



**Associated Students of Western Washington University**  
Legislative Affairs Council  
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## **AS Legislative Action Fund Funding Request**

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**Name of the Event/Project/Conference:**

Washington Student Association Board and General Assembly Meeting

**Event Date:** November 16, 2013

**Location:** Central Washington University

**Estimated Number of Attendees:** 20

**Reason for Funding:**

These funds are being requested for the purpose of transportation in the form of a 12-passenger van from Enterprise and gas. Using a 12-passenger van is the most effective way to transport this many students to the WS A Board and General Assembly (GA) meeting. An AS vehicle will also be reserved to transport 8 students and funded through the AS Legislative Affairs Operational Budget. Funding for an additional vehicle was not accounted for in the Legislative Affairs budget because to my knowledge, WWU has never sent this many students to a WS A meeting. The cost is broken down into two parts: 1) the cost of the vehicle and 2) the cost of the gas.

Having 20 WWU students attend a WS A meeting is phenomenal. As members of WS A, it is important for students to have the opportunity to attend and participate in WS A meetings. This is an incredibly unique opportunity to increase student representation as well as increase student knowledge and understanding of WS A and legislative issues. This GA is unique because WS A will be passing the 2014-15 budget and the 2014 Statewide Legislative Agenda. WWU will have about 10 student names on 6 Legislative Proposals.

**Total Anticipated Expenses:**

**Vehicle:** \$150

**Gas:** \$150 (-400 miles x 10 mpg x \$3.50/gallon)

**Amount Requested from the Legislative Action Fund:** NTE \$300