Chapter  
LaTasha Mack - Alpha Gamma Chapter  
Tracey Cutler - Alpha Gamma Chapter  
Lanora Poiter - Alpha Phi Chapter  
Robyn Burrell - Xi Beta Chapter  
Chianta Lindsey - Alpha Phi Chapter

Soror Joyce Lewis received the majority of the votes to be named the Nominating Chairperson and will represent the region at the upcoming 2020 Boule in Indianapolis, IN

### **VIG (Very Important Gamma) Gala – Mistress of Ceremony, Beta Mu**

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**Sunday March 24, 2019**

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**Installation of 2019-2021 Officers** - Conducted by Supreme Basileus, Soror Lenor

Reese **Closing Remarks** – Soror Corina Moore, Host Chapter, Beta Mu **Ritualistic**

**Closing** – Soror Althea Jackson, Regional Director, Alpha Phi

**Adjournment** - 16th Biennial South Atlantic Regional Conference and 30 Year (Pearl) Anniversary Celebration at 9:12am

Previous members of the 2017-2019 SAR Executive Board met with the newly elected members of the 2019-2021 SAR Executive Board after the adjournment for an officer transition discussion.





# Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc. Recommendation Form

*(Incomplete forms will not be forwarded to National)*

## Indicate the Originator of the Recommendation

Chapter ☒ Alpha Phi Location Orlando, Florida

Region ☐

National ☐

Event Chapter Meeting Region Alpha Phi

Presiding Officer & Title Angelisa Pinkston Young, Basileus

## Type(s) of Recommendation

Check all that apply and indicate the document and page(s) that pertain to the Recommendation

Policy ☒ GPD Sorority, Inc. Ritual, 2010 Edition, Page 15

Procedure ☐

Constitution and /By-Laws ☒ Article II, Page 7

## Current Language: (If there is no existing language place n/a in this field)

Purpose: To unite fraternally for charitable, educational, and fraternal purposes ...

## Recommendation:

Change the word "fraternally" and "fraternal" to a word representing women such as sororal, sisterly, or sister-like.

## Suggested Final Language:

Under Purpose: "To unite sororally for charitable, educational, and sororal purposes, to establish and maintain active chapters throughout the United States.



Is there a financial impact? Yes ☐ or No ☒

(If the answer is 'yes' state in the rationale whether it is negative or positive and if known, the projected dollar amount)

**Rationale (If necessary, use an additional page):**

The word fraternal means "of or characteristic of brothers; brotherly." We are an organization of professional and business women. There is no financial impact now. The change would be added the next time the Ritual and Constitution and By-Laws are printed.

Presiding Officer Signature and Title

Presiding Grammateus Signature

Date

Angelisa Pinkston Young

Peggy Gaines

12/27/18

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**Region Action:**

Approved: No ☐ Yes ☒ # of Yes votes 81 # of No votes 11

Reason for Disapproval/Withdrawal other than votes cast: \_\_\_\_\_

Referred to: National

Presiding Officer Signature: Althea Jackson Title: RD Date: 3/23/19

Regional Recommendation Chair Almeda Alexander Region SAR

**National Board Action (if applicable):**

Approved: No ☐ Yes ☒ # of Yes votes \_\_\_\_\_ # of No votes \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for Disapproval/Withdrawal other than votes cast: \_\_\_\_\_

Referred to: \_\_\_\_\_

Supreme Basileus Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Supreme Grammateus Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

National Recommendation Chair Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_





Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc.  
**Recommendation Form**

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**Indicate the Originator of the Recommendation**

Chapter ☒ Alpha Phi Location Orlando Florida

Region ☐

National ☐

Event Chapter meeting Region South Atlantic

Presiding Officer & Title Kristal Armstrong, Basileus

**Type(s) of Recommendation**

Check all that apply and indicate the document and page(s) that pertain to the Recommendation

Policy ☒ National Observances

Procedure ☐

Constitution and /By-Laws ☐

**Current Language: (If there is no existing language place n/a in this field)**

N/A

**Recommendation:**

All chapters of Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc. celebrate National Day of Service in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. on his national holiday.

**Suggested Final Language:**

All chapters participate in a yearly activity for National Day of Service in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. on his national holiday.



Is there a financial impact? Yes ☐ or No ☒

(If the answer is 'yes' state in the rationale whether it is negative or positive and if known, the projected dollar amount)

**Rationale (If necessary, use an additional page):**

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr's birthday is listed in the National Observance Services, however our sorority does not state that all chapters must participate in an activity of service in observance of his legacy. We propose that all chapters participate in an activity for National Day of Service in honor of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. on his national holiday.

Presiding Officer Signature and Title

Presiding Grammateus Signature

Date

Kristal Armstrong, Basileus

Farrah Hawkins

6/8/2018

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**Region Action:**

Approved: No ☐ Yes ☒ # of Yes votes 93 # of No votes 2

Reason for Disapproval/Withdrawal other than votes cast: \_\_\_\_\_

Referred to: National

Presiding Officer Signature: Althea Jackson Title: RD Date: 3/23/19

Regional Recommendation Chair Almeda Alexander Region SAR

**National Board Action (if applicable):**

Approved: No ☐ Yes ☒ # of Yes votes \_\_\_\_\_ # of No votes \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for Disapproval/Withdrawal other than votes cast: \_\_\_\_\_

Referred to: \_\_\_\_\_

Supreme Basileus Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Supreme Grammateus Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

National Recommendation Chair Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_





Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Inc.  
**Recommendation Form**

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Indicate the Originator of the Recommendation

Location Tampa, FL

Chapter ☒ DELTA DELTA

Region ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

National ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

Event Chapter Meeting

Region South Atlantic

Presiding Officer & Title Erica Strange, Basileus

Type(s) of Recommendation

Check all that apply and indicate the document and page(s) that pertain to the Recommendation

Policy ☒ New Policy

Procedure ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

Constitution and /By-Laws ☐ \_\_\_\_\_

**Current Language: (If there is no existing language place n/a in this field)**

n/a

**Recommendation:**

Explore the possibility of providing childcare services at Boule for Sorors \_\_\_\_\_  
at a cost to the Sorors who will be using the services. This may possibly be \_\_\_\_\_  
done by conducting a survey from each chapter to determine the interest level \_\_\_\_\_  
Then if there is a high interest, explore cost of housing, insurance, \_\_\_\_\_  
companies and types of certification needed. \_\_\_\_\_

**Suggested Final Language:**

Childcare services will be provided at Boule at a cost to the Sorors who will \_\_\_\_\_  
be using the services. The cost will be determined for each Boule based on location and \_\_\_\_\_  
services. \_\_\_\_\_



Is there a financial impact? Yes ☒ or No ☐

(If the answer is 'yes' state in the rationale whether it is negative or positive and if known, the projected dollar amount)

**Rationale (If necessary, use an additional page):**

There are many Sorors who desire to attend Boule but are unable to due to the lack of childcare. This would help recruit women of the younger generation and also increase the number of them to be able to attend Boule since many of them don't have anyone to leave their children with to travel.  
The financial impact would probably change each Boule year due to location.

Presiding Officer Signature and Title

Erica Strange, Basileus

Presiding Grammateus Signature

Wachovia Vickers, Grammateus

Date

1/22/19

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**Region Action:**

Approved: No ☐ Yes ☒ # of Yes votes 81 # of No votes 11 # Abstain 3

Reason for Disapproval/Withdrawal other than votes cast: \_\_\_\_\_

Referred to: National Recommendations Chair

Presiding Officer Signature: Althea Jackson Title: Regional Director Date: 4-23-19

Regional Recommendation Chair Almeda Alexander Region SAR

**National Board Action (if applicable):**

Approved: No ☐ Yes ☐ # of Yes votes \_\_\_\_\_ # of No votes \_\_\_\_\_ #Abstain \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for Disapproval/Withdrawal other than votes cast: \_\_\_\_\_

Referred to: \_\_\_\_\_

Supreme Basileus Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Supreme Grammateus Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

National Recommendation Chair Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_