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The Consolidated Students of the University of Nevada
University of Nevada, Las Vegas

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

WAYS AND MEANS

COMMITTEE MEETING

55-18

DATE AND TIME: September 23rd @ 5:00pm

**Student Union - CSUN Senate Chambers 313R
University of Nevada, Las Vegas
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Las Vegas, Nevada 89154**

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CHAIR CURRY

OF THE WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

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AGENDA

Call to Order and Roll Call

No. of Committee Members: **8**

Quorum: **5**

Chair: Curry - *Present*

Vice Chair: Coss - *Present*

Member: Hubshman - *Present*

Member: Perez Martinez - *Excused*

Member: Prietio - *Present*

Member: Tuitele - *Present*

Member: Brooks - *Present*

Member: Le - *Present*

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Called to order at 5:08 pm

With 6 members present, we are meeting quorum

1. PUBLIC COMMENT INFORMATION ONLY (See foregoing notation regarding public comment)

Opened at 5:09 pm

No public comments

Closed at 5:10 pm

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR POSSIBLE ACTION Request is made for approval of minutes of previous meetings

Minutes for meeting 55-17, as posted to the public www.unlv.edu/csun/meeting-information

Opened at 5:10 pm

Senator Hubshman left for a point of personal privilege at 5:11 pm, we are at 5 senators, still meeting quorum.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve meeting minutes for 55-17, with a vote of 5-0-0, the minutes have been approved.

Closed at 5:11 pm

3. REPORTS FOR POSSIBLE ACTION A. Chair's Report (Information Only)

The Chair will report to the committee concerning relevant action or business which has taken place in their respective areas since the last meeting of the committee.

Opened at 7:06 pm

Chair Curry explains that our bills are due by tomorrow, RSOs must be emailed ASAP!

Additionally, we will have a ways and means meeting on the 30th. Bills are due this Wednesday.

AG Rejas misses Ways and Means – but he thinks our marathon is crazy.

Advisor Wieand notes we are also crazy for the marathon.

Senator Le says that the invite is wrong for Friday.

Closed at 7:13 pm

4. UNFINISHED BUSINESS FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Unfinished Business is any motion or action item that was under discussion and was postponed or moved to this meeting at the discretion of the public body as approved by the chair.

4a. Discussion and Approval of Funding for Alpha Epsilon Delta

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-84 For a funding request of no more than \$12,500.00 submitted by Alpha Epsilon Delta all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-84 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 5:12 pm

The RSO is present but does not give a presentation.

Chair Curry opens the floor to questioning

Senator Brooks asks if the quotes were updated to reflect the updates to the RSO's budget.

Vice Chair Coss moves to amend senate bill 55-84 Addendum A to reflect the updated budget.

Senator Prieto seconds the motion

Senator Hubshman returns from a point of personal privilege at 5:15 pm

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to amend senate bill 55-84, with a vote of 6-0-0, the bill has been amended.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve senate bill 55-84, with a vote of 6-0-0, the senate bill has been approved.

Closed at 5:20 pm

4.b Discussion and Approval of Funding for Pre-Law Women of UNLV Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-86 For a funding request of no more than \$8,500.00 submitted by Pre-Law Women of UNLV all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-86 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 5:20 pm

The RSO is present and does not give a presentation. They give a brief overview of their budget.

Chair Curry opens the floor to questioning

Senator Prieto asks about the Zoom Pro request. Due to our operating policy, we cannot fund subscriptions.

We remove line item 3.

Senator Brooks asks about the number of graduate students in the club. There are 130 active members, but only 90 are undergraduates.

The RSO is unsure of who is an undergraduate and who is a graduate student.

Senator Brooks notes that they have to make sure their funds go to undergraduate members only.

Senator Brooks also asks about the Crewneck sizes being all on different line items. This is not against our operating policy.

Senator Brooks moves to amend Senate Bill 55-86 Addendum A to reflect the updated budget.

Seconded by senator Prieto

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to amend senate bill 55-86, with a vote of 6-0-0, the motion carries.

Senator Hubshman moves to amend senate bill 55-86 to read "WHEREAS, the student organization, after being seen by the Ways and Means Committee, has been approved for an amount not to exceed \$8,368.94; THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, CSUN shall appropriate \$ 8,368.94 one time to fund the Pre-Law Women of UNLV and where all costs are to be encumbered from the CSUN FY 25-26 Student Organization Funding Budget in adherence with the Ways and Means Operating Policy."

Seconded by senator Prieto

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to amend senate bill 55-86, with a vote of 6-0-0, the motion carries

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve senate bill 55-86, with a vote of 6-0-0, the senate bill has been approved.

Senator Tuitele leaves for a point of personal privilege at 5:33 pm

Closed at 5:33 pm

4c. Discussion and Approval of Funding for Narcare

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-60 For a funding request of no more than \$1,295.72 submitted by Narcare all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-60 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 6:59 pm

The RSO is not present, they were present at one of the first meetings, Chair Curry will be representing them today.

AJ Rejas points out clerical error in the senate bill 55-60.

We adjust the senate bill.

Chair Curry opens the floor to questioning.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve senate bill 55-60, with a vote of 6-0-0, senate bill 55-60 has been approved.

Senator Prieto moves to reconsider agenda item 4c.

Seconded by senator Hubshman

With a voice vote of 6-0-0, the item is opened for reconsideration.

Senator Brooks moves to amend SB 55-60 to read 'WHEREAS, the student organization, after being seen by the Ways and Means Committee, has been approved for an amount not to exceed \$ 1,293.64;

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, CSUN shall appropriate \$1293.64 one time to fund Narcare and where all costs are to be encumbered from the CSUN FY 25-26 Student Organization Funding Budget in adherence with the Ways and Means Operating Policy."

Seconded by senator Hubshman

With a voice vote of 6-0-0, the bill has been amended.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve senate bill 55-60, with a vote of 6-0-0, senate bill 55-60 has been approved.

Closed at 7:03 pm

4d.Discussion and Approval of Funding for Creative Arts Journal

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-78 For a funding request of no more than \$7,044.00 submitted by Creative Arts Journal all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-78 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 7:03 pm

The RSO is not present, they were present at the last meeting, but the bill was mislabeled and we could not vote.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve senate bill 55-78, with a vote of 6-0-0, senate bill 55-78 has been approved.

Closed at 7:05 pm

5. NEW BUSINESS FOR POSSIBLE ACTION *New Business is any motion that is new to this meeting. All items will be for possible action unless otherwise stated.*

5a.Discussion and Approval of Funding for SFC Campus-Based

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-94 For a funding request of no more than \$1,815.64 submitted by SFC Campus-Based all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-94 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

5b.Discussion and Approval of Funding for Food Tasting Club

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-95 For a funding request of no more than \$16,434.00 submitted by Food Tasting Club all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-95 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 5:34 pm

The RSO is present and gives a brief presentation on who they are and the impact they have on campus.

Senator Tuitele returns from point of personal privilege at 5:38 pm

Chair Curry opens the floor to questioning.

Senator Prieto notes that the RSO is over the budget. They requested almost 4,000 dollars over the budget.

The RSO says that they have a big impact on campus and would like to stay over the cap because they do so much and have over 200 members.

Chair Curry notes that the reason our budget is 12,500 is because we want to spread the money around. We will not go over the maximum budget for this RSO when we haven't for others this fiscal year.

Senator Brooks notes that the RSO's budget is very vague and does not contain exact quotes for cultural food, just estimated amounts.

The RSO explains that this is because they do not know what they will be catering before the event actually comes.

Senator Brooks also notes that the cultural candy is vague as well as line item 12 "decorations". Previously, we have not funded "decorations" without exact quotes. Line items 13 and 14 are also vague, it is not itemized.

Chair Curry explains that we need to be specific because if we receive an audit, we must know exactly where the money is going. We must be transparent to our constituents.

We keep "cultural food" but remove cultural candies, cultural toys, and ingredients for cooking. This moves their budget down to just under 13,000 dollars.

We also remove "decorations" which bring it to just over 12,600 dollars.

The RSO decides to remove funding from “cultural food” until the budget reaches 12,500 on the dot.

*Vice Chair Coss moves to amend senate bill 55-95 to read “**WHEREAS**, the student organization, after being seen by the Ways and Means Committee, has been approved for an amount not to exceed \$12,500.00; **THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED**, CSUN shall appropriate \$12,500.00 onetime to fund the Food Tasting Club and where all costs are to be encumbered from the CSUN FY 25-26 Student Organization Funding Budget in adherence with the Ways and Means Operating Policy” and to amend addendum A to reflect the updated budget sheet.*

Seconded by senator Hubshman.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to amend senate bill 55-95, with a vote of 6-0-0, the motion carries

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve senate bill 55-95, with a vote of 6-0-0, the senate bill has been approved.

Closed at 5:50 pm

5c.Discussion and Approval of Funding for UNLV HOSA

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-96 For a funding request of no more than \$12,498.62 submitted by UNLV HOSA all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-96 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 5:50 pm

Senator Le takes a point of personal privilege at 5:51 pm, we are at 5 members, still meeting quorum.

The RSO is present to give a presentation about their organization.

Opening the floor to questioning

Chair Curry asks the RSO about the “giveaway” items.

Senator Brooks follows up by telling the RSO that the giveaway items must go to undergraduate students.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve senate bill 55-96, with a vote of 5-0-0, the bill has been approved.

Closed at 5:58 pm

5d.Discussion and Approval of Funding for UNLV Project Wellness

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-97 For a funding request of no more than \$8,218.42 submitted by UNLV Project Wellness all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-97 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

5e.Discussion and Approval of Funding for Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-98 For a funding request of no more than \$4,056.00 submitted by Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-98 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 5:58 pm

Senator Le returns from a point of personal privilege at 5:58 pm

The RSO is present to give a brief description of their budget request.

Senator Prieto thanks the organization , then notes that the flights and the registration fees have not been cut in half. Due to our operating policy, we can only fund at 50%.

Senator Brooks points out that the number on the agenda does not match the number on the budget.

We cut the flights in half, then cut the registration fees in half.

Senator Brooks moves to amend senate bill 55-98 to read “WHEREAS, the student organization, after being seen by the Ways and Means Committee, has been approved for an amount not to exceed \$\$ 2,685.86;

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, CSUN shall appropriate \$\$ 2,685.86 onetime to fund the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated and where all costs are to be encumbered from the CSUN FY 25-26 Student Organization Funding Budget in adherence with the Ways and Means Operating Policy.” and also amend addendum A to contain the updated budget.

Seconded by senator Hubshman

With a voice vote of 6-0-0, the amendment has been approved.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve senate bill 55-98, with a vote of 6-0-0, the bill has been approved.

Closed at 6:06 pm

5f.Discussion and Approval of Funding for The Veterinary Association

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-99 For a funding request of no more than \$1,889.06 submitted by The Veterinary Association all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-99 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

5g.Discussion and Approval of Funding for AI and Data Science Club

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-100 For a funding request of no more than \$5,203.73 submitted by AI and Data Science Club all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-100 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee.

Opened at 6:06 pm

The RSO is present to give a brief presentation of their budget.

Vice Chair Coss asks if line item 8 is a subscription – which cannot be funded.

Chair Curry notes that we cannot fund “credits” because it is not transparent. We cannot see what these credits are being used for exactly.

The RSO explains what the credits will be used for.

Senator Coss asks why they asked for these for 2.49 months?

The RSO explains that they will only use them for 2.49 months.

Senator Brooks expresses confusion about the monthly documentation.

Senator Le asks if there is a time limit of when these are being used, she is concerned it could be considered a subscription.

The RSO explains they can use them past 2.49 months until they run out.

Senator Brooks says that after looking at the quote it is 1,600 for the month, she asks how these months are purchased in "fractions".

Senator Brooks is asking how they can buy a fraction of a month.

Senator Brooks asks if these need to be itemized.

Senator Hubshman asks if we should list it in the budget as the actual amount of credits.

Chair Curry asks if the RSO can give us the exact number of credits they are wishing to buy.

Senator Hubshman wants to cut line item 6 in half. It is already cut in half, but needs to be itemized.

The RSO gives us a supplier for the food, and notes it actually needs to cut it in half.

We cut it in half.

AG Rejas gives a suggestion that the supplier should be noted in the budget.

Senator Prieto moves to amend senate bill 55-100 to read "WHEREAS, the student organization, after being seen by the Ways and Means Committee, has been approved for an amount not to exceed \$ 5,078.41; THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, CSUN shall appropriate \$ 5,078.41 onetime to fund the AI and Data Science Club and where all costs are to be encumbered from the CSUN FY 25-26 Student Organization Funding Budget in adherence with the Ways and Means Operating Policy."

Senator Hubshman seconds the motion.

With a voice vote of 6-0-0, the amendment has been made.

Senator Brooks moves to amend SB 55-100 addendum A to have the revised budget sheet.

Seconded by senator Prieto.

With a voice vote of 6-0-0, the amendment has been made.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve SB 55-100, with a vote of 5-1-0, the bill has been approved.

Closed at 6:35 pm

5h.Discussion and Approval of Funding for Kappa Delta Chi

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-101 For a funding request of no more than \$1,411.60 submitted by Kappa Delta Chi all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-101 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 6:35 pm

The RSO is present to give a brief overview of their budget.

AG Rejas asks Chair Curry to double check senate bill 55-101's title

Senator Le moves to amend senate bill 55-101 to read "an act to appropriate funds for Kappa Delta Chi"

Senator Hubshman seconds the motion

With a voice vote of 6-0-0, the bill has been amended.

Chair Curry opens the floor to questioning

Senator Prieto asks about their "GLOW" recruitment event. He is concerned that these items are not currently enrolled in UNLV as an undergraduate.

The RSO explains that these items go to high school girls that will eventually be in their sorority.

Senator Brooks notes that she considers these items to be tabling items

Vice Chair Coss asks if these have been approved in the past for high school students.

Chair Curry explains to the RSO that ways and means are funded by Undergraduate students, and that is why these items cannot go to high school students. We can keep their advertisement items but they must be used for undergraduate students.

Senator Hubshman asks the RSO if they are okay with this.

The RSO notes that they "can" and will use these as tabling.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve SB 55-101.

With a vote of 6-0-0, the Senate Bill has been approved.

Closed at 6:48 pm

5i.Discussion and Approval of Funding for UNLV Pre-Dental Society

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55- 102 For a funding request of no more than \$6,635.82 submitted by UNLV Pre-Dental Society all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-102 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 6:48 pm

The RSO is present but does not give a presentation, we go straight into the budget.

Chair Curry opens the floor to questioning.

Senator Prieto asks about “dental goodie bags”, he wants to make sure that these are already itemized.

The RSO confirms that these are just the bags themselves, the “goodies” are itemized below.

Senator Prieto asks if line item 2 and line item 5 are going to two different groups of people.

The RSO confirms that line item 2 is for general members and line item 5 is for e-board.

Senator Brooks confirms that scrubs are not counted in “clothing items”

Vice chair Coss asks if we are allowed to fund certificates, we are, they are used to recognize members.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve senate bill 55-102, with a vote of 6-0-0, the bill has been approved.

Closed at 6:54 pm

5j.Discussion and Approval of Funding for UNLV's Disney Club 33

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-103 For a funding request of no more than \$4,535.51 submitted by UNLV's Disney Club 33 all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-103 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 6:54 pm

RSO is present and gives a brief presentation on their funding request.

Chair Curry opens the floor to questioning

Vice Chair Coss thanks the organization for their attention to detail, and notes that everything is according to our operating policy.

Chair Curry notes he is excited for their Hamilton event.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote for the approval of senate bill 55-103, with a voice vote of 6-0-0, the senate bill has been approved.

Closed at 6:58 pm

6. New Business for Future Meetings (Information Only)

Items for consideration at future meetings may be suggested under this agenda item. 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. No substantive discussion may occur at this meeting on new business items in accordance with the Nevada Open Meeting Law (NRS 241.020 et seq).

7. PUBLIC COMMENT INFORMATION ONLY

Opened at 7:14 pm

No public comments

Closed at 7:14 pm

8. ADJOURN

Meeting adjourned at 7:14 pm