

Great Basin College Student Government Association

Minutes

12:30 P.M. November 4th, 2016

Meeting by Interactive System

Battle Mountain – GBC BM 1

Elko – Ronald V. Hicks SGA Senate Chambers LCSL 122

Ely – GBC 118

Pahrump – GBC PVC 122

Winnemucca – GBC 108

I. Call to Order: 12:36 PM

II. Roll Call

Executive Board

Augustina Fernandez, President Present

Vacant, Vice President

Megan Villarreal, Secretary Present

Adriana Mendez, Student Advocate Present

Battle Mountain Senator

Jonah Dueck Present

Elko Senators

Veronica Green Present (Arrived at 12:47 PM)

Jhovanny Mojarro Present

Jillian Pfarr Present (Arrived at 12:42 PM)

Ely Senators

Vacant

Pahrump Senators

Cristian Apolar Present

Paola Briseno-Rojo Present

Winnemucca Senators

Emilio Esteven Castillejos Present

Colton Irons Present

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE AGENDA AND PUBLIC POSTING

NOTE: Below is an agenda of all items scheduled to be considered. Notification is hereby provided that items on the agenda may be taken out of the order presented, two or more agenda items may be combined for consideration, and an agenda item may be removed from the agenda or discussion relating to an item on the agenda may be delayed at any time.

In accordance with NRS 241.020(6), supporting materials that are submitted to the Student Government Association (SGA) will be made available in advance of the meeting as follows: 1) from the SGA Student Advocate, call Adriana Mendez at (775) 753-2201 or email her at

adriana.mendez@gbcnv.edu; or, 2) by accessing the electronic version of the agenda posted on the SGA page of the GBC website:
http://gbcnv.edu/student_life/admin/sgadocs.html

In additional, a limited number of copies of any such supporting materials will be available at the meeting site.

Reasonable efforts will be made to assist and accommodate physically disabled persons attending the meeting. Please call Julie Byrnes in the Office for Students with Disabilities (775) 753-2271 in advance so that arrangements may be made.

III. Introduction of Guests **Information Only**

- None

IV. Public Comment **Information Only**

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In accordance with Attorney General Opinion No. 00-047, as restated in the Attorney General's Open Meeting Law Manual, the SGA President may prohibit comment if the content of that comment is a topic that is not relevant to, or within the authority of, the Student Government, or if the content is willfully disruptive of the meeting by being irrelevant, repetitious, slanderous, offensive, inflammatory, irrational or amounting to personal attacks or interfering with the rights of other speakers.

V. Approval of Agenda **For Possible Action**

A. Senator Dueck moved to approve the agenda for November 4th, 2016. Senator Mojarro seconded. **DISCUSSION:** Under Approval of Agenda there needs to be a space between the comma and 2016. Under New Business Action Item A in the third sentence will needs to be changed to was. Under Action Item B in the first sentence prizes needs to be added and in the second sentence the A in "And" needs to be changed to a lower case a and in the thirst sentence the F in "For" needs to be changed to a lower case f. Motion passed unanimously.

VI. Approval of Minutes **For Possible Action**

A. Senator Apolinar moved to approve the minutes for October 7th, 2016. Senator Dueck seconded. **DISCUSSION:** Invalid approval of October 7th, 2016 minutes; Senator Green was to abstain from the approval not motion it since she was not present for the October 7th meetings. Motion passed unanimously.

B. Senator Irons moved to approve the minutes for October 14th, 2016. Senator Briseno seconded. **DISCUSSION:** At the top under Minutes, November needs to be changed to October. In the headers of the second, third and fourth pages, November needs to be

changed to October. Under Approval of Agenda in the first sentence November needs to be changed to October. Under Approval of Minutes in the second sentence there should not be a comma after motion. Under Treasury Report there needs to be a space between the hyphen and None. Under Public Comment in the last sentence “Persian county” needs to be changed to Lovelock. Motion passed unanimously.

- VII. President’s Report** **Information Only**
- A.** President Augustina Fernandez will discuss current SGA events and her current activities as SGA President.
- She talked about the Fall-Nival that will be taking place on Tuesday, November 8th at 6:00 pm.
 - She talked about the annual Zombie Apocalypse event that is sponsored by both SGA and the Library.
 - Also, the Library will be doing an online scavenger hunt during the week of November 17th through the 21st to help the students become more familiar with the Library webpage.
- VIII. Vice President’s Report** **Information Only**
- A.** N/A.
- IX. Treasury Report** **For Possible Action**
- A.** Facilities
- None
- X. Student Advocate’s Report** **Information Only**
- A.** Student Advocate Adriana Mendez will discuss current GBC events and items concerning SGA.
- She talked about the Northeastern Nevada College and Career Fair that took place during the week of Monday, October 31st through November 3rd.
 - She mentioned that the Student Recruiter position has been filled, and the new recruiter is Fallon Godwin-Butler, which she will be located in the Student Union.
 - Elko High School held their annual Financial Aid Night on Tuesday, November 1st at 5:30 pm in the High Tech Center, and she along with the new Student Recruiter were there to assist the Student Financial Services Department representatives and families in creating their FSA ID’s and completing their FAFSAs.
 - She talked about the emails she sent out regarding a special joint meeting that is to take place on Monday, November 7th at 11:00 am. It is an IAV meeting and all SGA members are strongly encouraged to attend because the Chancellor, Vice Chancellor and Chairman of NSHE and Board of Regents are to be on the Elko campus and they want to hear from students about the replacement options for President Curtis’ departure in June 2017.
- XI. Senator Reports** **Information Only**
- A.** Battle Mountain- During the Trick or Treating Halloween event at the Battle Mountain Civic Center there were a lot of people that stopped by the GBC booth. The Center had a contest for the best Halloween costumes, and the three students that participated ended up being the three winners.
- B.** Elko- The Senators ended up hiding 10 pumpkins around the campus for the Pumpkin Hunt, which nine out of the ten were found and returned back to the SGA Office. The President and Senators have been busy with creating the games, decorations,

shopping for the food, supplies, and prizes for the Carnival event that they named Fall-Nival.

- C. Ely- None
- D. Pahrump- To be courteous of their students that do not celebrate holidays they renamed their Halloween Week to Have a Wonderful Week and put out candy for students to take, which they appreciated. For Thanksgiving they are going to have a Thankful Tree and a Turkey Run. They are working on their End of Semester week as well, which they will have a glove, scarf, and sock drive.
- E. Winnemucca- They put out candy for students to take. They had three winners for the Skeleton Hunt Contest. They also had eight students participate in their Pumpkin carving/decorating event, which they had over 20 students that voted for their favorite pumpkins. All the participants received gift cards.

XII. Unfinished Business
XIII. New Business

- A. **Pahrump: Halloween Week Reimbursement** For Possible Action
Senator Green moved to approve the reimbursement request for Senator Apolinar in the amount of \$86.48. Senator Castillejos seconded. DISCUSSION: Since SGA was not able to hold two meetings, the agenda requests Senator Apolinar submitted were not approved, so he ended up purchasing the supplies and food for their Halloween Week (Have a Wonderful Week) that was held at the Pahrump Valley Center during the week of October 31st through November 3rd. Senator Apolinar Abstained; motion passed.
- B. **Elko: Zombie Night** For Possible Action
Senator Mojarro moved to approve Senator Pfarr request of a cap of \$200 for supplies and a cap of \$130 to purchase food and refreshments for the annual Zombie Night, that will be held in the Elko GBC Library on November 9th. Senator Green seconded. DISCUSSION: This annual event is co-sponsored by both SGA and the Library, so SGA helps with the event by both participating and purchasing snacks, light appetizers, and supplies, such as flashlights, make-up, dart guns, and prizes for the winners of the game. Motion passed unanimously.

XIV. Public Comment Information Only

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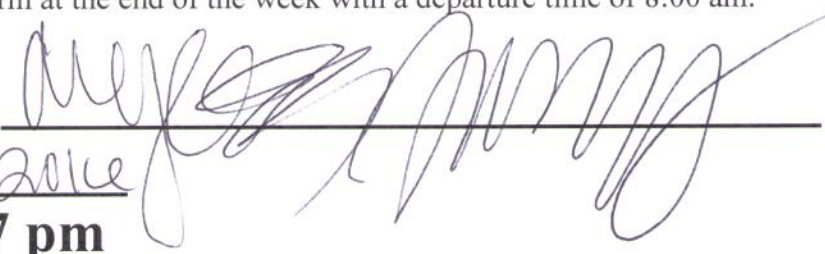
Posted in accordance with Nevada Open Meeting Law (NRS Ch. 241) at the following locations: The GBC SGA Website (www.gbcnv.edu), the GBC SGA Offices, Berg Hall, McMullen Hall, Lundberg Hall in the Elko Campus and E-mailed for posting at the GBC Centers: Battle Mountain, Ely, Pahrump, and Winnemucca.

- Student Advocate Mendez read the email that the Battle Born Veterans Club sent out to the Elko campus regarding a food pantry that they are going to place in the Student Financial Services Department for students to help themselves to the food that is available in the pantry. They were asking faculty and staff to participate in their food drive.
- President Fernandez read the email that Michael Bail, Computer Technologies Instructor and AIGA Advisor, sent out about the GBC participation they had for the Nevada Day Parade that took place on Friday, October 28th. Members of the AIGA and Battle Born Veterans club members along with some faculty and staff washed the GBC semi-truck and walked behind it passing/throwing out candy. They all had a great time!
- Senator Apolinar mentioned that members of the Nature Club were going on a field trip to China Range Date Farm at the end of the week with a departure time of 8:00 am.

SGA President: _____

Date: Nov 18, 2016

Adjourned: 1:07 pm

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, written over a horizontal line. The signature is cursive and appears to be the name of the SGA President.