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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

UNIVERSITY INITIATIVES COMMITTEE MEETING 55-11

*DATE AND TIME: September 25th, 2025 at 5:00
p.m.*

**Student Union - CSUN Senate Chambers 313R
University of Nevada, Las Vegas
4505 S. Maryland Parkway
Las Vegas, Nevada 89154**

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***CHAIR HANKINS
OF THE UNIVERSITY INITIATIVES COMMITTEE***

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AGENDA
Call to Order and Roll Call
No. of Committee Members: **11**
Quorum: **7**

Chair: Hankins - *Present*
Vice Chair: *To be appointed*
Member: Briones - *Present until 6:15PM*
Member: Cameron - *Present*
Member: Gerwaski - *Present, excused until 6:00PM*
Member: Hubshman - *Present*
Member: Le - *Present*
Member: Morfinez-Solis - *Present, excused until 7:00PM*
Member: Navarro Mendoza - *Present*
Member: Tecklay - *Excused*
Member: Yelvington - *Present*
Member: Montoya - *Unexcused*

The meeting was called to order at 5:20 pm

With 7 Senators present, quorum is met.

Closed: 5:21pm

1. PUBLIC COMMENT

(See foregoing notation regarding public comment)

INFORMATION ONLY

Opened: 5:21pm

Closed: 5:22pm

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Minutes for meeting 55-10, as posted to the public www.unlv.edu/csun/meeting-information

Opened: 5:22pm

Request is made for approval of minutes of previous meetings

Chair Hankins moves to a voice vote.

With a vote of 7-0-0 the 55-11 Meeting Minutes have been approved

Closed: 5:22pm

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: 7:34pm

Char Hankins outlines the rest of the term, highlighting more worksessions and transparency about coordinating a presentation with the Student Ambassadors for Fine arts

Chair Hankins opens the floor for questioning

Senator Hubshman asks about a point of contact for the presentation

Chair Hankins answers the question

Senator Gerwaski recommends a solution for coordinating with presenter

Chair Hankins responds

Senator Gerwaski recommends a way to schedule

Chair Hankins responds and reassures the committee that they've been working on the presenter since the summer

Closed: 7:45pm

B. Vice Chair's Report (Information Only)

The Vice 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: 7:45pm

Senator Cameron expresses gratitude to being appointed and working with Chair Hankins for remainder of the term

Closed: 7:46pm

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.

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.

**5.A Nomination and Appointment of University Initiatives Vice Chair
FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

Chair Hankins requests time for the discussion and approval of one (1) senator to serve as Vice Chair for the remainder of the 55th Senate Session, in accordance with CSUN Bylaw 103.02.A(2). The duties of the Vice Chair shall reflect the CSUN Constitution, Bylaws, and University Initiatives Operating Policy.

Opened: 5:22pm

Senator Hubshman nominates Senator Hubshman for Vice Chair

Senator Briones nominates Senator Cameron

Senator Cameron accepts the nomination

Senator Hubshman begins her speech

Senator Cameron begins her speech

Senator Briones asks a question to the candidates regarding an experience they'd like to gain

Senator Hubshman and Senator Cameron answer the question

Senator Hankins asks Attorney General Rejas a question regarding quorum voting

Attorney General Rejas answers

Senator Hankins asks a follow up question confirming the voting count

Attorney General Rejas answers

Senator Hankins chooses to abstain from the vote as Chair

Chair Hankins goes onto a voice vote for the the approval of the appointment of Senator Cameron as Vice Chair

With a 4-2-1 vote, Senator Cameron becomes the Vice Chair of the University Initiatives committee

Closed: 5:33pm

**5.B Discussion and Approval of EB 55-06: AN ACT TO AMEND THE BYLAWS
AND ESTABLISH A CSUN PROTECTION AND HYDRATION PROJECT
FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

CSUN Student Body President Odunze requests time for the discussion and approval of Executive Bill 55-06 (as attached in the accompanying supplemental materials). Deliberation and amendments to the bill can occur under this agenda item.

Opened: 6:16pm

President Odunze presents the bill

Chair Hankins opens the floor for questioning

Senator Cameron asks a question regarding the tracking of usage

Senator Navarro-Mendoza asks a question regarding the choice of the products

Senator Hubshman asks a question about the limit of products per students

Senator Gerwaski commends President Odunze for the bill

Chair Hankins opens a period of voting

With a vote of 7-0-0, the bill has been approved.

Closed: 6:26pm

5.C Discussion and Approval of SB 55-130: AN ACT TO CREATE A ONE-TIME SPONSORSHIP FOR THE UNLV GLOBAL INTERNATIONAL SUCCESS PROGRAMS FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Chair Hankins requests time for the discussion and approval of Senate Bill 55-130 (as attached in the accompanying supplemental materials). Deliberation and amendments to the bill can occur under this agenda item.

Opened: 5:54pm

Chair Hankins provides context before the presenter

Senior Director of International Student and Scholar Success Programs, Anna White presents

Senator Gerwaski joins the meeting virtually at 6:00pm

The Quorum is now at 8 senators.

Chair Hankins opens the floor for questioning

Senator Navarro-Mendoza asks a question

Chair Hankins opens a period of voting

With a vote of 8-0-0, the bill has been approved

Closed: 6:16pm

At 6:16pm, Senator Briones is excused from the meeting.

At 6:16pm, quorum is now at 7 senators.

5.D Discussion and Approval of SB 55-128: AN ACT TO AN ACT TO CREATE A ONE-TIME SPONSORSHIP TO ENHANCE SAFETY WITH BIKE AND SCOOTER LOCKS FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Senator Briones and President Odunze requests time for the discussion and approval of Senate Bill 55-128 (as attached in the accompanying supplemental materials). Deliberation and amendments to the bill can occur under this agenda item.

Opened: 5:33 pm

Senator Briones presents the bill and thanks UPD for attending

UPD presents on behalf of the bill and thanks the committee for the collaboration

Senator Briones expresses his gratitude for the bill and further explains the bill

Chair Hankins opens the floor for questioning

Senator Le asks a question about the the funding for the locks

Senator Briones and UPD answers

Senator Hubshman asks a question regarding the distribution and safety for the locks

UPD answers and mentions an initiative to have individuals receive locks

Senator Navarro-Mendoza thanks the presenters and asks a question

UPD answers

Chair Hankins opens a period of voting to approve the bill

With a 7-0-0, the bill has been approved

Closed: 5:54pm

5.E [Work Session]: UNLV Artificial Intelligence (AI) Policies FOR INFORMATION ONLY

Senator Hubshman requests time for the committee to discuss the current state of Artificial Intelligence (AI) policies and general utilization within UNLV. The discussion

will be focused on addressing areas of concern and how the committee can address said concerns through initiative(s). No action will be taken on this agenda item.

Opened: 6:26pm

Senator Hubshman leads the work session and Robert's Rule of Orders has been suspended.

Senator Navarro-Mendoza commends the work session provided

Senator Cameron recommends adding class standing to the survey

Senator Yelvington recommends adding question to the survey

Senator Le adds on to the rest of the senators and recommends a question

Senator Gerwaski questions the intention of the survey

Senator Hubshman mentions it was to gauge out student feedback

Chair Hankins explains the purpose of the work session

Senator Yelvington asks a question about the survey

Senator Gerwaski discusses his role in the committee

Senator Hubshman expresses clarification of questioning

Senator Gerwaski asks for clarification about the work session

Chair Hankins clarifies the work session

Senator Hubshman clarifies the intention of the work session

Senator Le takes a point of personal privilege at 6:52pm

At 6:53pm, Senator Morfinez-Solis arrives at the meeting in-person

Senator Le returns from a point of personal privilege at 6:53 pm

The Quorum is now at 8 senators

Chair Hankins further elaborates of the purpose of the work session

Senator Yelvington adds on to proposing it to their respective dean

Senator Gerwaski clarifies and mentions a focus group fact

Senator Hubshman asks for input

Senator Navarro-Mendoza recommends input for the survey

Senator Navarro-Mendoza requests information of hospitality from the survey

Senator Gerwaski discusses about A.I and talks about the focus group survey from Engineering

Senator Cameron includes input about survey and their respective colleges

Chair Hankins elaborates and includes there will be more work sessions

Closed: 7:18pm

5.F [Work Session]: Title IX and CSUN Coordination FOR INFORMATION ONLY

Senator Hubshman requests time for the committee to discuss how Title IX and CSUN can work together to enhance the provision of services for the undergraduate student population. The discussion will be focused on addressing areas of concern and how the committee can address said concerns through initiative(s). No action will be taken on this agenda item.

Opened: 7:18pm

Senator Hubshman leads the work session and Robert's Rule of Orders has been suspended. Hubshman further clarifies the intention and purpose of the work session

Chair Hankins asks to give clarification on the case

Senator Hubshman clarifies the information

Senator Hankins mentions background from UNR and the office including a dashboard

Senator Gerwaski abstains from and future Title IX and CSUN Coordination session

Senator Narvarro-Mendoza asks a question

Senator Hubshman answers the question

Chair Hankins recommends a call to action

Senator Hubshman gives input on marketing

Chair Hankins asks a follow up question

Senator Hubshman answers

Chair Hankins asks the committee on where to proceed after

Senator Cameron gives input on where to proceed

Senator Hubshman thanks the committee for discussion and questioning for the work session

Closed: 7:34pm

6. PUBLIC COMMENT

INFORMATION ONLY

Opened: 7:46pm

Closed: 7:47pm

7. ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 7:47pm.