

## Sigma Tau Gamma Fraternity

Founded June 28, 1920

## POLICIES

Revised by Fraternity Board of Directors, February 25, 2022

## **VOLUNTEER SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY POLICY**

Enacted by the Board of Directors, October 20, 2002

WHEREAS in Sigma Tau Gamma, true fraternalism is nurtured in an atmosphere of social and moral responsibility, respect for duly constituted authority, and loyalty to the Principles of the Fraternity; and,

WHEREAS if national volunteers, serving in an official capacity with the Fraternity or one of its affiliated alumni associations or chapters, were to consort with collegiate members in a manner that would serve to compromise the Fraternity's perceived commitment to the Principles it would be destructive to Sigma Tau Gamma fraternalism; therefore, be it,

RESOLVED that a national volunteer may not meet one-on-one with a collegiate member behind closed doors, and further,

RESOLVED that a national volunteer may not share hotel or other sleeping accommodations with a collegiate member or members, other than family members; and further,

RESOLVED that a national volunteer may not purchase or provide alcoholic beverages for any collegiate member, regardless of his age, other than when provided by a licensed third-party vendor; and further,

RESOLVED that a national volunteer may not accept the offer of an alcoholic beverage furnished by a collegiate member, regardless of his age, other than when provided by a licensed third-party vendor; and further,

RESOLVED that national volunteers shall use the highest level of good judgment when consuming alcoholic beverages in the presence of collegiate members of any age, understanding that their behavior serves as a model of responsible brotherhood; and further,

RESOLVED that while understanding that a national volunteer cannot control the behaviors of collegiate members, national volunteers shall support with their words and behavior the Member Safety & Wellness Policy (Code of Conduct) of Sigma Tau Gamma Fraternity, Inc.; and further,

RESOLVED that any national volunteer who violates this policy shall be subject to the disciplinary process of the Fraternity as described in Law 8 A, Collegiate and Alumni Member Discipline.