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

# NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

# SENATE MEETING 56-21

*DATE AND TIME: May 18th, 2026 at 5:00pm*

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

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# ROLL CALL

Seated Senators**: 21/25**

Quorum: 12

CHAIR: **Senate President Flores**

**Howard R. Hughes College of Engineering**

- Senator Rafa- *Present*
- Senator Mohen- *Excused*
- Senator Rodriguez- *Present*

**College of Liberal Arts**

- Senate President Pro-Tempore Ibarra Lira- *Present*
- Senator Le- *Present*
- Senator Prieto- *Present*
- VACANT
- Senator King- *Present*
- Senator Shelton-Lott- *Present*

**College of Fine Arts**

- Senator Hankins- *Present*
- Senator Oliver- *Present*

**College of Sciences**

- Senator Saade-*Excused*
- Senator Gutierrez- *Present*

**Greenspun College of Urban Affairs**

- Senator Coss- *Present*
- VACANT

**William F. Harrah College of Hospitality**

- Senator Navarro Mendoza- *Excused until 5:10 pm, Present at 5:10 pm*

**Lee Business School**

- VACANT
- Senator Cameron- *Present*
- VACANT
- Senator Beals- *Excused*

**College of Education**

- Senator Taylor- *Unexcused*

**Division of Health Sciences**

- Senator Briones- *Present*
- Senator Yelvington- *Excused*
- Senator Goodmans- *Excused until 6 pm*
- Senator Phui- *Present*

*The meeting was called to order at 5:05 pm. With 14 Senators present, quorum is met.*

# 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: 5:07 pm*

   *Closed: 5:08 pm*

2. **PUBLIC COMMENT INFORMATION ONLY**

   *(See foregoing notation regarding public comment)*

   *Opened: 5:08 pm*

   *Closed: 5:08 pm*

3. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

   56-20 Meeting Minutes – as posted to the public www.unlv.edu/csun/meeting-information

   *Opened: 5:08 pm*

   *Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote to approve the 56-20 Meeting Minutes.*

   *With a vote of 14-0-0 the 56-20 Meeting Minutes were approved.*

   *Closed: 5:09 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: 6:12 pm*

   - Ways & Means - Chair Coss
     *Chair Coss- Talks about receipt collection and upcoming meeting.*

   - Scholarships & Grants - Chair Briones
     *Chair Briones- Talks about the upcoming meeting and department emails.*

   - Internal Affairs - Chair Le
     *Chair Le- Talks about meeting with Advisor Hare.*

- University Initiatives - Chair Cameron

  *Chair Cameron- Talks about the upcoming meeting,summer availability, and upcoming events.*

*Closed: 6:16 pm*

**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: 6:16 pm*

*Advisor Hare- Congratulates new CSUN members, NSO sign up, and out of office.*

*Advisor Dow- Congratulates new CSUN members, CSUN internship program, and to contact if anything needed.*

*Closed: 6:18 pm*

**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: 6:18 pm*

- Senate President Pro Tempore

  *SPPT Ibarra Lira- Shout outs Chief of Staff and President for attending NASC meeting and Chair training.*

- Attorney General
- Directors
- Judicial Council

  *Chief Justice Adams- Talks about upcoming newsletter and upcoming meeting.*

- Chief of Staff

  *Chief of Staff Munoz- Talks about storage room check out, upcoming Board of Regents meeting, and interviews.*

*Closed: 6:22 pm*

**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: 6:22 pm*

- President

  *President Odunze- Congratulates new Directors, upcoming Board of Regents meeting, initiatives, and Southern Student Government Summit.*

- Vice President

- Senate President
  *Senate President Flores- States upcoming June 1st Senate Meeting and Senate vacancies.*

*Closed: 6:28 pm*

***ESTIMATED TIME: 30 minutes***

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

**A. Discussion And Approval of Senate Bill 56-62: An Act To Appropriate One-Time Funds For The Electronic Charging Tables**
Chair Cameron requests time for the discussion and approval of Senate Bill 56-62: An Act To Appropriate One-Time Funds For The Electronic Charging Tables. Senate Bill 56-62 may be found in the CSUN Supplemental material. The request may be subject to amendment at the discretion of the Senate.

*Opened: 5:09 pm*

*Senator Phui- Presents SB 56-62 as found in the supplemental materials. Provides additional presentation on the high top power tables for the SU, as found in the supplemental materials.*

*Senator Coss- Asks if charging cords come with the tables.*

*Senator Phui- States they are with the table.*

*Senator Coss- Asks if students can take the chargers and what type of chargers they were.*

*Senator Phui- states they are phone chargers.*

*Senator Le- Asks about the height of the table.*

*Senator Phui- Provides dimensions of the table.*

*Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote to approve SB 56-62.*

*With a vote of 15-0-0, SB 56-62 has been approved.*

*Senator Mavarro Mendoza is present at 5:10 pm. 15 Senators are present.*

*Closed: 5:21 pm*

**B. Discussion And Approval of Internal Directive 56-01**
Chair Le requests time for the discussion and approval of Internal Directive 56-01. Internal Directive 56-01 may be found in the CSUN Supplemental material.

*Opened: 5:21 pm*

*Chair Le- Presents Internal Directive 56-01 as found in the supplemental materials. Explains what an Internal Directive is and goes over the complaint.*

*Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote to approve Internal Directive 56-01.*

*With a vote of 15-0-0, Internal Directive 56-01 has been approved.*

*Closed: 5:23 pm*

**C. [Work Session] Proposed Amendment to the NSHE Code**
President Odunze requests time for the Presentation of the Proposed Amendment to the NSHE Code, Chapter 1, Section 1.3.6. This presentation is for information only and no voting will take place under this item.

*Opened: 5:23 pm*

*President Odunze- Explains the Proposed Amendment to the NSHE Code, Chapter 1, Section 1.3.6 which is a change to the CSUN Constitutional amendment process. The revision can be found in the supplemental materials. Shows concern for adding an additional step to an already lengthy process.*

*Terina Caserto- State they will strictly review amendments and talks about the review process.*

*Melissa Barnard- Agrees with Terina Caserto.*

*SPPT Ibarra Lira- Asks about changes being voted in by the Board of Regents and when the changes would take effect.*

*Melissa Barnard- States it is scheduled for the June Board of Regents meeting.*

*President Odunze- Asks if signature for review is required.*

*Melissa Barnard- Talks about review in guidance with policy consistencies.*

*Closed: 5:33 pm*

**D. Discussion And Approval of the Workgroup on Student Association Fee Assessment**
President Ozunze requests time for the discussion and approval of the Workgroup on Student Association Fee Assessment: Kean Allen Dino, Andy Hang, Naji Faid, Nancy Munoz, Charlette Cameron, Isaac Briones, Kahlen Coss, Pio Rejas, Lauren Beals, Aliza Mendez-Loya, Luluca Manandjar, Jimena Orzoco, Devin Streuter. Deliberation and possible amendments may occur under this agenda item.

*Opened: 5:33 pm*

*Senate President Flores- Explains names listed under the Agenda Item are to be appointed.*

*President Odunze- Asks the Senate to remove Naji Faid under the Agenda Item.*

*Senator Navarro- Motions to remove "Naji Faid" under Agenda Item 5D.*

*SPPT Ibarra Lira- Seconds motion.*

*Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote to approve the motion to remove "Naji Faid" under Agenda Item 5D.*

*With a vote of 15-0-0, the motion to remove "Naji Faid" under Agenda Item 5D has been approved.*

*Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote to approve the members of the Workgroup on Student Association Fee Assessment.*

*With a vote of 15-0-0, the members of the Workgroup on Student Association Fee Assessment have been approved.*

*Closed: 5:36 pm*

***ESTIMATED TIME: 60 minutes***

**6. ADMINISTRATION** **FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

Administration is any business or motion that is related to CSUN operating as an entity; including but not limited to appointments, confirmations, and approval of operating policies. All items will be for possible action unless otherwise stated.

**A. Appointment of Joseph Keller as Director of Elections & Operations**

President Odunze requests time for the presentation and approval of Joseph Keller as Director of Elections & Operations. The candidate will have time under this item to present their candidacy and answer any questions from the Senate. The agenda item will be opened if the candidate is nominated by the Executive Board. Deliberation will take place under this agenda.

*Opened: 5:36 pm*

*Senate President Flores- Explains appointment process.*

*Candidate Keller- Delivers speech for the position as Director of Elections & Operations. Provides additional presentation as found in the supplemental materials.*

*Senator Taylor is present at 5:39 pm. 16 Senators are present.*

*Senator Shelton-Lott- Shows favor towards the candidate.*

*Senator Coss- Asks about ideas for interns.*

*Candidate Keller- States they want to get a diverse view of the department.*

*Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote to approve Candidate Keller for the position as Director of Elections & Operations.*

*With a vote of 15-0-0 Candidate Keller has been approved for the position as Director of Elections & Operations.*

*Closed: 5:45 pm*

**B. Appointment of Lauren Beals as Director of Elections & Operations**

President Odunze requests time for the presentation and approval of Lauren Beals as Director of Elections & Operations. The candidate will have time under this item to present their candidacy and answer any questions from the Senate. The agenda item will be opened if the candidate is nominated by the Executive Board. Deliberation will take place under this agenda.

C. **Appointment of Isaac Culin Sanchez as Director of Civic & Legislative Affairs**
President Odunze requests time for the presentation and approval of Isaac Culin Sanchez as Director of Civic & Legislative Affairs. The candidate will have time under this item to present their candidacy and answer any questions from the Senate. The agenda item will be opened if the candidate is nominated by the Executive Board. Deliberation will take place under this agenda.

*Opened: 5:45 pm*

*Candidate Culin Sanchez- Delivers speech for the position as Director of Civic & Legislative Affairs. Provides additional presentation as found in the supplemental materials.*

*Chief of Staff Munoz- Asks how they would manage the Associate Directors and their goals.*

*Candidate Culin Sanchez- Talks about meeting with the departments and holding biweekly 1:1 meetings.*

*Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote to approve Candidate Culin Sanchez for the position as Director of Civic & Legislative Affairs.*

*With a vote of 15-0-0 Candidate Keller has been approved for the position as Director of Civic & Legislative Affairs.*

*Closed: 5:51 pm*

D. **Appointment of Lauren Beals as Director of Civic & Legislative Affairs**
President Odunze requests time for the presentation and approval of Lauren Beals as Director of Civic & Legislative Affairs. The candidate will have time under this item to present their candidacy and answer any questions from the Senate. The agenda item will be opened if the candidate is nominated by the Executive Board. Deliberation will take place under this agenda.

E. **Appointment of Charlize Smith as Director of Marketing & Social Media**
President Odunze requests time for the presentation and approval of Charlize Smith as Director of Marketing & Social Media. The candidate will have time under this item to present their candidacy and answer any questions from the Senate. The agenda item will be opened if the candidate is nominated by the Executive Board. Deliberation will take place under this agenda.

F. **Appointment of Ivy Hoskins as Director of Marketing & Social Media**
President Odunze requests time for the presentation and approval of Ivy Hoskins as Director of Marketing & Social Media. The candidate will have time under this item to present their candidacy and answer any questions from the Senate. The agenda item will be opened if the candidate is nominated by the Executive Board. Deliberation will take place under this agenda.

*Opened: 5:51 pm*

*Candidate Hoskins- Delivers speech for the position as Director of Marketing & Social Media. Provides additional presentation as found in the supplemental materials.*

*Senator Coss- Shows favor towards the candidate. Asks about their vision for interns.*

*Candidate Hoskins- Wants to generalize marketing and show interns the whole process.*

*Senator Shelton-Lott takes a point of personal privilege at 5:57 pm. 14 Senators are present.*

*Senator Shelton-Lott returns from a point of personal privilege at 6:13 pm. 15 Senators are present.*

*Senate President Flores moves to a vote to approve Candidate Hoskins for the position as Director of Marketing & Social Media.*

*With a vote of 14-0-1Candidate Hoskins has been approved for the position as Director of Marketing & Social Media.*

*Closed: 5:59 pm*

**G. Appointment of 3 Associate Justices**

President Odunze requests time for the appointment of 3 Associate Justices. The full list of eligible candidates is as follows: Andrew Meyers, Annika De Lima, Camila Puente, Isabella Campos, Michelle Jones, Ria Karagdag. Only the candidates nominated by the Executive board will be taken into consideration under this agenda. The nominees will have time under this item to present their candidacy and answer any questions from the Senate. Deliberation will take place under this agenda.

*Opened:*

*Candidate Campos- Delivers speech for the position as an Associate Justice.*

*Candidate Karadag- Delivers speech for the position as an Associate Justice.*

*Senate President Flores- States there are three vacant seats.*

*Senator Oliver- Asks about time availability.*

*Candidate Campos- Talks about job and fall availability.*

*Candidate Karadag- Talks about summer and fall availability.*

*Senator Coss- Shows favor for Candidate Campos. Asks about outreach to non-prelaw students.*

*Candidate Campos- Talks about potential workshops on the Judicial Council.*

*Candidate Karadag- Talks about outreach events for the Judicial Council.*

*Senator Shelton-Lott- Shows favor for Candidate Campos.*

*Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote to approve Candidate Campos as an Associate Justice.*

*With a vote of 15-0-0, Candidate Campos has been appointed as an Associate Justice.*

*Senate President Flores moves to a voiced vote to approve Candidate Karadag as an Associate*

*Justice.*

*With a vote of 15-0-0, Candidate Karadag has been appointed as an Associate Justice.*

*Closed: 6:10 pm*

*Chief Justice Adams- Swears in new CSUN members.*

***ESTIMATED TIME: 60 minutes***

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

*Opened: 6:28 pm*

*Closed: 6:29 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: 6:29 pm*

*Senator Phui- Thanks for help with SB 56-62.*

*Senator Coss- Shows appreciation for the Judicial Council.*

*Senator Oliver- Updates on Food Pantry volunteer opportunity.*

*Closed: 6:30 pm*

***ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes***

**9. EXECUTIVE BRANCH SUMMATIONS** **INFORMATION ONLY**
The Executive Branch 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: 6:30 pm*

*Closed: 6:30 pm*

***ESTIMATED TIME: 10 minutes***

**10. ADJOURN**

*The meeting was adjourned at 6:30 pm.*