



UNLVCSUN

STUDENT GOVERNMENT

CONSOLIDATED STUDENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA, LAS VEGAS

55th Executive Session

EXECUTIVE BILL 55-16

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE ONE TIME SPONSORSHIP FUNDS FOR THE CSUN COMMUTER FUND

Bill Number: EB 55-16

Authors of Legislation: Kelechi Odunze, Student Body President

Sponsor of Legislation: EXECUTIVE BOARD

WHEREAS, the Consolidated Students of the University of Nevada (CSUN) represents all 27,000+ undergraduate students enrolled at the University of Nevada Las Vegas; **AND**

WHEREAS, the Senate of the Consolidated Students of the University of Nevada, under the authority of CSUN Constitution VI.D.01, is “empowered to enact any legislation that falls under the jurisdiction of CSUN”; **AND**

WHEREAS, many undergraduate students at UNLV face unexpected and ongoing transportation related financial challenges that directly affect their ability to attend classes, participate in campus life, and succeed academically; **AND**

WHEREAS, the CSUN Commuter Fund aims to promote equity and access to education by alleviating unexpected commuting-related costs through need-based student funding administered in partnership with the Office of Student Support and Advocacy (OSSA); **AND**

WHEREAS, According to data received from students provided by OSSA, during the Fall 2025 funding period, a total of 82 applications were received, of which only 29 students were awarded funds, leaving over 64% of applicants without support; **AND**

WHEREAS, the average award amount distributed was \$375.81, showing that students are frequently asking for higher amounts; **AND**

WHEREAS, increasing funding would allow a greater number of students to be served; **AND**

WHEREAS, According to the 2024-2025 UNLV Common Data Set under Addendum A, 96% of all undergraduate students at UNLV commute to campus, and 80% of first year students at UNLV commute to campus;

THEREFORE, BE IT ENACTED, that CSUN provide \$10,000 of one time sponsorship funding for the CSUN Commuter Fund Sponsorship unless otherwise amended.

ADDENDUM A

Common Data Set 2024-2025

F. STUDENT LIFE

F1. Percentages of first-time, first-year degree-seeking students and degree-seeking undergraduates enrolled in Fall 2024 who fit the following categories:

	First-time, first-year students	Undergraduates
Percent who are from out of state (exclude international/nonresident from the numerator and denominator)	12.00	10.10
Percent of men who join fraternities	0.79	1.13
Percent of women who join sororities	2.66	2.56
Percent who live in college-owned, -operated, or -affiliated housing	20.00	4.00
Percent who live off campus or commute	80.00	96.00
Percent of students age 25 and older	0.20	12.00
Average age of full-time students	18.20	22.40
Average age of all students (full- and part-time)	18.20	22.40

F2. Activities offered Identify those programs available at your institution.

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Campus Ministries | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Literary magazine | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Radio station |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Choral groups | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Marching band | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Student government |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Concert band | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Model UN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Student newspaper |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dance | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Music ensembles | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Student-run film society |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Drama/theater | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Musical theater | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Symphony orchestra |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> International Student Organization | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Opera | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Television station |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jazz band | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pep band | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yearbook |

F3. ROTC (program offered in cooperation with Reserve Officers' Training Corps)

Army ROTC is offered:

- On campus
 At cooperating institution (name):

Naval ROTC is offered:

- Marine Option
 On campus
 At cooperating institution (name):

Air Force ROTC is offered:

EB 55-16, ADOPTED by the Senate on this ___ Day of ___, 20__

Sharon Flores, Senate President

Liana Wieand, Senate Secretary

EB 55-16, APPROVED on this ___ Day of ___, 20__ by

Kelechi Odunze, Student Body President