

# NEVADA STUDENT ALLIANCE (NSA) AGENDA August 10, 2017 4:00 p.m.

Nevada System of Higher Education (NSHE) Reno System Administration Building, Room 134 2601 Enterprise Road Reno, NV 89512

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ROLL CALL: Ms. Kanani Espinoza, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, GPSA (NSA Chair)

Ms. Kimberly Tran, Truckee Meadows Community College, SGA (NSA Vice Chair)

Mr. Christopher Roys, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, CSUN (Secretary)

Ms. Christina Barron, Nevada State College, NSSA

Ms. Tania Covarrubias, Western Nevada College, ASWN Mr. Sandesh Kannan, University of Nevada, Reno, GSA

Ms. Becky Linville, Great Basin College, SGA

Ms. Kathleen Rodrigues, Desert Research Institute, GRAD Mr. Noah Teixeira, University of Nevada, Reno, ASUN Ms. Elizabeth Zuniga, College of Southern Nevada, ASCSN

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE AGENDA AND PUBLIC MEETING

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## 1. ROLL CALL

NSA Secretary Christopher Roys will take roll call of members and ask guests at each of the video sites to identify themselves so their names may be recorded in the minutes.

## 2. 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.

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### 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Request is made for approval of the minutes for the NSA meetings held on June 8, 2017.

#### 4. DISCUSSION WITH CHANCELLOR

**INFORMATION** 

NSA members will meet with NSHE Chancellor Thom Reilly. They will discuss aspirations and concerns for each institution and the higher education system.

## 5. 2018 NSA MEETING DATES & TIMES

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

NSA Chair Kanani Espinoza will request feedback from members on potential NSA video conference dates and times for Calendar Year 2018, specifically whether or not the meetings should be moved from 4:00 p.m. on the second Thursday in January, February, April, May, July, August, October and November. Members may choose to keep the existing meeting pattern for 2018, change the day of the month and time, and/or eliminate meetings during specific months. Since the NSHE Chancellor is invited to these meetings, members may also choose to create a ranked list of potential meeting times that will be shared with the Chancellor for compatibility with his schedule.

## 6. NSA NEWSLETTER

**INFORMATION** 

NSA Vice Chair Kimberly Tran will provide information to members on writing assignments, deadlines, and work accomplished to date on the NSA newsletter for 2017-18.

## 7. DISCUSSION ON SYSTEM-WIDE INITIATIVES & GOALS

**INFORMATION** 

NSA Chair Kanani Espinoza will lead an open discussion on goals the student body presidents have for their terms of office and possible system-wide initiatives and goals that the Alliance may wish to adopt. If there is an appetite by members to adopt common Alliance goals, one or more action items may be added to future agendas for further discussion and decision.

### 8. MEMBER REPORTS

**INFORMATION** 

NSA members will each be invited to provide an update on current and planned events, initiatives and other activities or actions taking place on their campuses and within their student government organizations.

## 9. **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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GBC, Berg Hall, 1500 College Parkway, Elko, NV 89801

NSC, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Rogers Student Center, 1021 Paradise Hills Drive, Henderson NV 89002

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

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

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