



Greek Life Hazing Prevention Form

2018-2019 Academic Year

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I am aware of the following facts:

1. Hazing is a felony in the State of Minnesota
2. Hazing is against the rules and regulations of the Student Code of St Cloud State University. If I am found guilty of violating these rules, I may be expelled permanently from the University.
3. Organizations that participate in hazing activities are subject to permanent disassociation from the University. I realize that the future of my organization is in jeopardy if members of my organization participate in hazing.
4. Hazing is a threat to life and personal safety
5. Hazing is a violation of the rules of common decency.
6. Hazing is outmoded, antiquated, and thoroughly unacceptable. It is a custom which has no place in today's universities.

St. Cloud State University expects that all members of all recognized student organizations will observe and fully comply with the State of Minnesota Education Code requirements on hazing. (Minnesota Education Code: **135A.155 Hazing policy**) In addition, all students are expected to adhere to regulations set forth by their respective inter/national fraternities, governing councils and the University policies concerning practices commonly referred to as hazing.

It must be understood that each pledge, new member/associate member or potential new member understands that if he/she is involved in hazing activities (is being hazed by others or participating in the hazing of another or other) then as a free individual participating in that activity, he/she may share responsibility for violation of these laws and the University policies and could be held responsible along with the chapter/Greek organization and other individuals.

Further resources can be found at HazingPrevention.org. If you need to report a hazing incident or a suspected incident contact the Greek Life Staff (AMC 134 or call 320-308-2205), Student Life and Development (AMC 219 or call 320-308-3111), Public Safety (call 320-308-3333), your organization's headquarters, or other local and state reporting authorities. A free Anti-Hazing hotline is available by calling 1-888-NOT-HAZE (800-668-4293). **If it is an emergency call 911 first.**

I pledge to prevent hazing before it occurs, stop hazing when I see it happening, report it when I know it has transpired, and help empower others to do the same in their organizations, schools, and communities.

Signature of Member

Date

Printed name _____

Name of Organization: _____