

Short Summary:

At our Chapter Annual Meeting on Thursday, April 1st; Paul Kruse had asked us to discuss the potential purchase of chapter chainsaws and accessories.

After a lengthy discussion (and a couple motions made and removed)...it was decided to wait and allow Paul to collect quotes which included, not only the saws, but extra batteries, safety equipment, extra chains, etc...

Paul provided a quote and asked the BOD to please take it up as a vote. It includes 3 chainsaws, 3 safety kits, 3 batteries and 2 chains. The total cost is \$2211.33. This includes a generous 20% discount of \$552.84.

According to our chapter policies and procedures the Board can only approve spending up to \$2000. For this reason, I would ask for a \$2000 line-item for Paul's request. If he goes over by \$211.33, it is part of a budget which is typically flexible. If we wanted to strictly enforce this proposed line-item, Paul can always use part of his \$700 work project budget since it is work project related.

ONLINE VOTE (Saturday, April 24th, 2021) - "Should GBTU create a \$2000 budget line-item for the purchase of chapter chainsaws and accessories ?"

BOD Member	Vote
Doug Seidl	Yes
Jeff Gross	Yes
John Duechert	
Gary Stoychoff	
Jose Diaz	Yes
Randy Rake	Yes
Carla Zimmerman	Yes
John Tilleman	Yes
Dave Ostanek	
Adrian Meseberg	Yes

Vote passes