



# Election and Disputes Commission Student Government George Mason University

**EDC Commissioners: Colin Sapko, Priya Sorot, Jesse Muzzy, Anthony Bedward, Sarah Jenkins, and Kourtney Miller**

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On April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017 the Elections and Disputes Commission met and decided on the grievance filed against candidates David Kanos and Kelley Dugan. Emily Sexauer, Katlyn Weiser, Caitlin Lively, Brendan Sullivan, Eric Nielson, Kiera Johnson, Clement Lupton, Zhiwei Lei, and Nick Fisch filed a report alleging that David Kanos, Kelley Dugan violated section 6.1.1. and section 6.1.3.1. of the George Mason Election Code, being as follows:

*6.1.1 No Ticket for Executive Office shall spend over \$1,000 on their Campaign.*

*6.1.3.1 Any financial costs accrued from campaign material that furthers the campaign of more than one candidate will be applied to all involved candidates spending limits.*

The grievance was heard on April 10<sup>th</sup> at 8:15 am after a request by the EDC was announced for all campaign receipts.

Commissioners Jesse Muzzy, Colin Sapko and Priya Sorot, as well as advisor Phil McDaniel were present.

The vote was to determine whether the Kanos/Dugan executive ticket exceeded their campaign spending limit. With a vote of **0-2-1**, the Election and Disputes Commission found candidates Kanos and Dugan not in violation of Section 6.1.1 of the Election Code.

**Commissioners Voting Aye:**

**Commissioners Voting Nay:** Commissioner Muzzy, Commissioner Sorot

**Commissioners Abstaining:** Chair Sapko