



To My Dear Brothers of Nu Mu Lambda,

I write this letter soliciting your support for my re-election as your Financial Secretary. Upon entering this great Fraternity in the Spring of 1999, I have been financial and active serving this great Chapter in various roles. Throughout my 18 years I have served on the Executive Board working with the Chapter to ensure that we were fiscally sound. I have been responsible along with our current Treasurer, Bro. Willie Slaton IV in creating the Chapter's yearly Budget and working with Committee Chairs to make sure they work within their respective forecasts.

I have several years of experience serving as the Financial Secretary. In this role I have been able to recommend ways in which to increase chapter membership (half off yearly dues for Reclaimed Brothers) and implementing ways in which brothers can easily pay their dues by accepting credit/debit cards during chapter meetings as well as on-demand invoicing. I have created ways to effectively keep track of the membership and reporting to the National Office utilizing Alphanet. As a member of the Financial Committee, I have also found ways to reduce banking fees, increase transparency, and maintain an operating surplus.

As a Financial Planner and Portfolio Administrator, I understand the need to be a "Good Steward" of the Chapter's resources and I feel that I have proven that to this great Chapter. If chosen I will strive to make continuous improvements to our financial structure. I will also continue to work with the Reclamations Committee to help with reclamation and retention.

Brothers it would be an honor to continue to serve as your Financial Secretary for the next fraternal year.

Fraternally,

Bro. James G. Bonton
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