



Classified Council General Meeting Minutes

Date: Friday, May 21st, 2021, 10:30am

Location: Blue Jeans Teleconference ONLY - <https://bluejeans.com/454662141?src=calendarLink>

Call Meeting to Order – Joe Micke - 10:30am

Roll Call: Joe Micke, Tasha Storla, Cindy Holt, Laurie Adams, Lisa Nielsen, Charles Brown, Cheyenne Stocks, Amparo Chaidez, Shemayne Pitts, Cynthia Giles, Heather Hill, Dawn Bartlett, Dori Andrepont, Deanna Hamilton, Louellen Monte, Julie Martinez.

Approval of Minutes: Motion to approve April 16th, 2021 minutes: Cheyenne Stocks, Second: Shemayne Pitts. Motion passes unanimously.

Treasurer's Report: Laurie Adams confirmed there is no change to the treasurer's report this month.

Site Reports: POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS

- Ely:** Julie Martinez: Spring finals week activities. Ely Campus Nursing has completed their first year. Ely will be interviewing for a new Buildings and Grounds employee.
- Winnemucca:** Heather Hill: Winnemucca Campus Health Sciences building is under construction.
- Battle Mtn:** N/A
- Pahrump:** Louellen Monte: Spring finals week is underway.
- Elko:** Tasha Storla: Congratulations to Cynthia Giles on upcoming retirement. Virtual Graduation 2020-21 is Saturday, May 22nd, 12:00pm. Due to new carpet installation in Lundberg, Media Services will be closed July 5th-16th.

Committee Reports: POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS

- Bylaws:** *Chairperson: Open:* This spot is open to a volunteer.
- Events/Fundraisers:** *Chairperson: Cheyenne Stocks:*
- Webpage:** *Chairperson: Cindy Holt:*
- Grant-in-Aid:** *Chairperson: Sheree Beard:*
- Hospitality/Awards:** *Chairperson: Teresa Campos:*
- Scholarship:** *Chairperson: Shemayne Pitts:* The Tony Salvatierra Scholarship winner for 2021-2022 is Jennifer Bingham, Elko Campus, NUR-AAS major. Thanks go out to Sheree Beard and Louellen Monte for their work as part of the scholarship committee and to the Classified Council for their continued support of the Scholarship.

New Business: INFORMATION ONLY:

1. Faculty Senate Update:
 - o No update.
2. Announce 2021-22 Classified Council Executive Board Members:
 - Co-Chair: Tasha Storla
 - Co-Chair: Louellen Monte
 - Vice Chair: Cheyenne Stocks
 - Secretary: Cindy Holt
 - Treasurer: Deanna Hamilton

POSSIBLE ACTION ITEMS:

1. Vote on Outstanding Classified Staff monetary award amount of \$150.

- Joe Micke has verified that other NSHE institution's Classified Council's provide a monetary award for their Outstanding Classified Staff recipients. GBC's Classified Council proposes a \$150 award with a potential matching amount from GBC's President's Office. Sonja Sibert is meeting with President Helens today (5/21/21) on behalf of Classified Council with this request. Discussion of facilitating a separate monetary award (versus splitting the total award amount) for each recipient in the event of a tie. Motion to approve \$150 monetary award for Outstanding Classified Award, with separate monetary award for each recipient in the event of a tie: Tasha Storla, Second: Louellen Monte. Motion passes unanimously.
- 2. Vote on Outstanding Classified Staff trophy purchase cost of approximately \$50.
 - Joe Micke shared screen of examples of an acrylic trophy for Outstanding Classified Staff Award. Joe proposed a change in budget for purchase cost of 2 trophies (a tie for 2020-21 winners) from \$50 to \$100. Motion to approve \$100: Cheyenne Stocks, Second: Cynthia Giles. Motion passes unanimously.
- 3. Discuss Tony Salvatierra Scholarship Fundraiser ideas.
 - Krispy Kreme Fundraiser. Cheyenne Stocks will research fundraising process with tentative timeframe of fundraiser for Fall 2021.
 - Virtual Auction with White Elephant/Mystery Box theme. Could possibly tie in with October/Halloween.
- 4. Cynthia Giles retirement from GBC. Volunteers for Webpage Chairperson beginning in July.
 - Congratulations to Cynthia Giles for 30+ years of service to Great Basin College. Plans for retirement include Cynthia's hobby of quilting. Cynthia is planning a GBC T-shirt quilt to be completed for Classified Council to auction for fundraising purposes. Cindy Holt volunteered for Webpage Committee.

Public Comment:

- Dori Andrepont noted that criteria for eligibility for the NSHE Outstanding Classified Staff Award excludes prior recipients of the GBC Outstanding Classified Staff Award. She proposed a review of GBC's criteria for Outstanding Classified Staff to enable GBC classified staff to participate equitably in NSHE Outstanding Classified Staff Award eligibility.
- Shemayne Pitts and others thanked Joe Micke for his years of leadership on GBC Classified Council.

Next Meeting: Friday, June 18th, 2021 – 10:30am, Blue Jeans:
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Adjourn: Joe Micke – 11:02am