

NMT SGA Minutes Tuesday September 21st, 2021

I. Call to Order (8:06)

II. Approve Agenda

Agenda Approved

III. Approve Minutes

Minutes approved

IV. Student Concerns/Announcements

- These go back to June
- Azura Club wants to start, but they do not have info on the process
- Dylan responds by stating that club packets are now past due
- Please update website with current volunteer hours
- Tech is doing a poor job during the pandemic due to professors not helping and the seat chart is an awful idea. They desire required hybrid courses.
- 9 more covid complaints about lack of procedure, lack of hybrid, not comfortable going to class, vaccination quarantine exemption, lack of disinfectant and social distancing, lack of professors being mandated to follow a procedure, and professors not helping students with quarantine.

Voegerl responds in an epic fashion stating that there is in fact procedures. He then states if the protocol is being broken you need to bring two or three friends to the head of department or deans. All protocols are on nmt.com. He then explains that a student has a very low chance of catching covid and then explains why and some of the procedures that are in place like seating chart and class alternatives.

- Water bottle filling station was installed on the 2nd floor of cramer, so why aren't they in res halls? WE WANT MORE WATER BOTTLE FILLERS! They then explain how water bottle filters work and why they are beneficial. Voegerl responds that they are using care money to get one in every building, but they are “stupid expensive”
- Social distancing is not being practiced in some classes

V. Reports:

A. President (Dallin Sobers)

1st ever chartwells cook off Thursday then Friday bonfire.

He is in talks with Wells' office to address covid concerns.

In talks with sandy for 49ers. We are on track and all events will be covid safe. We will have student bands and more!

We are having upticks in student involvement. Dallin tested all water fountains on campus over the summer.

B. Vice President (Dylan Nelson)

Been a long week. In talks with clubs to get them .npe emails.

Talking with webmaster to update website.

Also working on getting bonfire setup.

C. Chief Justice (Salomon Chavez)

Working with dylan to get senators and justices straightened out.

Also cleaning up office and trying to get a computer and clear up and confusion about responsibilities in the SGA

D. Student Regent (Veronica Espinoza)

Next regent meeting is thursday, she is starting office hours on friday

E. SATD (Tim Bonzon)

SAC is still inoperable.

There are simply too many mice. He has photos.

He cant even get keys. Pest control has yet to show up.

Tim bought 100 dollars worth of supplies and brought his dad in to clean the office. He did not wait for maintenance.

Ktec is actually now clean and operable.

Dallin responds that Tim will be reimbursed.

F. Paydirt (Skyler Matteson)

Monday the 27th is next issue.

Website is being moved over.

Skyler has updated SOP and is making more for all employees under him.

He is covering cookoff and covid. Talk to him if you think you have something paydirt worthy

G. CFO (Preston Kite)

Thanks audience for alfredo recipes.

Not commenting on blender fight.

Worked to approve every club budget and did it!

Cleaned office

H. Webmaster (Isaiah Sandoval)

Working on discord getting set up

Working on other website work

I. GAO (Garret White)

Committee council meeting on thursday

J. PR Committee

Busy finding a schedule to meet

K. Social Media Committee

Just starting

Using instagram

Trying to get a lot of student involvement

Need to be consistently posting

Send pictures to her insta or sga insata to be featured

L. Club Advisory

Met last week to brainstorm what they can do this semester

Some club events are happening
 Quasar and search and rescue are having events
 Smash is having event thursday in the SAC
 New agents in Macy

M. Legislative Standards

Nothing to report

N. SGA Advisor (Michael Voegerl)

Ktec crap is unacceptable. Talked to aux and facilities and they were waiting on pest control company. The pest control company is not local and their contract may be terminated.

We need a section in paydirt about “what you should know”

Skyler proposes paydirt being in dorms

Voegerl clarifies he only wants a small blip in paydirt, not a page

Using the “shotgun” method for advertising

Chilli roast

Wants sga to schedule events a semester ahead

Create SOP for event

When club packets are sent send all info possible with them

Having virologist come in and explain covid form in 5 minute ted talk style, but outside

O. SACD (Hunter Wilkinson)

Working on bonfire and other events

VI. Recess (9:03 to 9:14)

VII. Inducting New Senator/Justice

Ashley Bradshaw inducted as Justice

Gage Ellis inducted as Senator

VIII. Bills

LunaBotics

Amendment for food expenses being replaced for hotel rooms. They are also requesting money for van rental and parking pass.

Financial Committee recommends \$2370 for travel

Motion to approve resolution to bill for \$2370

Wait. There is confusion about the amount.

Okay. Now it's \$2265

Motion to approve \$2265

Rescinded motion for \$2370

Vote

For: 11

Against: 0

Abstain: 0

Climbing Club

7th edition of statewide event

Attracts people into socorro

They need to rent the loma, get gear and admit students at a discounted rate

Financial committee recommends \$700

Motion to approve \$715: 2nd

Vote

For: no clue

Against:

Abstain:

Motion to approve \$700: 2nd

Vote

For: ugh

Against:

Abstain:

Motion to approve \$950 on stipulation they play movie on campus:

Vote

For: no clue again. Say the numbers for me Dylan.

Against:

Abstain:

Tie for 700 and 950

2nd vote for \$700

For: you guys are killing me

Against:

Abstain:

2nd vote for \$900 and stipulation

For: you guessed it

Against:

Abstain:

TIE AGAIN

3rd vote for \$700

For: i got 2

Against: and maybe 9?

Abstain:

3rd vote for \$950 and stipulation

For: maybe 9?

Against: 3ish

Abstain:

Final Vote to approve \$950

For: 10 probably

Against:

Abstain: 1. Almost positive about that one.

Social Media Committee Induction

Motion to Approve: 2nd

Vote

For: 11 maybe. *Cant see. Im sorry*

Against:

Abstain:

Senator Disappline

Remove Senator for missing multiple meetings

Vote

For:

Against:

Abstain: 2?

Misc. VP Closing Notes

Start everyone at 15

Heads of committees get extra points

Zoom meetings are for students and extenuating circumstances

Misc. Prez. Closing Notes

Don't set precedent that the senate is free money.

Volunteer opportunities are sparse

Senator pay increase is based on point system.

SGA shirts coming soon

Chair smiles on motions

Motion to adjourn: 2nd

Meeting Adjourned (10:29)