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NMT SGA Meeting Agenda Tuesday March 12th, 2019

Summary: President and Vice President Elections

New student regent Veronica Espinoza

AADE bill amended to create a new bill passed for \$675

EWB bill passed for \$13442

Supreme Court Compensation bill passes

Election Regulation changes approved

Dean of Students approved to help run elections

I. Call to Order (8:07)

II. Approve Agenda

III. Approve Minutes

**IV. Student
Concerns/Announcements**

(Martinez-Claros) This is an announcement that has to do with the water quality of Socorro. There has been a long history about clean up that needs to be done in the Socorro area. One company created a landfill and left and then came back only to leave behind battery acid. There are no warning signs human exposure is under control, but what the epa has ran they have decided that they're serious enough sites that need long term clean up. Most sites have been on the list for decades with various stages of clean up. Private companies are reaping profits and have moved on or claimed bankruptcy. Groundwater has been tested positive for cancer causing solvent. When it comes to money the govt needs 16mil dollars and the harmful gases are seeping up while state agency regulates water. There are also a 2018 site sheet that's here discussed the 2018 meeting and I imagine there will be another one. If you go to the epa webpage it still hasn't been solved. This is the fact of how it affects. It can reach NMT and Socorro.

(Bhatia) Tomorrow, the person who runs Studio G will be here to give a talk in Speare 113 at 3pm about understanding the market and the customers. I've noticed that a lot of engineers are good at making their product for their customers,

but are not good at talking to their customers.

V. Reports

a. Dean of Students

(Dr Phaiah) Matt's not here, but Cooney Mining Club and other clubs want a St Patrick's Day event. The event will happen afterwards, March 29th and 30th. We want a lot of festival activities like chipping and putting. Alcohol will not be the focus of this event, but it will be available. Please be aware and come out. Hopefully there will be a DJ. Another thing is we created a diversity and inclusion advisory committee. We want tech community folks to help guide us in our efforts for inclusion and we want student involvement. We'll try to collaborate and make sure that everyone is included. Like gender equity and other things around campus. We'd love to have a few representatives from the SGA. By the time we come back from spring break, ITC has their act together and emails will be dealt with. The office of registrar will only send emails related to you. There will be five admins that can send emails to students. If there's something you or your club wants send, let me know. To save me time, I want to put together a plan where all the events go out Monday at the beginning of the week. That way you get one big email that ties in to the calendar. This is so you won't be bombarded with emails. That way it adds credibility to the office of registrar. We may have a special name that we send out on your behalf. If you're in the EE department they can send out emails on your behalf. If your advisor can send emails, you are able to go through those people. This is so we can send things out in a timely manner. If you want funding, then put that event on the google calendar. That way if you want to book an event, look at the calendar so you aren't stepping on somebody else's toes, or maybe you can add to their event. I would appreciate it if the SGA would make a recommendation to put events on the calendar. One thing I heard, is you all want the email process cleaned up. We are also looking at our student activity events that are taking place on or off campus and making sure that they are being taken care of just so it makes things easier. We are having events that have issues that need to be talked about. I don't think there's a high risk, but we're going to have students go across a pit with water. As long as someone goes over the liabilities, it will be fine.

Q: (Sheerin) Does anyone have access to adding things and taking things off of the calendar?

A: (Phaiah) Anyone has the ability to add an event. Someone sends a request off and Tom gets it and posits it. His job is just to post. I go through it and it takes me

about 3mins. I want to see your marketing plan as well when something is supposed to be sent to the student body. We can display it on the display board if you want. We want to help you market your event. We're trying to make it more streamlined and more effective. Can we take key locations and advertise in those places? Think about it. Also, if the SGA has people that want help with the SAB let us know.

b. President

None to speak of

(Aumack) The SGA hasn't burned down, yet so that's good.

(Sulich) Alright now to the supreme court

(Martinez-Claros) The new student regent is here. You skipped her.

c. Vice President

(at a conference)

d. Supreme Court

(Sheerin) The VP and P are now getting elected, so come in and try to join. We're going to have a discussion on regulation changes later on. Supreme Court still going strong.

Motion (to allow CFO give report now)

Second

Motion to amend minutes to allow CFO to present now

Second

Vote

For: majority

e. Student Regent

(Espinoza) It's an honor to serve the student body and I am looking forward to working with you all to keep the students needs in mind. If you all have questions or suggestions let me know.

f. SAB

(Sherman) So there was \$7500 that never went through for 49ers that we

discussed at the meeting and are meeting with her again to clear things up. As for this one, I want to show you all the t-shirt design. This is just a black t-shirt with the mountain logo. On the back is the shield design. Also, I wanted to show you the official guests. Lindsey Mckeeon, Matt Lintz, Tommy Flanagan, Mark Texeira, and Rey Mysterio. Since we are having these special guests we might have to cut down on some things which means we won't have a comedy night. Since we have to cut some things, I wanted to propose some things. One idea is that we go for t-shirts and an open mic session April 11th we also might have karaoke. The other one is we might have a comedy night with a lower level comedian. Third option is students are able to get massages for dead week. Last option is just shirts, just cups, or lanyards. That's only due to budget issues because t-shirts cost \$2,800 and cups are \$1,400. Spring fling, we will have a preview on Friday TBD and comic con 10-6 and 10-3. Also, we will have vendors for comic con are playing on an idea of a Game of Thrones screening on April 14th.

Q: (Flynn) How much did you have before the \$7,500 from alumni?

Q: (Sherman) Like the total budget?

A: (Flynn) Yeah, before that.

A: (Sherman) I'd have to look at spreadsheet, but I believe \$15,000.

Q: (Phaiah) What activity was planned for Friday night?

A: (Sherman) One idea is the preview for the comic con vendors and then Casey will talk about the spring concert and rave.

Q: (Phaiah) Anyone from ASK here? Could we squeeze their event with you all's? I don't know if we could parley that and make that a bigger thing.

A: (Sherman) Yeah, we've been approached by ASAP too that wanted to do an escape room.

Q: (Aumack) For the ask event, do you know why they said there was an event on Friday?

A: (Phaiah) They were trying to get the SAC, and if they wanted the ballrooms, they'd have to pay. It will help them financially if people will go to it.

(Aumack) Direct them to me, it should be open.

(Phaiah) Let me know because I don't want to help them step on people's' toes. Olivia was the one who contacted me.

(Aumack) We are still planning on having the concert and the rave. I've looked at everything. Usually in the past we'd have residential life help with this and they'd

cover the stage cost, but this semester it doesn't seem like they want to do that. It seems like the RA's are required to host a student event to get residents to do things and we usually come through ways to sponsor events and it doesn't seem like people want to do that either and I don't want to coerce them. The only thing I really need to do is get the stage and then about \$100 to get the external breaker box, \$50 for installation, and \$50 for taking it out. The total cost would be \$250 that I would be using from my own budget. I am also looking for 4 musicians/bands. If you have anyone in mind, let me know. We are going from 6pm-10pm and then after that we are having a waffle rave from 10pm-12am. I have flyers already made, but we have to modify them. While I don't think it was too much, others complained that there was too much fog in the room. We will also say that there will be strobe lights. Hopefully I will be getting all that done and posted. On the radio side all we're waiting on is for communications to help finish the website that they're building for us. We would've had to pay a monthly service, so we figured that we might as well use what tech has here. Right now, we'd have to be on the same type of framework so it won't be as personalized as I'd want it. The person I'm talking to says they can help us move our website. We had a karaoke event last Saturday and it went great. A lot of people showed up and the battle we had was awesome. We will also have a CD ripping party. They are just a lot of demo tracks. We want to rip off all of them and put them on a digital hard drive, so we were going to advertise it. We can either route it through the server or put it off locally. Help us help you. Past that, everything is going great

g. CFO

Friday was the last day for clubs to challenge the amount they were given. There were like three clubs that had things to say. Search and rescue came to argue and we ended up just needing to go through their budget again. After the last meeting, the bills got signed by the president and then they went to budget analysis. I found out a couple bills had not been granted because the funds had already been depleted. I said that that couldn't have happened because I'm keeping track of that. What happened is she accidentally used the bills and grants, which includes research presentation grants and two others, and she had pulled the money that went for clubs from that account. That rose other issues. When she saw us grant \$30,000 to SAB she refused to put that amount through. The issue was, I explained it last semester, that spring fling didn't have an amount and the usual 20k pulled out was going to be used for that event and we're not including it there because it's coming from the carry forward. To her we're already using 20k and adding 30k for comic con and on top of that the money for esports that she accidentally entered twice and

then we found out that the budget we approved was based on an estimate, even though they knew they weren't going to get that amount. When the actual numbers came in, the amount that we had was even lower. The 20k to 30k difference that had arose from the lack of money had already been covered by the carry forward because she had pulled what we didn't have from that account. We're using about 100k from carry forward. We have the carry forward because the idea was the SGA would get money from school. The SGA would receive 100% of those funds. Years ago, the SGA admin were being really careless and were going into the negatives, so budget analysis decided a way to take away power was to only grant them 80% or 90% of what came into the school and this is the carry forward as a backup plan in case the SGA went nuts. So, that's why she thinks that it's a large amount to use from the carry forward. I don't even think we knew we were using that amount. Michelle went with Quincy last week to talk with Emma to find other sources of money to make sure we're not using 30k from the carry forward. I don't know how much you really got to, but that was the idea. We promised her that we're not being careless. It was a real nightmare to go through all that. We are making sure that the money that is pulled is the correct one because there was one account were 950 dollars were pulled and no one from the SGA used that 950 dollars. These little things shouldn't happen, but she also has a good point. She literally said she would go to the president and take away more power from the SGA. Since I'm not a person who looks for conflict, I tried to make an agreement. Besides that, senate bills as usual. Keep in mind how we use the carry forward. Budget analysis will not like it. You have the right to decide, but I'm the one that has to mediate

Q: (Geotsch) I'm a bit confused. So has the budget for the SGA been depleted? Are we going over?

A: (Rubio) No, we're not going over. So another issue that happened is in September we got a budget approved by the senate that got approved and thought it was clear. After that, Quincy and I had worked on a budget for the future. In February she asked if we can send the budget again. Accidently, we sent her the budget we'd been tinkering with, so then we had to make sure we gave her the real amount. We cleared that for this semester. No office in the SGA is in the negative. So each semester we have 8 meetings \$100 each and under that budget we make sure we don't exceed that amount. The problem was that they approved the budget, but then said we can only give you 300 (and this amount is less than the original). We're not exceeding 500 dollars, but then they pulled money from other funds. Budget analysis said the money isn't there so we pulled from the carry forward.

Q: (Martinez-Claros) So, how much money do we have to give to clubs?

A: (Rubio) Before this meeting it's \$1500. We're working under the budget. That was the budget that was approved. \$1,500 out of the \$19,000 we had this semester. Out of that, \$1,500 is left.

Q: (Khenaisser) So it sounds like there are some really big communications issues. Is there any way to smooth that over?

A: (Rubio) not necessarily miscommunication, but more of an unforeseen error. Accidents happened that we find out later. At beginning of semester, we wanted to put a club on probation, but their money was put into a different club. She put the money under the wrong club. Those are errors that we spot before they snowball into things that are worse.

(Khenaisser) It sounds like we weren't aware that we were pulling 20k out before the SAB bill. That's what I mean by miscommunication.

(Rubio) I mentioned that during the September meeting. Also, for me I had already forgotten about the deal until she mentioned it again. So yeah, that was a real fine thing that happened. I don't see her deciding that again that she makes that play. If we included the 20k for spring fling the budget would've bumped up a lot. Since we're pulling 20k already let's just leave it like that. Months passed and it's kinda forgotten.

Q: (Martinez-Claros) Have we gotten back the money from AIChE, yet? Should follow up on that.

(Rubio) It's about 1400

Q: (Bhatia) My question is, 100k has been taken, so what's in there now.

A: (Rubio) 270k we had at the beginning of the semester. Now we have between 170k-175k.

Q: (Geotsch) Where did the 100k go again? There are a lot of numbers going around, sorry.

(Durica) So 20k went to spring fling and 30k went to comic con. 15k went to the gaming lounge and 20-30k was used to cover for the gap that budget analysis said we would have. During the summer Matt worked on a 310k budget. Budget analysis said we had to lower to 280k. Turned out it was 270k then 265k. So we worked on that and got 13% of extra money. So whoever remembers that was a huge number what we used from the carry forward and that 13 to 15% is a big percent. The amount that was actually coming in turned out to be lower, like 245k to 250k.

Q: (Martinez-Claros) Did she say that not as many students were coming

A: (Rubio) That's basically what she said. Returning students.

Q: (Martinez-Claros) I thought that the incoming class was as large as we expected, but the graduating class was twice as big as the incoming students?

A: (Rubio) We ran a deficit.

Q: (Durica) How much is in carry forward this year?

A: (Rubio) We put 20% in this year.

(Phaiah) I think it's about 15-20% that is put in. It's to cover issues.

Q: (Aliser) She did threaten with President Wells, right?

A: (Rubio) Yeah, if we want to push through and say it's our money, then she was going to refuse to do it and go directly to president Wells.

(Martinez-Claros) Remember to consider this. This was the start of the school year. It wasn't typical. The SGA was inactive at the beginning of the fall semester. The best way to solve this problem is to have things cycle like elections. These types of things can always happen but it seems likely to happen when there's an emergency election during the fall.

(Rubio) To add to that, the budget should've been approved in May but it was only a 10k dollar difference between what Matt wanted to approve. It took until September to get the budget approved. If the expectations had been met in may with 295k we would have been talking about 30000 taken from the carry forward.

h. SATD

None to speak of

i. Paydirt

None to speak of

j. GAO

None to speak of

k. Committees

(Khenaisser) The disciplinary action was dropped.

(Stafford) Two complaints. One is "Pay the court bltch." The second is the complaint box

(Senator) I've just noticed cardboard box is there.

Q: (Sulich) Where is the complaint box?

A: (Stafford) In the cardboard box.

(Geotsch) The forms that were there, aren't there anymore.

(Aliser) Stop using our box as a joke

Q: (Sheerin) Why don't you have a better box?

(Sulich) It literally looks like garbage.

(Sheerin) Also, put that they will be read out loud.

(Aliser) I made the box as an attempt. Now people are putting jokes in there.

(Sheerin) Yeah, you should do that and by that I mean by the end of the week.

(Aliser) Have a bear trap.

Q: (Geotsch) So the box outside the room is for Fidel, right. Are we having one that will be like that?

A : (Khenaisser) The plan was to do that and talk to Gloria and have one put outside of the SGA offices.

(Geotsch) So aka we're working on it.

(Bhatia) If you have a complaint about the complaint box, put it in the complaint box.

(Geiger) We went over a couple more parts of the constitution. We have a rough draft of 7 sections and went over suggestions in full. We are trying to implement that we can't use comic sans.

(Sheerin) The form is still open right?

A: (Geiger) I believe so.

(Krajeck) What were the responses?

A: (Sulich) Have it more readable to the public and make it more consistent, which we are trying to do.

(Phaiah) As we go through policies, we are also trying to change the pronouns as well.

VI. Recess

VII. Business

a. AADE Bill

(Powell) I'm the clay shoot chair for the the 7th year. Right now we are requesting funding to offset the cost for when we go to the petroleum

symposiums and conventions. Generously, the Dean of Students granted us half the money, \$675, of what's requested. Unfortunately I'd like to add small addendum. I forgot to enter a \$85 for a clean porta potty. So right now all we would need to make this even go over smoothly is \$750.

(Rubio) We do not have a recommendation because according to the VP,, you all are not an active club. I went through all the paperwork and AADE has not received any funding from this semester because they didn't have any paperwork and are therefore not in good standing. There is no budget for AADE. I went through everything 3 or 4 times. That week was hell for me, but I didn't see one for AADE or SPE. You all didn't show up on Matt's list.

(Powell) So ADDE and SPE have been neglectful? Is that what you're saying? Great, wish someone told me this.

(Rubio) We found out yesterday.

(Powell) I'm a little embarrassed

(Bhatia) If they don't have the official paperwork.

(Rubio) I tried contacting matt and he ignored me.

(Martinez-Claros) Move to table this bill until he comes back.\

Vote

For: majority

(Sobers) So they aren't sga sanctioned.

b. J. Ward Bill

(Ward) I'm trying to get funding to get to a conference. It's the San Juan Basin Energy conference. I would like to attend to hear about these new advancements. I'd like to network and get into the San Juan basin. I would like to learn about the new technology and the new builds. Im asking for \$458.13. I'm using the price per mile from tech and will be traveling 514 miles with my truck. Lodging is two nights not including tax and I'll cover my own food. I,m just trying to get help paying out of pocket

Q: (Sobers) You still need 458?

A: (Ward) That's based off of gas. And they said round trip is 514 miles and

\$280 for gas.

Q: (Geotsch) So registration is not covered?

A: (Ward) That's already covered

(Durica) \$100 for just gas is the finance committees recommendation.

Q: (Sobers) Have you submitted a request for for dean's office?

A: (Ward) He said go through department and to comee propose in front of you all.

(Phaiah) The Dean of students budget is gone. We started with \$13,000 but that's all gone. I was trying to help them find other sources.

(Stafford) motion to approve \$100

(Krajeck) \$178 to cover hotel.

Second

For \$100

For: 6

For \$178

For: majority

Vote for \$178

For: 14

Against: 0

Abstain: 1

Bill passes for \$178

(Bhatia) (Talking about the AADE bill) So he's already received \$750. The event is being held. I want to amend the bill to give the money to Matt Powell for AADE. I want to amend the bill and any more that's awarded we would give it to Matt. Is he a member to school, yeah he's a student

Q: (Sulich) We can can do that right?

A: (Sheerin) It would be an amendment to the meeting minutes. Before

discussion we'd talk about it.

(Bhatia) Move to amend to add a thing so we can cover this again after the EWB bill.

(Sheerin) Why don't you save it for being tabled. Their events the last week of April.

(Phaiah) It's the last week of march.

(Sheerin) Oh, it's in March?

(Martinez-Claros) Motion to untable

Second

Vote

For: 9

Against:0

Abstain: 0

(move the bill to the end of ewb)

(Durica) Why not wait till chief justice gets a call back?

(Nickie) We'll vote on it after we do the propositions, so after the EWB bill.

c. EWB Bill

(Evelyn) Hello, I'm the president of EWB. For this bill I will try to speed through things, but it also requires some background. My first point is that it's a club of undergrad and grad students from all majors and we're part of a national organization that does humanitarian work. I've been in the club my entire time at tech. Even though we've wanted to do an international project for a while, we didn't have resources. We went to the regional conference and it motivated us to have this project. We've also held events on campus. Starting out we started fundraising 2 and a half years ago. So we've done a lot of fundraising and lots of small things and also benefit dinners. During that time we were also working on other projects and they all succeeded to a varying degree. Last spring we finally found a project that was doable. As you can see (showing a slideshow) there are 625 people and they do not have good access to water. The system they have now, they only have 3hrs of access a day and there's no sanitation available which is why they reached out. Our role is to provide them the engineering support they'd

need. They are willing to help but don't have the knowledge. The steps we took is an assessment trip in August. For that, we took 5 students and 2 professionals. We met and worked with the community and performed technical surveys and also did community surveys to ensure the work we did and design was appropriate and inclusive. At the end of that we met with the leader and signed an agreement. A lot of the people are from the community. You may have recognized Doc Richardson. The main things to take away are that we will work with them to make sure the project goes through. The other thing is the municipal will cover some of the cost. Since then, we've been working hard and have almost finished the design. For the implementation trip, we want to take more students this summer. We want the community to have access to water. The community is working on the project already. Building more spring boxes. So the really important stuff is that we have been fundraising and are holding benefit dinners. We've had the raffle and received some money from the dean of students. We've done small fundraisers and applied for grants and reached out to private donors. For this semester we are signed up for a trash pick up. Also work on a golf tournament. You have the budgets. The more broken down version is in the packet. Even though we raised \$13,000 there's about that much left for travel and construction. So we are humbly asking for the remainder amount. We planned to ask from the carry forward, but we heard more about that. This is what we're asking for. We'd really appreciate it.

Q: (Krajeck) What's the committee's recommendation.

A: (Durica) \$5,500

(Sheerin) They're asking from the carry forward.

(Evelyn) We'd also hoped to get this bill in the first week of the semester, but we were held up by the design and hearing back from the mentors. We also had to coordinate with other people from Guatemala. We didn't wanna show up and say 'we think' for the amount we needed.

(Cole) If we go through with this that would leave you \$7500 left.

Q: Is there a deadline?

A: (Bhatia) August 1st

(Evelyn) We wanted to buy plane tickets asap, but there are deadlines for purchasing materials.

(Durica) Could you reschedule this for next summer?

(EWB representative) They want us to be promptly communicating and done

within a year.

(Durica) Could you do it in December? Or are you all down to the wire?

Q: (Bhatia) What's down to the wire mean?

A: (Sheerin) Pressed for time.

(Evelyn) We've been working hard to make this trip possible.

(Castillo) They only get 1-3hrs of water a day. It's mostly because there are guidelines for ewb. We have been planning fundraising and have been doing plenty of fundraising and events.

(Durica) We've already spent a third of carry forward.

(Evelyn) If we don't get enough funding, the other option is to make students pay for their own plane tickets. That is an option, but it's not (Bhatia picks up sentence)

(Bhatia) that's not ideal. If some of them don't get money then they can't go. They are civil engineers and those are the engineers that we really need to go. You do what you can because the community is struggling. I mean I feel you on the spending a third of the carry forward. But you only live once.

Q: (Sulich) when is the first financial deadline?

A: (Bhatia) This senates last meeting

(Sobers) so May 1st

(Castillo) That's the ewb deadline. Also, the community does give a lot to us. They opened their houses and were very welcoming.

(Evelyn) They don't have a lot to give but they did give a lot.

(Durica) How much do you expect to gain from the golf tournament.

(Aliser) So I'm apart of ASME, the people that are partnering with ewb, we're gonna split 50-50 but we're also looking to get more funds for the event.

(Bhatia) Any funds we get extra is going to end up in surplus.

Q: (Moulton) How much is left in the carry forward?

A: (Bhatia) 175k to 200k.

(Sheerin) The main issue is that we're spending a lot relatively quickly, so it's not that it would damage us, but it would just look bad.

(Martinez-Claros) They just don't expect you to spend money carelessly from the carry forward. This is a great outreach for tech. I don't think they would mind subtracting that from the carry forward. It's just the institution doesn't

want the things that happened in the past to happen again. This is a great opportunity for outreach.

(Durica) Keep in mind that if we spend \$5,000 they're looking at what else we spent. We gave 30k on top of 20k.

(Khenaisser) That's already been spent.

(Geotsch) the only thing about the 30k is that we didn't know it happened.

(Aliser) We can debate this after.

Q: (Sheerin) How much EWB outreach has there been at tech, like large projects?

A: (Castillo) This is our first international one.

A: (Evelyn) This is our first one. We pursued other ones and worked with UNM but none of those worked out because UNM was bad about communication and one of the people decided they were going to focus on other things and didn't need our expertise. This is the first one. We agreed to work with them for 5 more years. It's a great opportunity as a club.

(ewb representative) It will help us get kickstarted.

(Bhatia) This will be there for 20yrs.

(ewb representative) and will improve the quality of life

(Bhatia) They will have running water for about 8 hours now.

Q: (Sulich) The first financial deadline is like in May right?

A: (Pres) Well, we are trying to buy plane tickets in April.

(Khenaisser) motion to approve full amount

Vote for \$13442

For: 11

Against:2

Abstain:2

Bill Passes for \$13442

Revisited AADE Bill

(Martinez-Claros) To respect him and his time, we should do it now.

Q: (Sheerin) I mean did you all pass the motion?

A: (Almost all of the senators) Yes.

(Powell) I apologize for losing my anger. I have anger issues and I was embarrassed. I've been around for a while and this is not my first rodeo. As long as I've been here, AADE and SPE have been active. As clay shoot chair I humbly ask that any money you can give will be appreciated. I know AADE put a lot back into school.

Q: (Bhatia) You need 1,500?

A: (Powell) We got \$675 from the Dean.

(Powell) I forgot to put down the 85.

(Krajeck) Since the club is on probation giving to an individual should be ok.

(Powell) Could you give it to Phaiiah?

(Bhatia) \$824 motion to approve.

(Sobers) There is. My only issue is \$280 is for drinks and for utensils and we don't cover food as the SGA. That specific would have to come from the \$675.

(Powell) No food will be bought with this money, you have my word.

(Durica) SPE has 9k and AADE has 4k why can't you use that money.

(Powell) I know a lot of that for SPE is going towards the national conference and that is coming up. Also, for AADE that's going towards a conference coming up in May. We are trying to do this to offset the cost. \$100 or \$150 would have to come out of the students' pockets, so that's why I want to do this fundraiser.

Q: (Geotsch) How come no one from the club is here?

(VP of club) *announces he is here, stands up from the chair along the wall and joins Powell*

(Durica) what's the actual number you need and what does it cover

(Powell) \$675 would cover the clay and I will work out the porta potty and prizes prices. I want to give prizes for 1st 2nd and 3rd place. It costs \$320 for non tech and \$100 for tech. We want to draw funds so we can go ahead and pay.

(Hoodie) Move for \$675

Second

(Aliser) Where is the competition being held?

A: (Powell) The Socorro Gun Range. The president has already given us permission and the range is ours for that day.

(Aliser) Just wanted to know if it was on or off campus.

(Khenaisser) Has it been publicly advertised?

(Powell) Yes. The TV screens and there are flyers.

Q: (Davenport) Has the motion been seconded?

A: (Multiple Senators) Yes.

Q: (Sulich) Do we have to do that as a separate bill?

A: (Sheerin) If you want to do an official vote.

(Bhatia) We did vote already.

(Sulich) I was just checking.

(Aliser) If you're charging students, that might be double dipping.

(Powell) no

(Phaiah) It's lowering price though for students

(PT) you done discussing?

(Sheerin) So the official supreme court decision is that since it's going to the money pot it's fine and it's also helping give the students a discount.

Vote for 675

For: 10

Against:2

Abstain:0

Amended bill passes for \$675

d. Resolution *Supreme Court Compensation Bill*

(Sheerin) A resolution to pay the supreme court cause the judicial likes to do things effectively. Right now, it's out of the goodness of our hearts. The way it will work is associate justices will be paid like the senators. I'll be paid as a G3 standing and there is money available for that. The reason you should vote for this is so it'll make it so that people in our position will spend time in the office. If we were

getting paid, I'd have more of an incentive since it's my job. So please.

(Davenport) Will it solve the justice shortage?

A: Geotsch) Probably, it's incentive.

(Sheerin) It's the same reason that people paid senators.

(Sobers) Senators, as I understand, don't exceed \$200, based on the point system.

(Stafford) Sorry, on the bill it should say 'doesn't.'

(Sulich) motion to amend the bill

Second

(Sulich) All in favor of amending the typo.

Vote

For: majority

(Davenport) motion to approve

Second

(Stafford) What is the requirement for resolutions to pass? A two third of the majority. Can you get an actual count of the senators?

Vote

For: unanimous

e. Proposed Election Regulation Changes

(Sheerin) The VP has to have 3 sessions so summer spring and fall and the president only needs one session. Our first requirement is we make the vice president equal to the president requirements.

Q: (Phaiah) What was the rational to not have them equal in the first place?

A: (Nice) Both amendments were proposed, but it was then that one of the cabinets decided that was something to push for. So that's when it was presented.

(Geotsch) so one wasn't amended.

(Nice) That's just the way it was voted on.

(Geotsch) It was just thrown in.

(Nice) That's the way they thought it should be

(Sheerin) Currently, only 5 people can run.

(Phaiah) Usually the presidential position is harder to get.

(Geotsch) motion to approve

Second

(Sulich) All in favor?

(Legislative standards) Legislative standards did not amend this just had to say this

Vote

For: unanimous

ii. Dean of Students

(Sheerin) Just to make sure that the Dean of Students can help run the elections.

(Davenport) move to approve.

Vote

For: unanimous

VIII. Discussion

(Sulich) Thankfully Carlos isn't here.

(Sobers) I just want to say that I personally was born in Guatemala and am proud to take a stand for it.

Adjourn meeting (22:13)