

**BOARD OF REGENTS* and its
COMMUNITY COLLEGE COMMITTEE
NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION**
System Administration, Las Vegas
4300 South Maryland Parkway, Board Room
Wednesday, September 2, 2015, 8:30 a.m.

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System Administration, Reno
2601 Enterprise Road, Conference Room
and
Great Basin College, Elko
1500 College Parkway, Berg Hall Conference Room

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BOARD

ROLL CALL:

Mr. Rick Trachok, Chairman	_____
Mr. Michael B. Wixom, Vice Chairman	_____
Dr. Andrea Anderson	_____
Mr. Cedric Crear	_____
Mr. Robert Davidson	_____
Dr. Mark W. Doubrava	_____
Dr. Jason Geddes	_____
Mr. Trevor Hayes	_____
Mr. James Dean Leavitt	_____
Mr. Sam Lieberman	_____
Mr. Kevin C. Melcher	_____
Mr. Kevin J. Page	_____
Ms. Allison Stephens	_____

COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL:

Dr. Andrea Anderson, Chair	_____
Mr. Kevin C. Melcher, Vice Chair	_____
Mr. Robert Davidson	_____
Dr. Jason Geddes	_____
Mr. Sam Lieberman	_____
Ms. Allison Stephens	_____

In addition to the Community College Committee, this meeting is noticed as a meeting of the Board of Regents to allow other Regents who may wish to attend to participate.

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 the Board of Regents' Bylaws, Title I, Article V, Section 20, items voted on may be the subject of a motion to reconsider at this meeting. A motion to reconsider an item may be made at any time before adjournment of this meeting. Similarly, if an item is tabled at any time during the meeting, it may, by proper motion and vote, be taken from the table and thereafter be the subject of consideration and action at any time before adjournment of this meeting.

* The Board's Committee meetings take place in accordance with the agendas published for those Committees. Regents who are not members of the Committees may attend the Committee meetings and participate in the discussion of Committee agenda items. However, action items will only be voted on by the members of each Committee, unless a Regent is temporarily made a member of that Committee under Board of Regents' Bylaws, Title 1, Article VI, Section 6. The full Board of Regents will consider Committee action items in accordance with the Board of Regents' agenda published for the current or for a subsequent meeting.

In accordance with the Board of Regents' Bylaws, Title 1, Art. V, Section 13, a quorum may be gained by telephonic hookup.

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1. PUBLIC COMMENT

INFORMATION ONLY

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 Committee 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 Chair may prohibit comment if the content of that comment is a topic that is not relevant to, or within the authority of, the Board of Regents, 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. MINUTES

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Request is made for approval of the minutes from the June 4, 2015, meeting. ([Ref. CC-2](#))

ESTIMATED TIME: 5 mins.

**3. INSTITUTIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL
MEETINGS**

INFORMATION ONLY

Each Community College's Institutional Advisory Council meets at least quarterly to review and advise the community college on questions regarding the operations and offerings of the college. The purpose of the Institutional Advisory Councils is to ensure the linkage of each community college to the community it serves and to anticipate future regional educational trends. Each community college president and institutional advisory council chair (or designee) will provide a report on the discussions and actions from their most recent meeting(s) held between June 4, 2015, and September 1, 2015.

ESTIMATED TIME: 60 mins.

4. COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROGRAMS SERVING SECONDARY STUDENTS **INFORMATION ONLY**

Each community college will provide a report on the status of special programs such as Jump Start, community college high schools and other dual credit or advanced placement programs serving secondary schools/students.

ESTIMATED TIME: 30 mins.

5. COMMUNITY COLLEGE CAMPUS UPDATES **INFORMATION ONLY**

Each community college president will provide the Committee with campus related updates on community college initiatives concerning student success, higher education trends and workforce development that have occurred since the Committee's last regular meeting.

ESTIMATED TIME: 30 mins.

6. NEVADA COLLEGE COLLABORATIVE **INFORMATION ONLY**

The Nevada College Collaborative is an initiative to provide college leadership with mechanisms to allow talent sharing, shared purchasing power and shared services. Executive Director Frank R. Woodbeck will report on the progress of Nevada College Collaborative initiatives, including grants, shared services and inter-agency collaboration.

ESTIMATED TIME: 15 mins.

7. BURNING GLASS TECHNOLOGIES **INFORMATION ONLY**

Chief Economist Bill Anderson, Department of Employment Training and Rehabilitation, will demonstrate modules available to community colleges as a result of the collaborative acquisition of the Burning Glass Technologies system, to be known as Silver State Solutions.

ESTIMATED TIME: 30 mins.

**8. INSTITUTIONAL ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR POSSIBLE ACTION
GUIDELINES**

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ESTIMATED TIME: 15 mins.

9. FEDERAL “AMERICA’S COLLEGE PROMISE ACT OF 2015” AND SIMILAR STATE INITIATIVES INFORMATION ONLY

The Committee and community college presidents will discuss the “America’s College Promise Act of 2015” (H.R. 2962) introduced in Congress on July 8, 2015, to gain an initial understanding of the bill and its potential impact if enacted in some form. This measure would establish a federally funded program to provide tuition-free access to community colleges for all citizens, for two years, under certain performance parameters. The Committee will discuss the “free community college” concept adopted by several states using state-originated plans and the potential for such programs of college affordability in Nevada. ([Ref. CC-9](#))

ESTIMATED TIME: 30 mins.

10. NEW BUSINESS INFORMATION ONLY

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.

ESTIMATED TIME: 5 mins.

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