NEVADA STUDENT ALLIANCE (NSA)

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October 8, 2012
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UNLV SCS 102
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ROLL CALL:  Mr. Michael Gordon, Chair
Mr. Orion Cuffe, Vice Chair
Mr. Travis Brown, ASCSN
Mr. Curtis Blackwell, ASWN
Ms. Kathy Bywaters, GRAD
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Mr. Navgeet Zed, TMCC SGA

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1. DISCUSSION WITH CHANCELLOR KLAICH

NSHE Chancellor Daniel J. Klaich will discuss with the students their aspirations and concerns for each institution and the higher education system.

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

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3. NEW BUSINESS

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1. PUBLIC COMMENT

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2. APPOINTMENT OF A SECRETARY FOR THE MEETING/ROLL CALL

The NSA Chair will appoint a secretary to take minutes for the meeting. Secretary will take roll call.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Request is made for the approval of the minutes for September 6 and 7.

4. FUTURE MONTHLY MEETINGS WITH CHANCELLOR

Members will discuss changes to the existing 2012 schedule as well as potential dates to be scheduled for calendar year 2013, pending approval by Chancellor Dan Klaich.

5. NSA NEWSLETTER

TMCC Student Body President Navgeet Zed will provide an update to the group regarding plans for a second newsletter. Members will update the group on how they distributed the first newsletter with their constituents.

6. NSA CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION
NSA Members will discuss potential constitutional revisions to be pursued in the coming year, including the possibility of creating an ad-hoc committee to work on any recommended revisions.

7. **NSA AWARENESS**

   NSA members will receive an update from Vice Chair Orion Cuffe on plans for an education lobby day in Carson City for the 77th Regular Session of the Nevada Legislature.

8. **LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE FUNDING OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

   NSA members will discuss the final meeting of the Legislative Committee to Study the Funding of Higher Education and expected next steps by the Legislature.

9. **STUDENT REGENT**

   NSA members will discuss Bill Draft Resolution 201, which “proposes to amend the Nevada Constitution to add a member to the Board of Regents of the University of Nevada who is a student within the System.”

10. **VOTER REGISTRATION LINK**

    NSA members will report on action taken for a voter registration link to be placed on their institutional websites.

11. **WEAPONS POLICY**

    NSA Members will discuss the weapons policy approved by the Board of Regents at its September 2012 meeting.

12. **NSA LOGO**

    NSA members will consider whether there is a desire by the group to develop a logo. An ad-hoc committee will be created if deemed necessary.

13. **NSA FUNDING**

    NSA members will discuss funding for the NSA, including the possibility of raising funds to support the NSA and its actions.

14. **SCHEDULING ADDITIONAL MEETINGS**

    Members will discuss plans to meet for dinner on November 28 (prior to the next regular Board of Regents Meeting) and again after the first day of meetings on November 29. Proposed time and location for November 28: 7:00 PM @ the Crown & Anchor Pub on Tropicana (Las Vegas).

13. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

    Public comment will be allowed. However, no action may be taken on a matter raised under this item until the matter is included on an agenda as an item on which action may be taken.
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