

NEVADA STUDENT ALLIANCE (NSA)

REVISED

September 6, 2012

Time 7:15 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.

Truckee Meadows Community College

Red Mountain Building, Room 122

ROLL CALL: **Mr. Michael Gordon, UNLV GPSA, Chair**
 Mr. Orion Cuffe, UNR GSA, Vice Chair
 Mr. Travis Brown, ASCSN
 Mr. Curtis Blackwell, ASWN
 Ms. Kathy Bywaters, DRI GRAD
 Mr. Mark Ciovola, CSUN
 Mr. Deuvall Dorsey, NSSA
 Mr. Alex Porter, GBC SGA
 Mr. Huili Weinstock, ASUN
 Mr. Naveet Zed, TMCC SGA

NOTE: Below is an agenda of all items scheduled to be considered. Unless otherwise stated, items may be taken out of the order presented at the discretion of the chair. Reasonable efforts will be made to assist and accommodate physically handicapped persons attending the meeting. Please call the NSHE Academic and Student Affairs office at (775) 784-3443 in advance so that arrangements may be made.

1. PUBLIC COMMENT **INFORMATION**

Public comment will be taken during this agenda item. 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.

2. APPOINTMENT OF A SECRETARY FOR THE MEETING **INFORMATION**

As permitted by the NSA Constitution, the NSA Chair will appoint a secretary to take minutes for the meeting.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES **FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

Request is made for the approval of the minutes for August 13, 2012.

4. NSHE E-LEARNING PROJECT **INFORMATION**

The Chancellor has contracted with Richard N. Katz & Associates, an international consulting firm for higher education technology, to assist NSHE in planning our future in an e-learning world. The project will focus on the delivery of instruction to Nevadans away from your campuses and look for better, more efficient ways to serve our state. Dr. Katz and his associates will provide an overview of plans for his team and NSHE institutions over the next five months as they come to Nevada. An NSHE E-Learning Steering Committee will provide leadership and support for the team's efforts. GBC Student Body President Alex Porter is the student representative on the steering committee.

5. NSA NEWSLETTER **FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

TMCC Student Body President Naveet Zed will provide an update on the status of the NSA Newsletter.

6. NSA CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION **FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

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 GOALS FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

NSA members will discuss and approve their goals for the coming year.

8. NSHE STUDENT REGENT INFORMATION

At its August 16, 2012 meeting the Nevada Legislative Committee on Education agreed to “adopt a Joint Resolution that would amend Nevada’s Constitution to provide for a voting student member of the Board of Regents of the University of Nevada. The Board of Regents shall select the student member from a list of names submitted by each NSHE institution. Each institution of the NSHE may submit up to three names, as decided by each institution“ (language taken from Committee Work Session Document, available online). Work on this proposal was originally undertaken by ASUN. An update will be provided by ASUN Chair Huili Weinstock.

9. VOTER REGISTRATION LINK FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

NSA members will discuss the possibility of advocating with the NSHE institutions and their student governments for a voter registration link to be placed on all institutional websites. A subcommittee will be appointed if deemed necessary to accomplish this goal.

10. WEAPONS POLICY FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

NSA members will discuss the proposed weapons policy, which is agenda item #23 on the main Board agenda for the current (September 6-7) Board of Regents meeting.

11. NSA AWARENESS FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

NSA members will discuss an education lobby day in Carson City for the 77th Regular Session of the Nevada Legislature

12. PUBLIC COMMENT INFORMATION

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.

13. NEW BUSINESS INFORMATION

Items for consideration at future meetings may be suggested. Any discussion of an item under “New Business” is limited to description and clarification of the subject matter of the item, which may include the reasons for the request.

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CSN, Building D, 1st Floor, 6375 W. Charleston Blvd., Las Vegas, NV 89146-1124

DRI, Maxey Building, 2215 Raggio Parkway, Reno, NV 89512-1095

DRI, Southern Nevada Science Center, 755 E. Flamingo Road, Las Vegas, NV 89119-7363

GBC, Berg Hall, 1500 College Parkway, Elko, NV 89801

NSC, Great Hall, 1125 Nevada State Drive, Henderson, NV 89015

TMCC, Red Mountain Building (RDMT 200) 7000 Dandini Blvd. Reno, NV 89512

UNLV, Flora Dungan Humanities 9 (FDH), 1st and 7th Floors, 4505 Marlyand Parkway, Las Vegas, NV 89154-1001

UNR, Clark Administration, University of Nevada, Reno, Reno, NV 89557

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WNC, Bristlecone Building Lobby, 2201 W. College Parkway, Carson City, NV 89703

System Administration, 5550 W. Flamingo, Suite C-1, Las Vegas NV 89103

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