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

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING**

**SENATE MEETING 55-28**

*DATE AND TIME: October 20th, 2025 at  
6:00pm*

**Student Union – Meeting Rooms 208B & C  
University of Nevada, Las Vegas**

**4505 S. Maryland Parkway  
Las Vegas, Nevada 89154**

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## **ROLL CALL**

Seated Senators: **20/25**

Quorum: 13

CHAIR: **Senate President Flores**

### **Howard R. Hughes College of Engineering**

- Senator Gerwaski- *Unexcused*
- Senator Morfinez-Solis- *Present*
- Senator Montoya- *Present, Excused at 7 pm*

### **College of Liberal Arts**

- SPPT Ibarra Lira- *Present*
- Senator Tuitele- *Present*
- Senator Prieto- *Present*
- Senator Hubshman- *Present*
- Senator Melgoza- *Present*
- Senator Le- *Present*

### **College of Fine Arts**

- Senator Hankins- *Present*
- VACANT

### **College of Sciences**

- Senator Perez Martinez- *Present*
- VACANT

### **Greenspun College of Urban Affairs**

- Senator Davis- *Present*
- Senator Coss- *Present*

### **William F. Harrah College of Hospitality**

- Senator Navarro Mendoza- *Excused until 8 pm*

### **Lee Business School**

- Senator Brooks- *Present*
- Senator Cameron- *Present*
- Senator Curry- *Present*
- VACANT

### **College of Education**

- VACANT

### **Division of Health Sciences**

- Senator Yelvington- *Present*
- Senator Briones- *Present*
- VACANT

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*The meeting was called to order at 6:04 pm.*

*With 17 Senators present, quorum is met.*

## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE AGENDA AND PUBLIC MEETING**

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## AGENDA

### ***Call to Order and Roll Call***

*(See previous page for Roll Call)*

- 1. LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT INFORMATION ONLY** The University of Nevada, Las Vegas wishes to acknowledge and honor the Indigenous communities of this region and recognize that the university is situated on the traditional homelands of the Nuwuvi, Southern Paiute People. We offer gratitude for the land itself, for those who have stewarded it for generations, and for the opportunity to study, learn, work, and be in community with this land.

*Opened: 6:06 pm*

*Closed: 6:06 pm*

- 2. PUBLIC COMMENT INFORMATION ONLY**

*(See foregoing notation regarding public comment)*

*Opened: 6:06 pm*

*Nancy Munoz- Promotes SR 55-05.*

*Closed: 6:07 pm*

- 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

55-27 Meeting Minutes – as posted to the public [www.unlv.edu/csun/meeting-information](http://www.unlv.edu/csun/meeting-information)

*Opened: 6:07 pm*

*Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote.*

*With a vote of 17-0-0 the 55-27 Meeting Minutes have been approved.*

*Closed: 6:08 pm*

#### 4. REPORTS INFORMATION ONLY

##### A. SENATE COMMITTEE REPORTS

The Chair of each Senate Committee will report to the Senate concerning relevant action or business which has taken place in their respective committees since the last meeting of the Senate.

*Opened: 6:29 pm*

- Ways & Means - Chair Curry  
*Chair Curry- States RSO funding will be done, shout outs the committee and Advisor Weyand. Talks about the upcoming meeting tomorrow.*
  
- Scholarships & Grants - Chair Perez-Martinez  
*Chair Perez Martinez- Talks about the upcoming meeting and videos/documents for the next chair. Talks about meeting with the Student Diversity Program and wording changing for applications and advertisements.*

*Senator Curry takes a point of personal privilege at 6:31 pm. 16 Senators are present*

*Senator Curry returns from a point of personal privilege at 6:36 pm. 17 Senators are present*

- Internal Affairs - Chair Brooks  
*Chair Brooks- Talks about working on new ideas for the next session. Talks about getting the Judicial Council more involved.*
  
- University Initiatives - Chair Hankins  
*Chair Hankins- Talks about the next meeting this week and meeting quorum. Talks about coming up with new ideas for the next Legislative session.*

*Closed: 6:39 pm*

***ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes***

##### B. PROFESSIONAL STAFF REPORTS

The CSUN Professional Staff will report to the Senate concerning relevant action or business which has taken place in their areas since the last meeting of the Senate.

*Opened: 6:39 pm*

*No reports at this time.*

*Closed: 6:40 pm*

***ESTIMATED TIME: 5 minutes***

**C. LIAISON REPORTS**

The CSUN Department Liaisons will report to the Senate concerning relevant action or business which has taken place in their respective areas since the last meeting of the Senate.

*Opened: 6:40 pm*

- Senate President Pro Tempore  
*SPPT Ibarra Lira- Talks about meeting with committee chairs, upcoming modules due for interns, and Policy Action Townhall.*
- Attorney General  
*Attorney General Rejas-*
- Chief Of Staff  
*Chief of Staff Reynolds- Talks about meeting with RSOs, office hours, and outreach hours through shadow a rebel.*
- Directors  
*Director Rivera Gaytan- Talks about completed tasks and upcoming event Fiesta Sa Bayan and creating the budget for March to the Ballot event.*

*Associate Director Munoz- Met with previous RSOs and upcoming Fiesta Sa Bayan event. Working on a Native American Heritage month event and CSUN Policy in Action Town Hall.*

*Associate Director Blackman- Talks about planning the upcoming Friendsgiving event and banquet.*

*Vice President Tolano- Encourages tabling with RHA.*

*Director Bonsol- Talks about the Career Closet post and upcoming posts and stickers/water bottles.*

*Senator Davis takes a point of personal privilege at 6:50 pm.*

*Associate Director Mariano- States working on creating fall stickers and new water bottles.*

- Judicial Council

*Closed: 6:52 pm*

***ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes***

**D. EXECUTIVE REPORTS**

The President, Vice President, and Senate President will report to the Senate concerning relevant action or business which has taken place in their respective areas since the last meeting of the Senate.

*Opened: 6:52 pm*

- **President**

*President Odunze- Talks about upcoming Residence Hall Association tabling, AKA workshop on debate, upcoming Executive Board meeting, new Display Case, Dec 6th art piece, Utah State University visit, and Chancellor and Chair Listening Tour.*

*Senator Perez Martinez- Asks about tabling at RHA, asks if we are giving out candy.*

*President Odunze- States they can.*

*Senator Montoya is excused at 7 pm for the rest of the meeting. 15 Senators are present.*

- **Vice President**

*Vice President Tolano- States they attended the Board of Regents meeting and talks about communication.*

*Senator Davis returns from a point of personal privilege at 7:04 pm. 16 Senators are present*

- **Senate President**

*Senate President Flores- Talks about the last meeting of the 55th Legislative Session, committee meeting participation, outreach hours due. Gives Senator of the Week to Senator Tuitele.*

*Senator Hubshman- Asks if there will be a costume contest.*

*Senate President Flores- States it can be.*

*Vice President Tolano- Gives shout out to Civic and Legislative Affair Department.*

*Closed: 7:07 pm*

***ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes***

## **5. CONSENT AGENDA**

## **FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

Matters listed on the Consent Agenda are considered routine and may be approved by a single motion. However, any Consent Item may be moved to the Business portion of the agenda for discussion at the request of any Senator.

*Opened: 7:07 pm*

### **A. Approval of University Initiative Committee Appointments**

Chair Hawkins requests time for the approval of the following CSUN Senators to join the University Initiative Committee:

- a. Senator Davis

*Senate President Flores states 5A needs to be removed from the Consent Agenda and into New Business. The Senator will not be joining the committee.*

*Senator Perez Martinez- Motions to remove Agenda Item 5A to New Business.*

*Agenda Item 5A has been moved to New Business.*

*Opened: 7:09 pm*

*Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote to approve 5A.*

*With a vote of 0-16-0 5A has failed.*

*Closed: 7:10 pm*

- B. Approval of Ways & Means funding requests from Ways and Means meeting 55-21**
  - a. Approval of Senate Bill 55-94 an Act to Appropriate Funds for SFC Campus-Based**

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-94 to fund SFC Campus-Based a total of \$1,815.64
  - b. Approval of Senate Bill 55-97 an Act to Appropriate Funds for UNLV Project Wellness**

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-97 to fund UNLV Project Wellness a total of \$5,518.42
  - c. Approval of Senate Bill 55-99 an Act to Appropriate Funds for The Veterinary Association**

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-99 to fund The Veterinary Association a total of \$1,708.16
  - d. Approval of Senate Bill 55-141 an Act to Appropriate Funds for RebelSat**

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-141 to fund RebelSat a total of \$2,464.33
  - e. Approval of Senate Bill 55-160 an Act to Appropriate Funds for The Hospitality Collective**

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-160 to fund The Hospitality Collective a total of \$2,080.44
  - f. Approval of Senate Bill 55-161 an Act to Appropriate Funds for African Student Alliance**

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-161 to fund African Student Alliance a total of \$3,470.97
  - g. Approval of Senate Bill 55-162 an Act to Appropriate Funds for Global Entrepreneurship Experience**

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-162 to fund Global Entrepreneurship Experience a total of \$11,654.50
  - h. Approval of Senate Bill 55-149 an Act to Appropriate Funds for UNLV Ranger Challenge**

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-149 to fund UNLV Ranger Challenge a total of \$7,474.40

**i. Approval of Senate Bill 55-156 an Act to Appropriate Funds for Life Science Student Association**

Chair Curry requests time for Approval of Senate Bill 55-156 to fund Life Science Student Association a total of \$11,326.21

*Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote to approve the Consent Agenda without 5A.*

*With a vote of 16-0-0 the Consent Agenda without 5A has been approved.*

*Closed: 7:09 pm*

**ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes**

**6. 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. The Chair reserves the right to call items in any order.

**A. Updates from the University Leadership**

**INFORMATION ONLY**

Senate President Flores requests time for the updates from the Vice President for Student Affairs Keith Rogers

*Opened: 6:08 pm*

*Vice President Rogers- Presents the Student Affairs fees webpage. States the website will be transferred to the cashier website along with other changes. Talks about transparency of student fee usage and possible projects/initiatives for the upcoming academic year. Highlights C.A.P.S. fee and student health fee.*

*Senator Curry- Asks about communicating with other departments about degree fees.*

*Vice President Rogers- States they have not talked with departments. States there are around 240 fees and wanted to prioritize fees that most students pay.*

*President Odunze- Thanks the presenter about communication. Asks about increasing fees and adding the anticipated increased prices to the website.*

*Vice President Rogers- States that can be done. States the amounts on the website are the current price of the fee. States years will be archived.*

*Closed: 6:23 pm*

**B. Discussion and Approval of EB 55-11: AN ACT TO AMEND THE BYLAWS CHAPTER 205**

Chair Brooks requests time for the approval of Executive Bill 55-11, an Act to Amend the Bylaws Chapter 205. Deliberation and amendments to the Bill can occur under this agenda item.

*Opened: 7:10 pm*

*Attorney General Rejas- Presents EB 55-11 as found in the supplemental material and changes to the role of the Attorney General.*

*Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote to approve EB 55-11*

*With a vote of 16-0-0 EB 55-11 has been approved.*

*Closed: 7:12 pm*

**C. Discussion and Approval of SB 55-166: AN ACT TO AMEND THE BYLAWS CHAPTER 301**

Chair Brooks requests time for the approval of Senate Bill 55-166, an Act to Amend the Bylaws Chapter 301. Deliberation and amendments to the Bill can occur under this agenda item.

*Opened: 7:12 pm*

*Attorney General Rejas- Presents SB 55-166 as found in the supplemental materials to remove point B.*

*Senator Brooks- Asks for an explanation as to why remove the point.*

*Attorney General Rejas- States they wanted to remove it since it has not been in practice for a while.*

*SPPT Ibarra Lira- States removing the stipulation would not be beneficial. States adding it helps the function of student government.*

*Attorney General Rejas- States the Judicial Council gives jurisdiction to publish their operating policy.*

*Advisor Dow- States no other CSUN entities do not include their operating policy in the bylaws. States the Senate has to be presented with the operating policy, not voted on. If the operating policy is added to the bylaws, it gives the Senate oversight over the operating policy.*

*Senator Morfinez-Solis takes a point of personal privilege at 7:16 pm. 15 Senators are present.*

*Senator Morfinez-Solis returns from a point of personal privilege at 7:19 pm. 16 Senators are present.*

*Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote to approve SB 55-166.*

*With a vote of 16-0-0 SB 55-166 has been approved.*

*Closed: 7:21 pm*

**D. Discussion and Approval of SR 55-05: An Act In Support of a Second Prayer Room at UNLV**

Senator Perez Martinez requests time for the approval of Senate Resolution 55-05, An Act In Support of a Second Prayer Room at UNLV. Deliberation and amendments to the Resolution can occur under this agenda item.

*Opened: 6:23 pm*

*Senator Perez Maritnez- Refers to SR 55-05 as found in the supplemental materials. Talks about the need for a second prayer room on the north side of campus. States the President of the Muslim Student Association has been trying to work with departments and the Senate Resolution will promote departments to take action.*

*Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote to approve SR 55-05.*

*With a vote of 17-0-0 SR 55-05 has been approved.*

*Closed: 6:29 pm*

***ESTIMATED TIME: 90 minutes***

**7. PUBLIC COMMENT**

*(See foregoing notation regarding public comment)*

**INFORMATION ONLY**

*Opened: 7:21 pm*

*Princessa Tolano- Promotes Chipotle Fundraiser for sorority today.*

*Isaac Morfinez-Solis- Promotes art walk event this friday.*

*Rayan Muneer- Thanks for passing SR 55-05 and to Senator Perez Martinez and Associate Director Munoz.*

*Closed: 7:26 pm*

**8. SENATE SUMMATIONS**

**INFORMATION ONLY**

Senators will be given the opportunity to deliver a short speech to the Senate that is relevant to the meeting at hand or containing announcements pertinent to the student body.

*Opened: 7:26 pm*

*Senator Perez Martinez- States bills for the upcoming meeting needs to be sent tonight.*

*Senator Curry- Shout outs Ways and Means intern.*

*Closed: 7:27 pm*

***ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes***

**9. EXECUTIVE BOARD SUMMATIONS**

**INFORMATION ONLY**

The President, Vice President, and Senate President will be given the opportunity to deliver a short speech to the Senate that is relevant to the meeting at hand or containing announcements pertinent to the student body.

***ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes***

**10. ADJOURN**

*The meeting was adjourned at 7:27 pm.*