NEVADA STUDENT ALLIANCE (NSA)

June 5, 2014
7:00 a.m. – 7:45 a.m.
Truckee Meadows Community College
7000 Dandini Boulevard
Reno, NV 89512
Red Mountain Building, Room 122

ROLL CALL: Mr. Elias Benjelloun, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, CSUN

Ms. RJ Boyajian, University of Nevada, Reno, GSA

Mr. David Cortez-Lopez, Nevada State College, NSSA

Mr. Angelo DePerez, Western Nevada College, ASWN

Mr. William McCurdy, College of Southern Nevada, ASCSN

Mr. Jake Pereira, University of Nevada, Reno, ASUN

Mrs. Stephanie Prevost, Truckee Meadows Community College, SGA

Ms. DeMarynee Saili, Great Basin College, SGA

Ms. Sharon Young, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, GPSA

Desert Research Institute, GRAD

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE AGENDA AND PUBLIC MEETING

NOTE: Below is an agenda of all items scheduled to be considered. Notification is hereby provided that items on the agenda may be taken out of the order presented, two or more agenda items may be combined for consideration, and an agenda item may be removed from the agenda or discussion relating to an item on the agenda may be delayed at any time.

In accordance with NRS 241.020(6), supporting materials that are submitted to the Nevada System of Higher Education (NSHE) Office of Academic and Student Affairs will be made available in advance of the meeting as follows: 1) from the NSHE Office of Academic and Student Affairs by calling Sally Jackson at (775) 784-3443 or emailing her at Sally_Jackson@nshe.nevada.edu; or, 2) by accessing the electronic version of the agenda posted on the NSA page of the NSHE website:

http://www.nevada.edu/studentgov/

In additional, a limited number of copies of any such supporting materials will be available at the meeting site.

Reasonable efforts will be made to assist and accommodate physically disabled persons attending the meeting. Please call the Academic & Student Affairs Office in advance at (775) 784-3443 or (775) 784-3447 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. Comments will be limited to three minutes per person. Persons making comment will be asked to begin by stating their name for the record and to spell their last name. The NSA Chair may elect to allow additional public comment on a specific agenda item when that agenda item is being considered.

In accordance with Attorney General Opinion No. 00-047, as restated in the Attorney General's Open Meeting Law Manual, the NSA Chair may prohibit comment if the content of that comment is a topic that is not relevant to, or within the authority of, the NSA, or if the content is willfully disruptive of the meeting by being irrelevant, repetitious, slanderous, offensive, inflammatory, irrational or amounting to personal attacks or interfering with the rights of other speakers.

2. WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS

INFORMATION

Outgoing 2013-14 NSA Chair Alex Porter will welcome the new members to their first meeting.

3. ELECTION OF NEW OFFICERS

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

NSHE Director of Student Affairs and NSA Adviser Renée Davis will introduce herself to the group and open up the floor for nominations for the three 2014-15 NSA officers: chair, vice chair and secretary. Candidates for each office must be elected by at least two-thirds of voting representatives at this (the first) meeting. No member institution may hold consecutive terms in the same office. Chair and Vice-chair cannot be from the same member institution.

4. OPEN MEETING LAW

INFORMATION

Vice Chancellor for Legal Affairs Brooke Nielsen will provide a briefing to NSA members regarding Open Meeting Law.

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Request is made for the approval of the minutes for NSA meetings held on April 14, April 30 and May 12, 2014.

6. NSA CHAIR'S REPORT

INFORMATION

NSA members will discuss the contents of the Chair Report that will be delivered to the Board of Regents on June 5, 2014.

7. NSA REPRESENTATION ON NSHE COMMITTEES

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

2013-14 NSA Chair Alex Porter will describe his activities over the last year on two NSHE committees: E-Learning Task Force and ad hoc Institutional Service Areas Committee. The newly elected NSA chair will request nominations or volunteers to serve on each of these committees. The E-Learning Task Force nominee must be an undergraduate student at one of the NSHE institutions and a recommendation will be sent to Chancellor Dan Klaich for his decision. The nominee for the ad hoc Institutional Service Area Committee must be a community college student and a recommendation will be sent to Board Chair Kevin Page for his decision.

8. 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.

9. 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. Comments will be limited to three minutes per person. Persons making comment will be asked to begin by stating their name for the record and to spell their last name. The NSA Chair may elect to allow additional public comment on a specific agenda item when that agenda item is being considered.

In accordance with Attorney General Opinion No. 00-047, as restated in the Attorney General's Open Meeting Law Manual, the NSA Chair may prohibit comment if the content of that comment is a topic that is not relevant to, or within the authority of, the NSA, or if the content is willfully disruptive of the meeting by being irrelevant, repetitious, slanderous, offensive, inflammatory, irrational or amounting to personal attacks or interfering with the rights of other speakers.

Posted in accordance with Nevada Open Meeting Law (NRS Ch. 241) at the following locations:

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

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

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

System Administration, 2601 Enterprise Road, Reno, NV 89512

Nevada Public Notice Website - https://notice.nv.gov