R.B. Deal Fund Description

On 4 March 2015 Chair Ron Smith sent the following to the Executive Committee.

An issue has come up dealing with the R.B. Deal fund. We are needing to write a description of how these funds will be used. This description will need to be approved by the national office for us to distribute to our section membership. In order to prepare this letter, we need to decide exactly what the funds will be used to support.

We have the following options:

Option A: The R.B. Deal Fund will be used to pay for expenses incurred for a lecturer to present in years where we do not have a Polya or Editor Lecture. The student oral presentation awards at the annual Section Meeting will be renamed to honor R.B. Deal, but will still be paid from section funds.

Option B: The R.B. Deal Fund will be used to pay for expenses incurred for a lecturer to present in years where we do not have a Polya or Editor Lecture and to pay for the first place award in the student oral presentation awards at the annual Section Meeting, which will be named in honor of R.B. Deal.

If you have another recommendation to these options, then please let us know or vote for one of these.

Thank you,

Ron

The votes below were tabulated and recorded by Secretary Anita Walker on 4 March 2015.

• Results

- Option A received 8 votes
- Option B received 0 votes
- Option A is approved with the following wording: The R.B. Deal Fund will be used to pay for expenses incurred by a member of the Oklahoma-Arkansas Section to present an invited address at the Annual Section Meeting. This will occur in years when there is no Polya Lecture and no Editor Lecture. The student oral presentation awards at the annual Section Meeting will be renamed to honor R.B. Deal but they will still be paid from section funds.