



STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION (SGA)

MINUTES

April 21, 2026

3:00 PM

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER AT 3:00 PM

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EXECUTIVE MEMBERS:

**STORM RAINE, PRESIDENT PRESENT
JULIA STOKES, VICE PRESIDENT PRESENT
DENIELLE KIRKMAN, SECRETARY PRESENT**

SENATORS:

**IAN MITCHEL, ELKO PRESENT
MUHAMMED SALIKHOV, ELKO PRESENT
YULIANA MENDEZ-BARAJAS, ELKO PRESENT
JULIAN SOSA, ELKO PRESENT
DIVINE JACOBSON, ELKO PRESENT
DAVID BERNADINO-LOPEZ, ELKO PRESENT
ELIZABETH NASH, ELY PRESENT
CATHERINE HANSON, ELY ABSENT
CATHERINE COLE, ONLINE ABSENT EXCUSED
TERILYN MARINO, ONLINE ABSENT
SOFIA MAYORGA, WINNEMUCCA PRESENT
DIEGO ESQUIVEL, WINNEMUCCA PRESENT
CALVIN COWAN, PAHRUMP PRESENT
AVA COFFILL, PAHRUMP ABSENT**

GUESTS:

**NORM WITTAKER- CTE PROFESSOR ELKO
JESSICA ORTIZ- STUDENT LIFE COORDINATOR**

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.

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1. ROLL CALL

- Roll call of members and any persons serving as a proxy for a member will be taken.

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

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NONE

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

POSSIBLE ACTION

A Request is made for approval of the GBC SGA Agenda for the meeting on 4/21/2026.

VICE PRESIDENT STOKES MOTIONS TO APPROVE. SENATOR MAYORGA SECONDS. MOTION PASSES UNANIMOUSLY.

4. APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

POSSIBLE ACTION

A Request is made for approval of the GBC SGA Minutes for the meeting on 4/14/2026.

SENATOR SOSA MOTIONS TO APPROVE. SECRETARY KIRKMAN SECONDS. SENATOR MENDEZ ABSTAINS. MOTION PASSES UNANIMOUSLY.

5. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

INFORMATION ONLY

SGA PRESIDENT RAINE will discuss current SGA events and activities as SGA President PRESIDENT MENTIONED HE HAS BEEN BUSY. THERE ARE A LOT OF THINGS THAT ARE COMING UP ON THE HORIZON, AND THERE HAVE BEEN SOME QUESTIONS ABOUT THINGS HAPPENING WITH SGA. AS WE ARE GOING FORWARD, A LOT OF THESE THINGS ARE HAPPENING WITH GOOD INTENTIONS. AS WE MOVE FORWARD, HE HOPES WE CAN WORK TOGETHER TO MAKE IT A GOOD YEAR. WITH UPCOMING FINALS, WE NEED TO STAY DILIGENT. PUSH FORWARD AND KEEP STRONG. HOPEFULLY THE COMMITTEES CAN WRAP UP THEIR WORK.

6. VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

INFORMATION ONLY

SGA VICE PRESIDENT STOKES will discuss current SGA events and activities as SGA Vice President. VICE PRESIDENT STOKES MENTIONED THE BUDGET SHE HAS RIGHT NOW. IF THERE HAS BEEN MONEY SPENT, THE BUDGET DOES NOT REFLECT THAT, AS SHE HAS NOT RECEIVED ANY RECEIPTS BACK YET. ELY HAS \$11,269. PAHRUMP HAS \$16,645. WINNEMUCCA HAS \$10,316. WE ARE APPROACHING A VERY ALARMING DEADLINE. IF YOU NEED HELP GETTING IT SPENT, PLEASE LET HER KNOW. SHE IS MISSING POLO SIZES FROM YULIANA, JULIAN, DIVINE, CATHY COLE, CATHY HANSON, AND AVA COFFILL. GENERAL SIZES WILL BE ORDERED IF THEY ARE NOT TURNED IN. ELKO BUDGET IS CURRENTLY NEGATIVE

7. SECRETARY'S REPORT

INFORMATION ONLY

SGA SECRETARY KIRKMAN will discuss current SGA events and activities as SGA Secretary. SHE HOPES THAT THOSE OF SGA WHO GOT TO GO TO THE DIVERSITY SUMMIT HAD A GOOD TIME. SHE HEARD SOME THINGS FROM A FRIEND WHO GOES TO ANOTHER SCHOOL AND SHE IS INTERESTED TO SEE WHAT EVERYONE REPORTS ABOUT IT.

8. STUDENT ADVOCATE'S REPORT

INFORMATION ONLY

Student Advocate, JAMES KENDALL, will discuss current SGA events and items concerning SGA. STUDENT ADVOCATE KENDALL WAS NOT PRESENT.

9. SENATOR REPORTS

INFORMATION ONLY

Senators from each location will discuss their current and future events: Elko, Ely, Online, Winnemucca, and Pahump.

MITCHEL- HE MENTIONED THAT HE HAS BEEN MAKING GREAT PROGRESS IN THE COMMITTEE. AND HE WENT TO THE DIVERSITY SUMMIT AND WILL REPORT ON THAT

LATER.

SALIKHOV- HE MENTIONED THAT HE DOESN'T HAVE ANYTHING TO REPORT OTHER THAN FOLLOWING UP ON HIS PREVIOUS AGENDA ITEM.

MENDEZ- SHE MENTIONED THAT SHE HAS NOTHING REALLY TO REPORT. SHE IS FEELING

BURNT OUT.

SOSA- HE MENTIONED THAT HE HAD A GREAT TIME AT THE DIVERSITY SUMMIT. IT WAS REALLY COOL. AND HE CAN'T WAIT TO SHARE WHAT HAPPENED. THE LONGER PART OF HIS REPORT IS HE WANTS TO DISCUSS THE CULTURE OF SGA AND HIS TWO CENTS ON IT. WHAT HE HAS NOTICED IS THERE ARE A LOT OF CONFLICTS THAT WE HAVE, WHETHER IT'S THIS PERSON TELLING US WHAT NOT TO DO, OR THIS PERSON SAID THIS. HE WANTS TO MAKE SURE THAT EVERYONE KNOWS SGA IS AN AUTONOMOUS BODY AND WE ARE WORKING IN THE BEST INTEREST OF OUR STUDENTS. WE NEED TO BE PURPOSEFUL AND STRONG IN OUR VOICES. AND HE HAD EXAMPLES, THE FIRST BEING THE MASCOT AND THE PROBLEMS THEY HAD WITH THAT, WHICH WAS TO HIS UNDERSTANDING THAT COMMUNICATION WAS NOT WORKING WITH US VERY WELL. HE HAD A MEETING WITH PRESIDENT RAINE, SENATOR JACOBSON, AND THE COMMUNICATIONS TEAM. IT WAS NOTHING AS HE EXPECTED BASED ON WHAT HE'S BEEN TOLD. IT WAS SUCH A PRODUCTIVE AND COLLABORATIVE MEETING. THEY GOT SO MUCH ACCOMPLISHED, AND THAT'S KINDA WHAT MADE HIM TAKE A STEP BACK AND REALIZE THAT MAYBE

WHEN IT COMES TO THESE THINGS, WE CAN TAKE ADVICE FROM PEOPLE BUT WE ALSO
NEED TO BE FORMULATING OUR OWN OPINIONS, SO THAT WE CAN ALSO USE THAT TO
BENEFIT STUDENT VOICES. WE WANT TO BE COLLABORATIVE WITH OTHER
DEPARTMENTS AND NEED TO BE KINDA AGGRESSIVE TO BUILD THESE RELATIONSHIPS.
IT WILL LEAD TO AN OVERALL BETTER IMPRESSION. THE SECOND EXAMPLE IS
GRADUATION STUFF. SENATORS AND ELY HAD A GREAT IDEA FOR THEIR GRADUATION
BRUNCH. THOSE WERE AMAZING IDEAS, AND THEY GOT TURNED DOWN BY THE
ADMINISTRATION AFTER SGA APPROVED IT. ONE PERSON TOLD US NO. WE NEED TO BE
STRONG IN OUR OPINIONS AND LET THEM KNOW WE PASSED THIS ALREADY AND IT'S
GOING TO HAPPEN. WHEN WE'RE TAKING ADVICE FROM ONE OF OUR AUTHORITIES AND
JUST RUNNING WITH IT, IT MAKES US LOOK BAD. JAMES IS A GREAT RESOURCE, BUT WE
ALSO HAVE TO BE ABLE TO RECOGNIZE THAT HE'S HERE FOR ADVICE AND NOT TO
MAKE DECISIONS. HIS FINAL EXAMPLE, WHICH GOES WITH MAKING AGENDA ITEMS,
MAKE SURE WE'RE DOING OUR RESEARCH PROPERLY, BEFORE SUBMITTING THE ITEMS.
VICE PRESIDENT STOKES HAD AN AGENDA ITEM FOR LIGHTS FOR CTE, IT WAS AN
AMAZING IDEA, BUT IT'S ABOUT THE WAY WE GO ABOUT GETTING THESE THINGS DONE.
WHEN WE ASKED VICE PRESIDENT STOKES AT THAT MEETING IF YOU HAD SPOKEN TO
THE INSTRUCTORS, IT WAS REPORTED THAT YOU HADN'T TALKED TO THE
INSTRUCTORS. WE HAVE TO DO OUR DUE DILIGENCE SO THAT WE DO NOT BRING STUFF
TO MEETINGS AND SPEND RANDOM MONEY THAT DOESN'T NEED TO BE SPENT. HE'S
JUST ASKING US ALL TO BE MORE PURPOSEFUL WITH OUR CONVERSATIONS AND
AGENDA ITEMS AS AN SGA.

JACOBSON- SHE MENTIONED THAT SHE DOESN'T HAVE ANYTHING TO REPORT.
BERNADINO- HE MENTIONED THAT WE ONLY HAVE A COUPLE OF WEEKS LEFT IN THE
SEMESTER AND HAS NOTHING RELEVANT TO REPORT.

NASH- SHE MENTIONED THAT SHE WILL BE TALKING ABOUT SEVERAL AGENDA ITEMS.
MAYORGA- SHE MENTIONED THAT SHE HAD AN AMAZING TIME AT THE DIVERSITY
SUMMIT. IT WAS A GREAT EXPERIENCE TO MEET OTHER PEOPLE AND GET TO KNOW
MATT. HER AND DIAGO ARE ON CAMPUS AND ARE SETTING UP FOR THE EARTH DAY
EVENT. SHE WILL BE TALKING WITH HEATHER. SHE WILL BE JOINING US DOWN IN ELKO
NEXT WEDNESDAY FOR THE STUDENT AWARDS CEREMONY.

ESQUEVEL- HE MENTIONED THAT HE DOESN'T HAVE ANYTHING RELEVANT TO REPORT.
COWAN- HE MENTIONED FOR THOSE WHO ATTENDED THE DIVERSITY SUMMIT, HE
HOPED EVERYONE HAD A GREAT TIME AND LOOKS FORWARD TO HEARING MORE
ABOUT EVERYONE'S EXPERIENCE. HE WISHES HE COULDVE GONE. HE HAD THE
OPPORTUNITY TO MEET WITH PRESIDENT DONNELLI AND HE ASKED HER SPECIFICALLY
ABOUT THE IDEAS FOR THE DINNER. HE ALSO ASKED ABOUT THE BRUNCH FOR ELY,
AND SHE DIDN'T HAVE A SPECIFIC ANSWER AS TO WHY SHE SAID NO ABOUT THEIR
BRUNCH. SHE SAID SHE WAS GOING TO ATTEND TODAY, SO HE'S VERY DISAPPOINTED
THAT SHE COULD NOT BE HERE BECAUSE SHE PROMISED HIM THAT SHE WOULD BE
HERE. HE ENCOURAGED HER TO COME HERE SO THAT SHE COULD PROVIDE MORE
INFORMATION FROM THE EXECUTIVE TEAM BECAUSE WE ARE ALL CONFUSED BY THE
RECENT DECISIONS AND WHAT WE NEED TO DO MOVING FORWARD FOR RESPECTIVE
CENTERS. WHEN PLANNING FOR SPENDING OUR BUDGETS A LOT OF THINGS HAVE BEEN
CANCELLED ON THE EXECUTIVE LEVEL. IT'S BEEN REALLY FRUSTRATING TO KNOW
THAT WE HAVE ALL THESE GREAT IDEAS AND THEY'RE BEING SQUASHED BY ONE
PERSON OR A COUPLE OF PEOPLE, EVEN THOUGH SGA VOTED IN FAVOR OF IT. LASTLY,
NASA IS ASKING CAMPUSES TO DO A LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT DURING GRADUATION
AS WELL AS REGULARLY. HE WILL ADD THIS TO AN AGENDA NEXT WEEK. HE, WITH A

HEAVY HEART, WILL BE RESIGNING AS CHAIR OF THE AMENDMENTS COMMITTEE. HE HAS BEEN VERY FRUSTRATED WITH THE LACK OF COMMUNICATION FROM THE EXECUTIVE BOARD AND IT HAS PUT HIM IN A REALLY TOUGH SPOT.

10. COMMITTEE REPORTS

INFORMATION ONLY

Chairs of each Committee (Graduation, Mascot, and Amendments) will discuss their progress of their

committees.

GRADUATION- SENATOR SALIKHOV MENTIONED THAT THEY ARE DISCUSSING WHAT TO DO AT THE END. THEIR FUNDING ISN'T LOOKING GREAT. THEY WILL PROBABLY JUST BE SUPPORTING PIZZA. HE ASKED YULIANA IF SHE IS STILL A PART OF THE COMMITTEE. SHE IS RESIGNING

BECAUSE SHE HAD NO TIME WHATSOEVER.

MASCOT- THEY HAVE EMAILED COMMUNICATIONS TO FRANCISCO. HE HAS MADE US A MOCK-UP ALREADY. WE ARE CONSIDERING A DARKER GRAY PALETTE. WE WILL BE COMING UP WITH NAMES AND HAVE A VOTE ON THEM. SHE WILL SEND JESSICA THE COLOR PALETTE SOON. IF ANYONE HAS NAME INPUTS, PLEASE EMAIL ONE OF THOSE MEMBERS. THEY ARE STILL WORKING WITH DIFFERENT COMPANIES.

AMENDMENTS- WE HAVE MADE PROGRESS, AND HE UNDERSTANDS WHERE SENATOR COWAN IS COMING FROM. SENATOR SOSA WOULD LIKE THIS COMMITTEE TO CONTINUE MEETING. HE

WANTS TO KNOW WHY THIS COMMITTEE IS BEING FILTERED THROUGH THE EXECUTIVE BOARD. SECRETARY KIRKMAN STATED THAT SHE IS ON THIS COMMITTEE, AND IT HAD TO GO THROUGH JAMES AND THE EXECUTIVE TEAM. WE DID SEND OUR FEEDBACK TO SENATOR COWAN

SHORTLY AFTER THE FIRST MEETING THE COMMITTEE HAD. WE WERE SUPPOSED TO HAVE

SENATOR COWAN JOIN OUR EXECUTIVE MEETING A FEW WEEKS AGO, BUT HE WAS UNABLE TO MEET WITH US. EXECUTIVE BOARD WANTED TO APPROVE THE AMENDMENTS BEFORE THEY GOT BROUGHT TO A VOTE FOR SGA. SENATOR COWAN STATED THAT WAS JAMES' PERSONAL TAKE. NOT THE ENTIRETY OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD. HE MENTIONED HE NEVER HOGOT ANYTHING FROM PRESIDENT RAINE EITHER. HE IS NOT POINTING FINGERS BUT HE IS STEPPING DOWN

BECAUSE HE DID NOT GET THE FEEDBACK. SECRETARY KIRKMAN EXPLAINED THAT THE

FEEDBACK WAS PROVIDED THAT WE ALL AGREED UPON. IT MAY NOT HAVE BEEN

COMMUNICATED THE RIGHT WAY. SENATOR SOSA MENTIONED THAT THE WAY WE ARE DOING IT IS THE PROBLEM. THERE IS NO POINT TO THIS COMMITTEE IF THE DECISIONS WE MAKE CAN BE OVERRIDDEN BY THE EXECUTIVE BOARD AND THE STUDENT ADVOCATE. THE WAY WE SHOULD BE RUNNING IT IS THAT WE MAKE THE DECISIONS AND BRING THEM TO THE SGA TO

VOTE ON. THE EXECUTIVE BOARD SHOULD ONLY LOOK OVER IT AND PROVIDE ADVICE. WE

APPROVE IT. AND THEN WE PRESENT IT TO THE SGA. THERE IS A WEIRD AMOUNT OF POWER WITH THE EXECUTIVE BOARD. SENATOR JACOBSON WANTS TO KNOW WHY THE EXECUTIVE

BOARD MEETINGS ARE NOT BEING RECORDED. THERE ARE NO MINUTES OR AGENDA FOR THEIR

MEETINGS. THEY SHOULD BE HELD IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OPEN MEETING LAW. SHE

WANTS TO KNOW WHAT IS GOING ON THERE. SECRETARY KIRKMAN MENTIONED THAT THEY DO NOT VOTE ON ANY ITEMS AS AN EXECUTIVE BOARD. WE JUST TRY TO PLAN OUT ITEMS FOR SGA TO VOTE ON. THESE ARE ALL JAMES' QUESTIONS. WE DID START AN AGENDA. SENATOR SOSA SAID IT DOES COUNT FOR OPEN MEETING LAWS BECAUSE THE EXECUTIVE BOARD IS MAKING DECISIONS. SECRETARY KIRKMAN MENTIONED ANYTHING WE TALK ABOUT IN THE EXECUTIVE

MEETINGS IS BEING BROUGHT TO SGA TO VOTE ON. WE DO NOT VOTE ON ANYTHING FOR THE

ENTIRETY OF SGA. SENATOR COWAN MENTIONED THAT SGA MEMBERS HAVE THE RIGHT TO

REQUEST THE MINUTES FROM THE EXECUTIVE BOARD. PRESIDENT RAINE MENTIONED THAT

THEY ARE VALID. HE WAS EMAILING SENATOR COWAN'S STUDENT WORKER EMAIL. SENATOR

COWAN HAS BEEN VERY FRUSTRATED WITH THAT EMAIL. HE REQUESTS THAT THE EMAIL BE

PERMANENTLY DELETED. HE WANTS PRESIDENT RAINE TO ASK IF A STUDENT THAT STOPS

WORKING AT GBC HAS THEIR STUDENT WORKER EMAIL DELETED. HE HAS ALSO ASKED JAMES

IF HE WOULD FIGURE THAT OUT. PRESIDENT RAINE IS GOING TO WORK ON FIGURING OUT HOW

TO FACILITATE EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETINGS BEING RECORDED. SENATOR COWAN OFFERED TO RESEARCH WHAT OTHER CAMPUSES DO WITH THEIR EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETINGS.

11. Unfinished Business

A. SGA TEAM AWARDS WITH SENATOR SALIKHOV

The Exec Team, along with Senator Salikhov, would like to purchase SGA awards for all of our exec board and senators. He has the design picked out. He is requesting \$900 for food and prize funding. This was moved to the table for a campus breakdown of how much each campus will be putting in for the awards.

SENATOR SALIKHOV MENTIONED THAT IT WOULD BE ABOUT \$50 ISH FOR EACH MEMBER OF SGA. STUDENT LIFE COORDINATOR JESSICA MENTIONED THAT THERE IS ALREADY A SET ASIDE BUDGET FOR STUDENT SWAG FOR ELKO, AND THE CHARGES SHOULD GO TO THAT BUDGET. SENATOR COWAN REQUESTS THAT PAHRUMP HAS PLENTY OF MONEY AND THEY CAN ASSIST WITH THE FUNDING. HE WOULD LIKE TO REQUEST THAT THE STUDENTS WHO RECEIVED THE AWARDS LAST YEAR GET SOMETHING NEW. SENATOR MAYORGA ALSO OFFERED SOME OF THEIR BUDGET TO GET THESE. SECRETARY KIRKMAN MOTIONS TO APPROVE THE STUDENT AWARDS. THERE WAS NO SECOND AFTER IT WOULD BE COMING ALL FROM ELKO. SENATOR SOSA ASKED IF WINNEMUCCA AND PAHRUMP WOULD SPLIT THE COSTS, AND EACH OF THOSE CENTERS CAN PAY \$300. BOTH OF THOSE CENTERS AGREED TO SPLIT THE COST 3 WAYS. SENATOR SOSA MOTIONS TO APPROVE. SENATOR MAYORGA SECONDS. SENATOR JACOBSON DOES NOT FEEL LIKE AWARDS FOR SGA ARE NOT NECESSARILY NEEDED AND ASKED IF ANYONE WOULD GIVE FEEDBACK AS TO WHY THESE ARE NEEDED. VICE PRESIDENT STOKES SAW WHERE SHE IS COMING FROM, BUT JOHN WOULD LIKE TO SEE SPENDING GOING TOWARDS AWARDS FOR STUDENTS AND SGA. SECRETARY KIRKMAN MENTIONED THAT SGA DOES NOT SHOW UP ON TRANSCRIPTS, BUT WE CAN HAVE THESE AWARDS TO SHOW THAT WE WERE A PART OF SGA. SENATOR COWAN MENTIONED THAT SOME SENATORS DO NOT GET ANY AWARDS OR SCHOLARSHIPS. SENATOR SOSA MENTIONED THAT HE IS IN SUPPORT, AND HE DOES UNDERSTAND WHERE SENATOR JACOBSON IS COMING FROM. ELKO'S BUDGET BEING SO LOW IS WHAT WORRIES THEM. SECRETARY KIRKMAN MENTIONED IT IS JUST LIKE THE STOLES WITH SGA ON THEM FOR GRADUATION. SENATOR SALIKHOV MENTIONED THAT THERE IS NO RECOGNITION, AND THAT'S WHAT THIS IS FOR.

MOTION PASSES WITH ONE NAY.

12. UPCOMING ITEMS

POSSIBLE ACTION

A. CTE NATIONAL TECHNOLOGY HONOR SOCIETY WITH NORM WHITTAKER

Norm would like to request funding for the regalia for CTE honor students. This is an annual initiative SGA has supported. He is requesting \$800 for supply funding.

SENATOR SOSA MOTIONS TO APPROVE THE FULL AMOUNT. SENATOR JACOBSON SECONDS. SECRETARY KIRKMAN MENTIONED THAT NORM STATES HE ONLY NEEDS \$420 AND WE SHOULD AMEND THE AMOUNT TO REFLECT HIS REQUEST. SENATOR COWAN ASKED IF THEY GET ANY FUNDING FOR THE ASSOCIATION. IF NOT, HE WOULD LIKE TO LOOK AT APPROVING FUNDING FOR THE FALL SEMESTER FOR THESE ASSOCIATIONS THAT DO NOT GET FUNDING. NORM SAID THEY DO NOT RECEIVE ANY FUNDING. SENATOR SOSA MOTIONED TO AMEND THE AMOUNT TO \$420. SECRETARY KIRKMAN SECONDS. MOTION TO AMEND PASSES UNANIMOUSLY. MOTION TO FUND PASSES UNANIMOUSLY.

B. SUPPLIES FOR ELY STUDENT PANTRY WITH SENATOR NASH

Senator Nash would like to request funds for supplies for the student pantry in Ely. She is requesting \$900 for supplies funding.

THEY NEED FOOD ITEMS DESPERATELY. SENATOR SOSA MOTIONS TO APPROVE THE FUNDING. SENATOR JACOBSON SECONDS. MOTION PASSES UNANIMOUSLY.

C. RELAXATION EQUIPMENT FOR ELY STUDENTS WITH SENATOR NASH

Senator Nash would like to request funds for relaxation equipment. They would like to purchase a massage chair, yoga mats, and cleaning supplies, a speaker, a weight rack, weights, bands, etc. She is requesting \$1,000 for supplies.

SENATOR JACOBSON MOTIONS TO APPROVE. SENATOR COWAN SECONDS. MOTION PASSES UNANIMOUSLY.

D. ELY GRADUATION COOKIE GIFT BOXES WITH SENATOR NASH

Senator Nash would like to request funds for graduation cookie gift boxes. She is requesting \$450 for food and prizes.

SENATOR MITCHEL MOTIONS TO APPROVE. SECRETARY KIRKMAN SECONDS. MOTION PASSES UNANIMOUSLY.

E. ELY VENDING MACHINE WITH SENATOR NASH

Senator Nash would like to request funds for the purchase of a vending machine for the Ely campus. She is requesting \$2,500 for supplies.

SENATOR SOSA MOTIONS TO APPROVE. SENATOR JACOBSON SECONDS. MOTION PASSES UNANIMOUSLY.

F. WELCOME BACK SUPPLIES FOR ELY WITH SENATOR NASH

Senator Nash would like to request funds for welcome back supplies- backpacks, squishes, other school supplies, and candy. She is requesting \$1,000 for supplies.

SENATOR SOSA POINT OF INFORMATION, DOES THIS NEED TO BE ADDRESSED THIS MEETING. SENATOR NASH SAID THIS CAN WAIT.

SENATOR SOSA MOTIONS TO ADJOURN THE MEETING. SENATOR JACOBSON SECONDS. NO MAJORITY VOTE. THIS WILL BECOME AN UNFINISHED BUSINESS ITEM.

G. ELY FINALS WEEK ACTIVITY WITH SENATOR NASH

Senator Nash would like to request funds for supplies for Finals week activities. She is requesting \$500 for supply funding.

SENATOR SOSA MOTIONS TO APPROVE. SENATOR JACOBSON SECONDS. MOTION PASSES UNANIMOUSLY.

SENATOR SOSA MOTIONS TO ADJOURN THE MEETING. MARJORITY WAS NOT MET.

ROLL CALL VOTE

VICE PRESIDENT STOKES- NAY

SECRETARY KIRKMAN- NAY

SENATOR MITCHEL- NAY

SENATOR SALIKHOVE- NAY

SENATOR SOSA- YAY

SENATOR JACOBSON- YAY

SENATOR NASH- YAY

SENATOR MAYORGA- YAY
SENATOR ESQUIVEL- YAY
SENATOR COWAN- NAY

PRESIDENT RAINE WAS THE TIE-BREAKER. HE VOTED NAY

H. SGA POLOS WITH JESSICA ORTIZ

Student life coordinator Jessica would like to request funding to get a restock of SGA polos for senators. She is requesting \$2,808.07 for food and prizes.

SENATOR COWAN WANTS TO REQUEST TO USE THE PAHRUMP BUDGET FOR THIS ITEM. HE MOTIONS TO APPROVE. SENATOR SOSA APPROVES. MOTIONS PASSES UNANIMOUSLY.

I. MEMORIAL DAY BBQ APPROVAL FOR REINBURSEMENT WITH JOE MICKE

SGA has sponsored the Battle Born Veterans Club Memorial Day BBQ for several years. They are requesting to temporarily use the SGA host account to facilitate purchases and they will fully reimburse the account back. They are requesting the temporary use of \$900 for food and prizes.

SENATOR SOSA MOTIONS TO ADJOURN THE MEETING. SENATOR COWAN SECONDS. MOTION TO ADJOURN PASSES UNANIMOUSLY. MEETING ADJOURNED AT 4:23 PM.

13. NEW BUSINESS

INFORMATION ONLY

A. DIVERSITY SUMMIT REFLECTIONS.

SGA members who attended the Diversity Summit may reflect on how it went and what they learned.

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.*).

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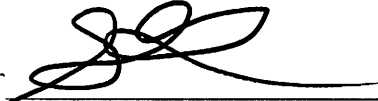
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15. Adjournment

INFORMATION ONLY

MEETING ADJOURNED AT 4:23 PM

PRESIDENT



DATE:

4/28/2026