SPECIAL MEETING
BOARD OF REGENTS
NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Thursday, April 29, 2021, 1:00 p.m.

THIS MEETING WILL BE HELD VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE AND TELECONFERENCE ONLY PURSUANT TO SECTION 1 OF THE DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY DIRECTIVE 006 (“DIRECTIVE 006”), AND EXTENDED THROUGH CURRENT DIRECTIVE 043, ISSUED BY THE STATE OF NEVADA EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. THERE WILL BE NO PHYSICAL LOCATION FOR THE MEETING.

PUBLIC COMMENT MAY BE SUBMITTED VIA THE ONLINE PUBLIC COMMENT FORM (http://nshe.nevada.edu/public-comment/) OR VOICEMAIL (702-800-4705 or 775-300-7661). MESSAGES RECEIVED BY 8:00 PM ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28, 2021, MAY BE ENTERED INTO THE RECORD DURING THE MEETING. ANY OTHER PUBLIC COMMENT FORM SUBMISSIONS AND/OR VOICEMAILS RECEIVED PRIOR TO THE ADJOURNMENT OF THE MEETING WILL BE TRANSCRIBED AND INCLUDED IN THE PERMANENT RECORD.

MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC WISHING TO VIEW THE MEETING MAY DO SO VIA LIVE STREAM (http://nshe.nevada.edu/live/).

ROLL CALL:

Dr. Mark W. Doubrava, Chair
Mrs. Carol Del Carlo, Vice Chair
Mr. Joseph C. Arrascada
Mr. Patrick J. Boylan
Mr. Byron Brooks
Dr. Patrick R. Carter
Ms. Amy J. Carvalho
Dr. Jason Geddes
Mrs. Cathy McAdoo
Mr. Donald Sylvantee McMichael Sr.
Mr. John T. Moran
Ms. Laura E. Perkins
Dr. Lois Tarkanian

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, including moving an item to a different day if the meeting is noticed for more than one day, 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 18, 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.

In accordance with the Board of Regents’ Bylaws, Title I, Article V, Section 12, a quorum may be gained by telephone hookup.
Some agenda items are noted as having accompanying reference material. Reference material may be accessed on the electronic version of the agenda by clicking the reference link associated with a particular item. The agenda and associated reference material may also be accessed on the Internet by visiting the Board of Regents’ website at: https://nshe.nevada.edu/leadership-policy/board-of-regents/meeting-agendas/

Pursuant to Section 5 of Directive 006, and extended through current Directive 043, the requirement contained in NRS 241.020(3)(c) that physical locations be available for the public to receive supporting material for public meetings has been suspended. Pursuant to Section 6 of Directive 006, and extended through current Directive 043, copies of the reference material and any additional support materials that are submitted to the Board of Regents’ Office and then distributed to the members of the Board of Regents after the posting of this agenda but before the meeting, will be made available upon request by calling Keri Nikolajewski at (702) 889-8426.

Reasonable efforts will be made to assist and accommodate physically disabled persons to participate in the meeting. Please call the Board Office at (702) 889-8426 in advance so that arrangements may be made.

**CALL TO ORDER – ROLL CALL**

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

1. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

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 two minutes per person.

Pursuant to Section 2 of Directive 006, and extended through current Directive 043, members of the public may participate in the meeting without being physically present by submitting public comment via the online Public Comment Form (http://nshe.nevada.edu/public-comment/) or voicemail (702-800-4705 or 775-300-7661). Messages received by 8:00 PM on Wednesday, April 28, 2021, may be entered into the record during the meeting. Any other Public Comment Form submissions and/or voicemails received prior to the adjournment of the meeting will be transcribed and included in the permanent record. Persons making comment are asked to begin by stating their name for the record and to spell their last name. The Board 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 Board 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.  **CHANCELLOR’S REPORT**  

Chancellor Melody Rose will report to the Board concerning ongoing planning activities and major projects within the NSHE.

*ESTIMATED TIME: 5 mins.*

3.  **BOARD CHAIR’S REPORT**  

Chair Mark W. Doubrava will discuss issues related to NSHE and his activities as Board Chair.

*ESTIMATED TIME: 5 mins.*

4.  **APPOINTMENT, NEVADA STATE COLLEGE PRESIDENT**  

Pending a potential recommendation of the Regents’ ad hoc NSC President Search Committee that may result from its April 28-29, 2021, meeting, the Board will consider the appointment of one of the following individuals as the next President of Nevada State College:

- Hubert Benitez, D.D.S., Ph.D. *(Ref. BOR-4a)*
- Susan E. Borrego, Ph.D. *(Ref. BOR-4b)*
- Shari G. McMahan, Ph.D. *(Ref. BOR-4c)*
- DeRionne P. Pollard, Ph.D. *(Ref. BOR-4d)*

The proposed salary and contract terms will also be considered for approval. If the Board determines not to appoint a nominee recommended by the Committee, the Board may direct the Committee to continue the search process and to recommend an additional nominee or nominees for consideration by the Board at a future meeting.

*ESTIMATED TIME: 30 mins.*

5.  **FIRST AMENDMENT TO THE JOINT USE AGREEMENT, UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA, LAS VEGAS**  

UNLV President Keith E. Whitfield will request approval of the First Amendment to the Joint Use Agreement (JUA) between UNLV and the Las Vegas Raiders, which would extend the term of the master lease from 30 years to 31 years. The JUA allows the UNLV football team to use Allegiant Stadium alongside the Raiders. *(Refs. BOR-5a and BOR-5b)*

*ESTIMATED TIME: 15 mins.*
6. **AFFILIATION AGREEMENT WITH RENOWN HEALTH, UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA, RENO AND UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA, RENO SCHOOL OF MEDICINE**

UNR President Brian Sandoval will present information and discuss the Affiliation Agreement with Renown Health. *(Refs. BOR-6a and BOR-6b)*

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The Affiliation Agreement includes various fiscal obligations by and between UNR Med and Renown. These are outlined in the attached summary and described in detail in Schedule 8.2 of the Affiliation Agreement, Exhibit A.

**ESTIMATED TIME:** 45 mins.

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7. **NEW BUSINESS**

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, and no substantive discussion may occur at this meeting on new business items in accordance with the Nevada Open Meeting Law (NRS 241.010 *et seq*.).

**ESTIMATED TIME:** 5 mins.

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8. PUBLIC COMMENT – (continued)  INFORMATION ONLY

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PURSUANT TO SECTION 3 OF DIRECTIVE 006, AND EXTENDED THROUGH CURRENT DIRECTIVE 043, THE REQUIREMENTS CONTAINED IN NRS 241.020(4)(a) THAT PUBLIC NOTICE AGENDAS BE POSTED AT PHYSICAL LOCATIONS WITHIN THE STATE OF NEVADA HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 4 OF DIRECTIVE 006, AND EXTENDED THROUGH CURRENT DIRECTIVE 043, THIS AGENDA HAS BEEN ELECTRONICALLY POSTED ON THE NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION WEBSITE (http://system.nevada.edu/) AND ON THE NEVADA PUBLIC NOTICE WEBSITE (http://notice.nv.gov/) IN ACCORDANCE WITH NRS 232.2175.