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University of Nevada, Las Vegas

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

WAYS AND MEANS

COMMITTEE MEETING

55-16

DATE AND TIME: 9.9.25 @ 5:00pm

Student Union - CSUN Senate Chambers 313R
University of Nevada, Las Vegas
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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: 7
Quorum: 5

Chair: Curry - *Present*

Vice Chair: Coss - *Present*

Member: Hubshman - *Present*

Member: Perez Martinez - *Present*

Member: Prieto - *Present*

Member: Tuitele - *Excused*

Member: Brooks - *Present*

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Meeting called to order at 5:08

With 6 senators, we are meeting quorum

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

Opened at 5:11 pm

Chair Curry opens the floor any to public comments

Seeing none, he closes public comment at 5:12 pm

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

Minutes for meeting 55-15 as posted to the public www.unlv.edu/csun/meeting-information

Opened at 5:10 pm

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve the minutes.

With a vote of 6-0-0, the minutes are approved

Closed at 5:10 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 7:23 pm

Chair Curry says he is proud of us for passing many bills. The committee's next RSO emails and bills are due this week. Chair Curry will also update our email templates

Closed at 7:24

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.

5a. Discussion and Approval of Funding for Rebel Reads

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-52 For a funding request of no more than \$3,348.34 submitted by Rebel Reads all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-52 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 5:10 pm

Senator Perez-Martinez notes that we must open public comment first

Closed at 5:11 pm

Reopened at 5:12 pm

Representatives from Rebel Reads are present to explain who they are, what they do, and how they affect the undergraduate student body.

Chair Curry opens the floor to questioning

Vice Chair Coss notes that they stayed within the budget and guidelines and thanks the RSO

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve senate bill 55-52

With a vote of 6-0-0, the senate bill is approved

Closed at 5:19 pm

5b. Discussion and Approval of Funding for Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-75 For a funding request of no more than \$4,752.53 submitted by Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-75 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 5:19 pm

Representatives from Delta Sigma Theta Sorority are present to explain who they are, what they do, and how they affect the undergraduate student body.

Vice Chair Coss raises concern over line items 12, 13, and 14 due to the operating policy. Line item 12 should be halved (it is a conference) and line items 13 and 14 cannot coexist due both being wearable items for general members.

Chair Curry notes that without a quote for line item 12, we cannot fund it.

Chair Curry invites a motion to table while the RSO searches for relevant information

Senator Prieto moves to table the item for 10 minutes.

Senator Hubshman seconds the motion

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to table the item, with a vote of 6-0-0, item 5b is tabled for 10 minutes.

Tabled at 5:30

Reopened at 5:41 pm

Chair Curry opens the discussion about the Conference Registration (line item 12) and he halves the price. They RSO also removes line item 13.

Senator Brooks clarifies that the conference registration is 560 dollars per person, not for 5 people in total.

Senator Hubshman brings up the idea that it might be out of the fiscal year's cycle, but the funding will go towards the conference in 2026, not July 2025.

Senator Prieto notes that they are about \$700 over budget for only having ten members.

The RSO says they can cut the registration from 5 members to 3 members.

They are still 300 dollars over budget.

Senator Perez-Martinez mentions that there are no names on the senate bill, this is a clerical error and will be fixed after the meeting.

Senator Brooks notes that line item 7 “supplies” must be broken down into separate compartments and should not be grouped together.

The RSO decided to remove supplies entirely.

AG Rejas asks if printing materials can be cut.

Chair Curry notes that this is a service and can stay.

The RSO does not want to reduce their budget, and Chair Curry notes that we will have to cut it down on our own if they do not choose what they want to cut.

The RSO decided to reduce the storage bin by 1.

Chair Brooks asks if we can “print materials” from 10 to 9.

The RSO says we can just remove printing materials and asks for her storage bins back.

This brings their budget down to just over 3,100.

AG Rejas notes that they are under budget and asks if there is anything they want to re-add

Chair Curry gives them a 1 minute time limit to discuss before we vote on the bill.

The RSO asks for a banner that they do not have a quote for.

Chair Curry notes that they cannot do this. He asks if they want printing materials back.

He gives them 8 printing materials back, which brings there budget to just under 4,000.

Senator Brooks moves to amend senate bill 55-75 addendum B to contain the correct budget sheet.

Chair curry notes it already has the correct budget.

Senator Brooks rescinds her motion

Senator Brooks moves to amend senate bill 55-75 to read “WHEREAS, the student organization, after being seen by the Ways and Means Committee, has been approved for an amount not to exceed \$3,967.52;

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, CSUN shall appropriate \$3,967.52 onetime to fund the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. 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.”

The motion is seconded by Senator Prieto

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote, but senator Hubshman notes that it is actually one cent off.

Senator Prieto rescinds his second

Senator Brooks rescinds her motion

Senator Brooks moves to amend senate bill 55-75 to read “WHEREAS, the student organization, after being seen by the Ways and Means Committee, has been approved for an amount not to exceed \$3,967.53;

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, CSUN shall appropriate \$3,967.53 onetime to fund the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. 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.”

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve the amendment, with a vote of 6-0-0, the motion carries.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve senate bill 55-75, with a vote of 6-0-0, the bill has been approved.

Closed at 5:57pm

5c.Discussion and Approval of Funding for UNLV Wine Society

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-76 For a funding request of no more than \$9,610.80 submitted by UNLV Wine Society all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-76 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 5:30

A representative from UNLV Wine Society is present to explain who they are, what they do, and how they affect the undergraduate student body.

Chair Curry opens the floor to questioning

Senator Perez-Martinez lets the chair know that there is a clerical error with the senate bill.

Senator Prieto notes that we can only fund 50% of travel and this must be reflected in the budget sheet.

The RSO notes that they already sent us an updated budget sheet with the travel prices already cut in half.

Senator Perez-Martinez notes that within the funding request, because there are 44 undergraduate members, the maximum funding is around \$7,000, and currently the budget sheet reflects a number north of 9,000.

The RSO asks how far over the budget they are. He notes he can remove line item 11 (the Level 2 Diploma)

Senator Hubshman moves to amend senate bill 55-76 addendum b to contain the correct budget sheet.

Seconded by Senator Prieto

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote. With a vote of 6-0-0, the amendment carries.

Senator Hubshman moves to amend senate bill 55-76 to read "WHEREAS, the student organization, after being seen by the Ways and Means Committee, has been approved for an amount not to exceed \$7549.80;

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, CSUN shall appropriate \$7549.80 one time to fund the UNLV Wine Society 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. With a vote of 6-0-0, the amendment carries.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve senate bill 55-76, with a vote of 6-0-0, the bill has been approved.

5d.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 5:57

The RSO is not present

Closed at 5:57

5e.Discussion and Approval of Funding for UNLV Cosplay Club

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-79 For a funding request of no more than UNLV Cosplay Club submitted by \$1,014.05 all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-79 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

The RSO is not present

Closed at 5:58

5f.Discussion and Approval of Funding for Black Student Organization

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-80 For a funding request of no more than \$10,864.67 submitted by Black Student Organization all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-80 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 5:59 pm

A representative from the Black Student Organization is present to explain who they are, what they do, and how they affect the undergraduate student body.

Chair Curry opens the floor to questioning

Senator Brooks asks if the conference ticketing and lodging has already been cut in half.

The RSO shows us their quotes and notes that it has already been halved and is now even less than half.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to approve senate bill 55-80, with a vote of 6-0-0, the bill is approved.

Closed at 6:06 pm

5g.Discussion and Approval of Funding for VAW Global Health Alliance -Medical Chapter

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-81 For a funding request of no more than \$12,500.00 submitted by VAW Global Health Alliance -Medical Chapter all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student

Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-81 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

A representative from the VAW Global Health Alliance is present to explain who they are, what they do, and how they affect the undergraduate student body.

Chair Curry opens the floor to questioning

Senator Prieto asked if the flights have already been cut in half.

Chair Curry clarifies that the flights are \$759 per person

Chair Curry and Senator Coss note that the budget sheet does not reflect the quotes, and they must fix this to get funding.

Senator Prieto moves to table agenda item 10b for 10 minutes

The motion is seconded by senator Hubshman

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote to table the item, with a vote of 6-0-0, the motion carries

Tabled at 6:13pm

Reopened at 6:31 pm

RSO explains Budget changes

Senator Brooks wishes for new flight quotes to be sent to committee

Senator Perez Martinez motions to amend SB 55-81 Addendum A to display the new updated budget.

Seconded by Senator Hubshman

Vote Passes 5-0-0

Senator brooks motions to amend SB 55-81 to read WHEREAS, the student organization, after being seen by the Ways and Means Committee, has been approved for an amount not to exceed \$9,690.24;

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, CSUN shall appropriate \$9,690.24 one time to fund the UNLV Wine Society 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

Vote Passes 5-0-0

Chair Curry calls for a vote on SB 55-81

Vote Passes 5-0-0

Closed at 6:43 pm

5h. Discussion and Approval of Funding for Muslim Students Association

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-83 For a funding request of no more than \$12,500.00 submitted by Muslim Students Association all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate

Bill 55-83 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 6:13 pm

A representative from the Muslim Students Association Global Health Alliance is present to explain who they are, what they do, and how they affect the undergraduate student body.

Senator Curry opens the floor to questioning

Senator Perez Martinez notes that we cannot fund one-time use items. We cut line items 8 and 9.

The RSO notes that they sent us the wrong budget and Chair Curry raises the new budget for questioning. Line items 9 and 10 are cut for being single-use.

For the record, Vice Chair Coss is excused at 6:24

Senator Perez Martinez Questions about Plates, Utensils in budget

RSO explains how they are biodegradable

Chair Curry asks about potential surcharge

RSO explains, the formula they used in the budget

Senator Perez Martinez asks about clothing items and the limit to one item of clothing

RSO asks for extra time to edit quote for shirts

RSO wishes to be tabled

Senator Brooks motions to tables agenda item for 10 minutes

Seconded by Senator Hubshman

Chair Curry calls for vote to table

Vote Passes: 5-0-0

Tabled at 6:31 pm

Reopened at 6:44 pm

RSO explains changes to Budget

Senator Perez Martinez asks RSO about reasoning for Shirts and different colors

Senator Brooks motions to amend SB 55-83 addendum A to display the updated budget

Seconded by Senator Hubshman

Vote passes 5-0-0

Senator Hubshman Motions to Amend 55-83 to read WHEREAS, the student organization, after being seen by the Ways and Means Committee, has been approved for an amount not to exceed \$12,496.40;

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, CSUN shall appropriate \$12,496.40 one time to fund the UNLV Wine Society 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

Vote Passes 5-0-0

Chair Curry calls for a vote on SB 55-83

Vote passes 5-0-0

Closed at 6:50

5i.Discussion and Approval of Funding for Latino Pre-Medical Student Association

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-73 For a funding request of no more than \$2,753.00 submitted by Latino Pre-Medical Student Association all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-73 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 6:52 pm

For the record, Vice Chair Coss returns at 6:52 pm

RSO Gives Presentation

Senator Prieto asks about the ticketed item (the springs preserve) and notes that our operating policy will only fund half of this.

The RSO says they do not want to cut this because they still want 30 people to attend

Vice Chair Coss says they can still fund this, but only half of this.

Chair Curry halves the amount of line item 13

Senator Perez-Martinez asks about the tissue paper. They note that they use these to make flowers and they reuse them for multiple cultural events.

Senator Perez-Martinez makes the statement that there are clerical errors on the bill

Senator Brooks moves to amend senate bill 55-73 to read "WHEREAS, the student organization, after being seen by the Ways and Means Committee, has been approved for an amount not to exceed \$2,529.88

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, CSUN shall appropriate \$2,529.88 onetime to fund the Latino Pre-medical Student Association 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 Prieto seconds the motion

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote, with a vote of 6-0-0, the senate bill passes.

Chair Curry calls for a vote on SB 55-73

With a vote of 6-0-0, senate bill 55-73 passes.

Closed at 7:02

5j.Discussion and Approval of Funding for UNLV Model United Nations

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-74 For a funding request of no more than \$10,000.00 submitted by UNLV Model United Nations all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate

Bill 55-74 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 7:07

RSO gives presentation

Chair Curry opens the floor for questioning

Senator Prieto notes that line item 13 is a subscription and cannot be funded due to our operating policy

Chair Curry removes line item 13.

Senator Brooks notes we are only allowed to fund one clothing item for general members. (line items 3, 7, 8, 9)

They reduce the hats and hoodies and instead add to the t-shirts and quarter zips.

We merge the two separate budget tabs to read as one

Senator Hubshman moves to amend senate bill 55-71 to read “WHEREAS, the student organization, after being seen by the Ways and Means Committee, has been approved for an amount not to exceed \$9,958.95;

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, CSUN shall appropriate \$9,958.95 onetime to fund the UNLV Model United Nations 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, with a vote of 6-0-0, bill is amended

Chair Curry calls for a vote on SB 55-71

With a vote of 6-0-0, senate bill 55-71 passes.

Closed at 7:21

5k.Discussion and Approval of Funding for Multicultural Greek Council

Chair Curry requests time for the Discussion and Approval of Senate Bill 55-48 For a funding request of no more than \$12,493.25 submitted by Multicultural Greek Council all costs must be encumbered from the CSUN FY26 Student Organization Line. Senate Bill 55-48 may be found in the CSUN Legislation Record. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the committee

Opened at 7:02 pm

The RSO presents their budget

Chair Curry opens the floor to questioning

Senator Brooks questioned line items 11, 12, and 7. She asks if these are wearable items.

Chair Curry clarifies that these are considered awards.

Senator Perez-Martinez asks if they are an NSHE supplier.

Chair Curry clarifies that yes, they are.

Chair Curry calls for a voice vote for the approval of senate bill 55-48.

With a vote of 6-0-0, the senate bill passes.

Closed at 7:07

5l.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

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 7:22

Senator Prieto leaves for a point of personal privilege at 7:22pm

There are no public comments

Closed at 7:23 pm

8. ADJOURN

Adjourned at 7:25 pm