

**GREAT BASIN COLLEGE
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION**

**Minutes
November 15, 2019
11:00 a.m.**

**Meeting by Interactive System
Battle Mountain – GBC BM 2
Elko – Ronald V. Hicks SGA Senate Chambers LCSL 122
Ely – GBC 112
Pahrump – GBC PVC 119
Winnemucca – GBC 115**

President Melanie Dodson called meeting to order at 11:04 a.m. Moved to roll call.

1. ROLL CALL

SGA President Melanie Dodson commenced with roll call.

Executive Board

- Present Melanie Dodson, President
- Present Kaylani Stevens, Vice President
- Present Brianne Davis, Secretary
- Vacant, Treasurer
- Present Chantell Garcia, Student Advocate

Battle Mountain Senator

- Present Abigail Millsap

Elko Senators

- Present Katelynn Gurr
- Present Bradley Nelson
- Present Arturo Ruiz
- Present Courtney Willis

Ely Senators

- Present Jessica Sturges

Pahrump Senators

- Present Katie Dempsey
- Present Zechariah Pritchard

Winnemucca Senators

- Present Christina Basso
- Late 11:29 Breanna Sowinski

Members of the Public Present:

- Jennifer Sprout
- Morgan Kisershot

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

INFORMATION

Jennifer Sprout asks if it is possible for SGA to give her the big event dates for the rest of the semester by February 15th 2020, so she can create a master calendar. She also discusses her plans for a newsletter and asks for input on how to have the newsletter distributed to all students. Morgan talks about her ideas for the distribution of the newsletter, and about the Facebook and social media pages. Jessie Sturges asks if the outlining centers need to also turn in their event dates by February 15th. We then all talked about the text sent out the night of the Bingo event. Chantell then asked how the best way for students to receive the newsletter would be. Secretary Davis suggested to have the newsletter on the Webcampus.

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Senator Willis motioned to approve the agenda for November 15, 2019. Senator Ruiz seconded.
DISCUSSION: Motion passed unanimously.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Senator Ruiz motioned to approve the minutes for November 8, 2019. Senator Gurr seconded.
DISCUSSION: Motion passed unanimously.

5. PRESIDENT’S REPORT

INFORMATION

President Dodson commends everyone on the work done on the Bingo Night. President Dodson hands out the Diversity release forms, for the Diversity Project. They want the students name, the program they are in, and a quote they like. The meeting for the Diversity group is Monday at 11 in McMullen 102. She is also hosting like for a Slice part 2, and No meeting on November 29th.

6. VICE PRESIDENT’S REPORT

INFORMATION

Vice President Dodson had the SOLAR club meeting this past week, game club is having a super smash bros tournament on November 19th and the NASA club is having their Indian Taco sale also on November 19th. She then talks about the Study Night event and how they cannot have any the puppies because the shelter is unable to donate them for the night. She then talks about how the Tree Lighting event and how they were hoping SGA would decorate a tree for auction.

7. SECRETARY’S REPORT

INFORMATION

Secretary Davis talks about how she is getting everything into place for next semester to have a couple of rural schools come up and have a college day.

8. TREASURY REPORT

INFORMATION

None.

9. STUDENT ADVOCATE’S REPORT

INFORMATION

Chantell congratulates Courtney on her Bingo Night. She counted 50 people at the Elko Center. She then reminds everyone to turn in the diversity pictures. She then explains the scholarship.

10. ELKO – HOLIDAY TREE LIGHTING FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Senator Gurr requests \$400 for ornaments and supplies to decorate the tree, and \$300 for cookies and hot cocoa. Vice President Stevens motioned the approval of the Holiday Tree Lighting, Senator Willis seconds. DISCUSSION: Motion passed unanimously.

11. ELKO - REIMBURSEMENT FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Student Advocate Chantell Garcia requests \$6.21 to reimburse her P card. Secretary Davis motions for the approval for Reimbursement, Senator Nelson seconds. DISCUSSION: Motion passed unanimously.

12. ELKO – CHRISTMAS PARTY FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Senator Nelson requests \$150 for a Christmas Party to be held on 12/12/19 in the Leonard Center. Senator Ruiz makes a motion for approval Senator Willis seconds. DISCUSSION: Motion passed unanimously.

13. ELKO – CANDY CANE REGISTRATION REMINDERS FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Senator Sturges requests \$10 for funding and \$50 for candy canes Secretary Davis motions for approval, and Senator Gurr seconds. DISCUSSION: Motion passed unanimously.

14. WINNEMUCCA- HOW MANY? FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Senator Sowinski requests \$50 for candy and a jar. Vice President Stevens motions for approval, and Senator Willis seconds. DISCUSSION: Motion passed unanimously.

15. WINNEMUCCA- TREE DECORATING FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Senator Sowinski \$100 for a small tree and decorations. Senator Willis motions for approval, and Senator Nelson seconds. DISCUSSION: Motion passed unanimously.

16. WINNEMUCCA – CANDY CANE REGISTRATION FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

Senator Sowinski requests \$50 for candy canes and ribbon. Senator Willis motions for approval, and Senator Ruiz seconds. DISCUSSION: Motion passed unanimously.

17. SENATOR REPORTS INFORMATION

Battle Mountain Senator – They have put in a request for restock of pantry.

Elko Senator – Senator Ruiz is asking students for their input on ideas for SGA; Senator Willis discusses her ideas for a Bingo Night to be held sometime next month.

Senator Nelson talks about his idea for a back to school Nacho Bar for the first week back of the

semester. Senator Willis thanks everyone for coming to her Bingo Event.

Ely Senator – Jessi Sturges talks about how the success of the Bingo Night and about her Candy Cane registration reminders.

Pahrump Senator – Prepping for food drive and like for a slice.

Winnemucca Senator – They are hoping to do a Like for a Slice part 2 and their Pie Bites Idea.

18. PUBLIC COMMENT

INFORMATION

Secretary Davis discussed how for future Like 4 a Slice events they need to be more clear on the rules because they did not receive more followers just more likes on individual events. She then discussed the idea of creating a sign up sheet for set up and tear down of events to avoid having only one person set up, tear down, and run an event. She then asked everyone at all centers to make sure posters with social media and phone numbers information to be up to date and accurate. President Dodson then asked all officers to give their input for the game room during this time. All ideas were written down and taken into account while moving forward with this event. President Dodson then asks that she can have two officers to attend to voice theirs and their peers opinions on 10/15 in the Berg Hall conference room.

Meeting is adjourned at 11:48 a.m.

SGA President: Melanie Dodson

Date: 11/22/19