

# Alpha Chi Sigma Fraternity

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Brothers,

The 55<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conclave will take place at the Alpha Upsilon Chapter (Michigan State University) from July 6<sup>th</sup> to July 11<sup>th</sup> 2020. The primary purpose of Conclave is to conduct the business of the Fraternity. This business is accomplished by members of the Grand Chapter proposing, discussing, and voting on legislation that can take the form of Grand Chapter Resolutions, or changes to the Constitution and Bylaws of the Fraternity.

Although many of the actions of the Grand Chapter are developed during Conclave, there is also an opportunity to propose items for Conclave action prior to Conclave. This helps provide an avenue for the delegates from the Collegiate and Professional Chapters to discuss items before Conclave with the members of their chapters. The Constitution and Bylaws under Bylaw III Section B, 1, states that:

*“Each member of the Grand Chapter should send to the Grand Recorder, at least three months prior to the conclave, brief statements of proposals they intend to recommend for conclave action. The Grand Recorder shall summarize and send this information to all members of the Grand Chapter for consideration.”*

With that in mind, I would request that you send me any potential legislation or resolutions that you would like to be considered at Conclave. This is your opportunity to help shape our Fraternity for the good of the Brotherhood. The system works best when we have thoughtful participation by the members of the Grand Chapter.

Please send any of your proposals for action at Conclave to the Office of the Grand Recorder at [gr@alphachisigma.org](mailto:gr@alphachisigma.org) by Monday, April 6, 2020. Proposals received after April 6, 2020 will still be brought up for discussion at Conclave; however, there may not be sufficient time to distribute those proposals to the members of the Grand Chapter beforehand.

Yours in the Double Bond,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'J. Stipp'.

John N. Stipp, *Epsilon 1989, OA*  
Grand Recorder