

ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY  
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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2021  
HAVASUPAI ROOM A & B UNIVERSITY UNION

Date: September 6, 2021

Number on Council: 13

Date of Senate Meeting: September 2, 2021

Number Present: 12

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Michael Bolar, Senate Chair, called the Senate meeting of the 2021-2022 Associated Students of Northern Arizona University Senate to order 4:01 PM in the Havasupai Room A and B, University Union.

**Roll Call**

Senators:

Senator Arnold

Senator Handlong

Vice Chair Carter - Absent

Senator Fox

Senator Cinader

Senator Stempak

Senator Nielsen

Senator Kolasinski

Senator Davidson

Senator Machelor

Senator Muneno

Senator Castro Encinas

Senator Massey

### **Approval of Minutes**

If there are no corrections, the minutes are approved.

### **Call to the Audience**

Speaker John Georgas: I would like to talk to you all about NAU's multiterm enrollment or registration system, and how we manage enrollment windows for students. We want to go from two separate enrollment periods to a single enrollment period which would open in mid spring and run all the way through the beginning of the subsequent spring semester. And in that window students can enroll for the fall, winter, and spring classes all in the same window. We wanted to improve student retention, and we're seeing that since it's difficult to plan a year and a half ahead, students' schedules change more than they used to for spring. Right now we're considering scrapping multiterm enrollment, and bringing back the two separate enrollments and exploring new ways for students to get into the classes they need.

Discussion:

Senator Davidson: What dates would you switch enrollment to?

Speaker John Georgas: We would plan to go back to the system before Spring of 2018 in which the spring enrollment period would open around March and stay open through the add/drop deadline for the subsequent fall. Let's continue to stay connected and I'd be happy to speak to you all again.

Senate Chair Bolar: Thank you.

### **Unfinished Business**

## **New Business**

### **Item A: Election Day Resolution**

VPGA Billings brings back the Election Day Resolution from previous Senators who passed the resolution calling for faculty to not punish for missing class on election day, specifically Federal Elections. An added section from the previous resolution, is that it will classify as a continuing resolution so it doesn't have to keep coming back to the senate to vote for approval unless any future senates do not want to have that anymore.

Discussion:

Senator Fox: The resolution says faculty is not expected to make unreasonable accommodations, so are we concerned students still might not go vote because they don't want to miss out on class?

VPGA Billings: I think we have good faith that faculty won't schedule exams or homework on Election days. The unreasonable accommodations piece is to appease faculty senate, when this passes the student senate and gains support, we'll bring it to Dr. Cruz and ABOR.

Senator Fox: Thank you. I yield my time.

Senator Handlong: To clarify, is this for primary and secondary elections?

VPGA Billings: Exclusively primary, because if you are a US citizen you will be voting in this election. And it's to accommodate students traveling or voting in person.

Senator Handlong: Thank you, I yield my time.

Motion to bring Item A to the floor.

First: Senator Fox

Second: Senator Davidson

Discussion: None.

For: 12

Against: 0

Abstaining: 0

Motion passes.

Item B: SB 34-4

Motion to bring Item B to the floor.

First: Senator Davidson

Second: Senator Massey

Speaker: With the Predental club, we teach students about dentistry and our club volunteers together. We'll be using stickers at the Club Fair to advertise and market our club, and to provide stickers to club members.

Discussion:

Senator Muneno: What are some service activities the club is planning?

Speaker: We volunteer at the 'Give Kids a Smile' event which provides dental care to those who can't always access dental care.

Senator Arnold: What other PR and marketing materials are you using?

Speaker: Instagram, and we're making shirts that members pay for. Only the stickers are being funded by ASNAU. We're also creating flyers to send our professors to promote our club.

Senator Machelor: How do you plan to spread the rest of the stickers?

Speaker: At the remaining meetings, and wherever else possible.

For: 12

Against: 0

Abstaining: 0

Motion passes.

**Executive Reports:**

a. President: Maylee Acosta

Wow, it's been a little rocky these first days of school. I would like to encourage you all to remember to practice self care, please. Let's just take a moment to take a deep breath.

President's Steering Committee- It's been interesting to hear that ODOS hasn't received many incident reports regarding mask wearing. The only reports that have been processed are because students have filed them complaining about faculty. With that being said, remember we are role models and to hold your peers accountable. Information Security-

The Jackscard has been a success thus far. I am working with ITS to create an informational TikTok. If you get questions about it direct students to the Jackscard site but essentially, it's still available for Apple, if your phone dies it can still scan for 5 hours, and if you get the digital card the physical one no longer works. If you agree to the two-step verification (DUO) you will no longer have to change your password every semester.

Roadmapping Committee-I am looking for 3 people (potentially only one or two representatives from ASNAU) that have an interest to serve on President Cruz-Rivera's Roadmapping Subcommittees, raise your hand if you would like to receive an email with more information.

Housing- Many of you have probably heard or seen memes about NAU placing students in temporary housing. This is true. Housing has seen an increase of 122% in housing applications compared to last year. RA's have been asked to share their space to accommodate the influx and will receive \$20/day per day that they have a roommate. There are also students being placed in spaces that were formerly used

as gyms. My concern was that students were not being disclosed of this before arriving but I have been informed that these students have been fully disclosed and that they usually tend to prefer these spaces because of the larger space compared to traditional dorms.

b. Vice President of Academic Affairs

c. Vice President of Student Affairs: Kinsey Kavanagh

Hello, My name is Kinsey for those of you who I have not met! I am the one who oversees CHQ and other student campus affairs. Few updates: KMA shirt distribution is in full force! All tabling events should be distributing KMA shirts. Please let me know of any clubs or organizations that may be interested in distributing. Thank you to all the Senators thus far who have been tying up KMA shirts. I know it is tedious but it helps distribution run so much smoother! On another note, my big passion is menstrual equity which is why I lead the Women's Health Committee. We have our first meeting next Wednesday 6-7pm. I will be sending out the zoom link and as a committee we can decide if in-person is preferred. Anyone is welcome! My first focus this semester is CHQ Publicity so senator please look out for my email for your clubs and if you have any outreach ideas let me know! On that same note Sexual Assault Relationship Violence Task Force would appreciate Senators reaching out to certain clubs about their new alliance committee. More news to come just look out for my email. I am so excited for this semester! Please let me know if you ever need any assistance with anything. My door is always open (if I am in it) and I will throw my number in the chat! Thank you, I yield my time.

d. Vice President of Government Affairs: Matt Billings

This past week I worked on finalizing plans for the ASNAU Service Day event. It will be Saturday, September 11th, at 8 AM, meeting in the ASNAU Office. Y'all should have received an invite by now so please RSVP through the Google Form. Just a reminder for everyone, please select "student" if you are someone who attends classes, this will help me organize the groups. If anyone needs to leave early please add that to the additional comments so I know or feel free to email me as well. The last day to RSVP is September 9th, next Thursday. I have also been working on two Senate Resolutions with Senators Carter and Cinader. I have also drafted revisions to the Supreme Court Role for the Legislative Committee to review at their next meeting. I have been in contact with SSA Directors Tyler and Brendan about the next plans for these resolutions and also about tabling for Constitution Day and National Voter Registration Day. Constitution Day tabling will be Friday, September 17th from 10 AM to 3 PM and National Voter Registration Day will be on Tuesday, September 28th from 10 AM to 3 PM. If anyone is interested in tabling and passing out pocket constitutions and voter registration information, please sign up on MS Teams under ASNAU Home and the Events/Tabling Sign-ups Tab. I have also been in contact with some people from the Arizona Secretary of State's Office about a town hall event for later this semester. If anyone is interested in helping with this event, feel free to reach out to me. Lastly, I also reached out to VP Christy Farley to get more information about this month's ABOR meeting. The meeting will be here at NAU, I am hoping to have Senators and Staff be able to attend. I will have more information on ABOR by next week so if anyone is interested in attending ABOR, please reach out to me. I yield my time.

- e. Chief of Staff: Shelby Varner

Hi everyone! This week I did a ton of carnival planning, which is on October 15th. We'll be having clubs and orgs register to have a table for games, so Senators I'll need your help spreading the word with that soon. We're also going to do Instagram contests for fast passes. Just a reminder that you'll be required to work at least 2 shifts, I will send the sign-up sheet at the end of the month. I had my first ever in-person COS Staff meeting on Monday, since last year was virtual, so that was super exciting! Other than office hours, I attended the Homecoming 2021 Planning Committee and then tomorrow I'll be attending the Student Organization Leadership Council. I also wanted to remind you all of the tabs we have in Teams. \*Share screen\*. Have a great weekend, I yield my time.

f. Senate Chair: Michael Bolar

Senators, good news! In the Team's drive I put in the updated club list from True Blue Connects. Senators, go through and choose clubs that you are interested in to make connections with your clubs. First come, first serve, go pick 18 clubs that you are interested in. And the Senate's been going well. I yield my time.

### **Staff Reports**

a. Executive Assistant: Antonio Gilbert

No report.

b. SSA Director

i. Tyler Best

Over the last two weeks I have been working with Student & Departmental Account Services to update the fee system on LOUIE. The LOUIE Fees have been subject to a lot of controversy over the last few years and especially during COVID last year. I believe that it would be beneficial to add descriptions to the



fees so that students and parents could understand that the recreation fee isn't just paying to keep the HLC open, but provide NAU's physical and mental health services. There are situations like this with every single fee, where it provides much more than the name would suggest. After reaching out with the Director of the SDAS department, they have agreed to add descriptions to every single major fee so that parents and students can understand what is included in each of them. Because of a current update in progress with the system, the time frame for this update is a little lengthy. They have agreed to add a link to the fees that directs users to a website with descriptions of all NAU fees by the end of the year. This should hopefully be put in place by the start of the Spring Semester. They then agreed that they would add pop ups on each of the fees so that it would be available on LOUIE itself for the Fall 2022 Semester. I yield my time.

ii. Brenden Tracshel

This week I continued work on my directory of all elected officials representing students at NAU. I yield my time.

c. Public Relations

i. Graphic Designer: Sergio DelGrande

This week, I had a weekly meeting with COS Staff on Monday (1hr). Thursday, I got two requests for the homecoming carnival. One for a fast pass and another for a poster. Since there is no Adobe creative cloud currently on the PCs in the office, I am putting in a request to get Adobe. I also started to create sketches and plan out how the poster will look once I begin making it digitally. (3hr). Friday, I have

office hours, I will continue to work on the two requests I have and try to get the adobe creative cloud situated. I yield my time.

ii. Social Media: Kylie Brennan

Hi! This week I've been making a calendar and layout for our social media for the year, and if I could have senators email their clubs about the club spotlights that we're doing on our Instagram that would be super helpful, the google form for them is in teams! I yield my time.

iii. Videographer: Sarah Zukowski

Hello everyone! Hope you're having a great day! This week I gathered ideas of different videos to make to inform students about what we do during our Senate Meetings as well as what CHQ is and how it can help clubs. I yield my time.

d. Special Events Coordinator:

i. Ally Parker

This week I made an ERF for tabling dates this semester. Reach out if you have upcoming events, so I can hand out flyers while tabling. I am also meeting with COS Shelby and Bridgette this Friday to discuss ASNAU events and homecoming plans. I yield my time.

ii. Bridgette Bowers

Hello everyone, I have been working on planning team bonding events.

Tomorrow, Ally, Shelby & I will be having a meeting to discuss tabling and other potential events that we are planning for this school year. I yield my time.

e. NSG: Teddy Woolsey

This and last week I've been working towards getting the first couple meetings of New Student Government started, and being introduced to the role. We've been getting a lot of interest in NSG this year, over 40 people gave their emails at the club fair. I sent out a poll for which meeting times work and I have received 16 responses so I am optimistic about NSG this year.

f. Front Desk

- i. Jordan Kittle
- ii. Lexie Curry
- iii. Morgan Bagovich

This week the front desk helped clubs fill out paperwork when they were confused and answered questions they had when they came into the office. We have also been decorating and updating the calendar chalkboard with upcoming events. Reminder to grab a NAU jacket, please sign in through us. Do not go to the back and grab the jacket yourselves. I yield my time.

g. Diversity Coordinator: Jamie Palma

No report.

h. Sustainability Coordinator: Alexandra Lange

Hi Senate, so sorry I cannot make it. I have class! Some of the things I have been working on consist of recently taking the position of President for ThriftJacks where I plan to educate on fast fashion, how it affects people and our environment and ways we can shop sustainably without spending a lot of money. I am going to meet soon with the President of Green Jacks to declare a climate emergency and brainstorm ideas on how we can make it happen. I am also going to be working with Green Time of the Month to

distribute sustainable menstrual products to students and people who need them! Thank you. I yield my time.

i. Awareness Coordinator: Lauren Kathrins

This week, I have been out of the office due to a cold. Last week, I started planning Suicide Prevention Week, an event that will be held on campus. Special Events Coordinators Bridgette and Ally have joined me in planning this event and VPSA Kinsey continues to aid me in this process. I yield my time.

j. CHQ Manager: Trevor Burich

Hello everyone! These first two weeks I have been working with the amazing CHQ Staff to make our office as functional as possible for students and all of you. We have been organizing all of our mail, sending tons of emails, and setting up our office theme. We attended the community welcome walk to meet our neighbors and share what ASNAU does for the students here on campus. I also want to say a quick thank you to all of the Senators for your hard work with the KMA shirts, they look amazing. I am super excited to continue to work with all of you during these next two semesters. Thank you, I yield my time.

k. Senate Clerk: Macie Marks

I just worked on the agenda, and spent a lot of time in the office getting used to this position as Senate Clerk. Thank you, I yield my time.

l. Senate Parliamentarian: Maghan Begay

I want to say thank you to those of you who have been patient with me while I am getting used to the roles as Senate Parliamentarian. Thank you. I yield my time.

## Committee Reports

### a. Appropriations Committee: Senator Massey

This week we passed a bill, decided on clubs seeking reimbursement only attending senate instead of both appropriation committee and senate. And finally we worked on a system for reimbursement packets to be dispersed amongst all senators.

### b. Legislative Committee: Senator Cinader

Article IV Section 4:

From: Serving as a student liaison to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions to coordinate programs involving recruitment, enrollment, orientation and retention.

To: Serving as a student liaison to the Office of Undergraduate Admissions to coordinate programs involving recruitment, enrollment, orientation, and retention.

Motion to amend Article XIV Section 1.

From: Developing awareness in the Northern Arizona University community of issues and their relationship to the economic, social, and political nature of society.

To: Promoting awareness of issues regarding the economic, social, and political nature of society in the NAU community.

First: Senator Cinader

Second: Senator Massey

Discussion:

VPGA Billings: What does it mean?

Senate Chair Bolar: It's an easy way of describing what the awareness coordinator does.

For: 12

Against: 0

Abstaining: 0

Motion passes.

Motion to amend Article XXXIII Section 7.

From: The ASNAU Senate must reach a consensus regarding the maximum amount of reimbursement allocated to an organization prior to the first official meeting.

To: The ASNAU Senate must reach a consensus regarding the maximum amount of reimbursement allocated to an individual prior to the first official meeting.

First: Senator Cinader

Second: Senator Machelor

Discussion: None.

For: 12

Against: 0

Abstaining: 0

Motion passes.

c. Club Task Force Committee: Senator Fox

There is not an easy way for clubs to contact ASNAU, and the clubs deserve to have a voice in the problems that they face. The Club Task Force will meet after Advocacy, we have high hopes for this committee and as of right now it'll be a thirty minute time period where clubs can come and represent themselves. We want to start by getting the rules from ASNAU on how clubs can go about starting planning events, and getting food to

those events. This committee will focus on communicating with clubs and creating a club handbook to create a better community. I yield my time.

Discussion:

VPSA Kavanagh: Can CHQ email you to help out?

VPGA Billings: you can come to me about reimbursement questions and processes.

Senator Fox: Yes, I wanted to email both of you! I yield my time.

### **Senator Reports:**

#### **College of Arts and Letters**

a. Senator Arnold

This week I have been meeting with our Dean to plan a Dean Event. I also want to encourage everyone to attend the Service Day Event on September 10th.

b. Senator Handlong

No report.

#### **College of Social and Behavioral Sciences**

a. Vice Chair Carter

This week I have hit the ground running! Myself and Katie are collaborating with VPGA Billings on a resolution and bill to promote LGBTQ+ inclusivity and solidarity on campus. I am also transitioning into the Vice Chair role, which means I will be adding an additional office hour and setting up a resolution workshop hour! More to come on that soon.

b. Senator Fox

Created a new committee with help from the Senate Chair called the Club Task Force which will meet right after the Appropriations Committee in the same hour. This committee will focus on clubs and ensuring that ASNAU is transparent with clubs and that clubs have a place to go to feel heard from ASNAU. Committee will also focus on ensuring that any processes in ASNAU that relate to clubs are communicated to clubs so that events and meetings around campus can run smoothly and new clubs will not be as overwhelmed. Lastly, this club will help ASNAU understand the issues that clubs face and help to foster a better community for NAU clubs if they feel like they need something to be changed or adapted for the better. Worked on a couple resolutions that I will be bringing up at the upcoming senate meetings. I yield my time.

#### College of Health and Human Services

a. Senator Cinader

This week I reached out to my dean to try to set up a meeting in order to try to talk about their goals for this year. I also brainstormed some dean event ideas, and will be meeting with senator Stempak to try to generate more.

b. Senator Stempak

No report.

#### College of Education

a. Senator Nielsen

No report.

b. Senator Kolasinski

This week, I reached out to Ainsley Brubaker, who is the President of the Educators Rising club just to introduce myself, offer to meet in person, and offer my help whenever



needed. I also reached out to Dean Mellott to introduce myself and see if she would like my help in the near future or further away. I am waiting to hear from both.

### College of Business

a. Senator Davidson

Senator Machelor and I emailed our Dean to bring plans for our Dean Event. I yield my time.

b. Senator Machelor

This week Senator Davidson and I contacted Dean Subramanian and the Undergraduate Program Director for the W.A. Franke College of Business, Ms Lewis, about beginning plans for the Dean's Event this semester. Dean Subramanian sent us many individuals we can contact and wished us a productive and safe semester. Ms Lewis told us that the last ASNAU event was the 2019 'Coffee and Donuts with the FCB Dean', so we are both ready to get back working with FCB. Our next step would be to meet in person or virtually with Ms Lewis, to beginning planning ideas

### College of Environment, Forestry, and Natural Sciences

a. Senator Muneno

Reached out to CEFNS Dean Wilder to solidify dates for the dean event (thinking of early/mid-October). Senator Castro and I were thinking of having a "plant party" like NSG did last year where we provide pots with soil and seeds so students can pick up a plant and talk to the dean. Or we were also thinking of Bingo with prizes. I yield my time.

b. Senator Castro Encinas

This week consisted of brainstorming ideas for dean events for the College of Environment, Forestry, and Natural Sciences. Additionally, we have sent an email to both Dean Wilder and his assistance as a way to introduce ourselves and let him know what ideas we have for dean events.

#### College of Engineering, Informatics, and Applied Sciences

a. Senator Massey

This week I emailed my Dean, and I have a meeting with him tomorrow to start setting up our dean event. I yield my time.

b. Senator

#### Advisor Reports

a. Michelle Gardner

Thank you to those who came on Friday and got to talk so I could get to know you a little better in-person. I would love to continue being collaborative as an organization. There have been some issues with student orgs. Rooms are a mess, clubs need to submit room requests, we approve it, but the Unions team is understaffed and are working hard to get clubs into rooms. Unfortunately, issues still remain although we've done our part.

Remember, payroll is due at 3pm tomorrow. Lastly, Advisor Megan Gavin and I are the tool belts, and arms for you all. Hugs for support and toolbelt if you need our help or assistance. Same with Kimberly, helping with purchases. My room is 242 in the Leap Office on the other side. I yield my time.

b. Megan Gavin

No report.

## **Open Forum**

VPSA Kavanagh: We started CHQ hours this week. However, we already have four senators abandoning their shifts. I have sent two sechuales and you all confirmed your commitment and tried to keep communication open. CHQ staff cannot fulfill all hours by themselves making it crucial you all attend. Our bylaws state that each Senator will work a minimum of one hour in CHQ, not fulfilling these duties puts you in line for possible suspension or impeachment. We are now creating an attendance sheet on Teams, where we log the absences. CHQ is a mandatory duty as a Senator.

Senate Chair Bolar: Senators, as mentioned in the bylaws, you have 6 absence points. An unexcused absence from the Senate is a whole 3 points, and missing your CHQ hour will be worth 1 point.

Diversity Coordinator Palma: I have been in contact with the inclusion coordinator, and he wanted me to promote Study Break Dialog with NAUPDon, next Wednesday, September 8th. From 3pm - 5pm at the IMQ Student Center if you are interested. Also I can send over more information on events revolving around Latinx Heritage month.

Senate Chair Bolar: If you would like to be on New Business please go through myself, the Senate Clerk, or Senate Parliamentarian. We are dealing with the agendas, and putting everyone who wants to be on New Business on there. We can even put something you want on there for future Senate Meeting, even if it's in let's say, April. Just let me know sometime before 5:00pm on the Wednesday before the following Senate because that is the deadline. That would give you

less than 24 hours to get prepared which is why that's the deadline. Unless it is someone I can't necessarily say no to, try to make it noon on that Thursday. This is because at 2pm on Thursdays Macie Marks and I are going through the last Senate agenda and replacing the PDF version so no one can edit it.

Senator Stempak: Can we revisit the campus student housing crisis? What is community housing, and how can we evaluate how the students feel living like that?

Senator Arnold: I'm not sure what we can do. It just seems like there is limited availability.

President Acosta: I have been trying to find a way to help for a while now, but I think we can create an RA council, since they are the ones experiencing the changes and working directly with residents.

VPGA Billings: I have been talking with Megan Gavin about these issues, and spitballed maybe moving to alternative housing? But it comes with lots of logistic issues such as security, and privacy.

Senate Chair Bolar: To clarify an answer to the earlier question, do you have a definition for what community housing is?

President Acosta: Transforming gyms into bed spaces.

VPSA Kavanagh: Does anyone know where the fault was?

Executive Assistant Gilbert: Based off the last administration, they didn't do the best planning.

They followed the statistics at the time showing lower enrollment and admissions and allowed residents to buy out rooms prior to moving in. We had to go back and try to convince students to take on a roommate and refund them but most still say no.

VPSA Kavanagh: Is it true they won't allow three beds in a room now?

Executive Assistant Gilbert: Yes.

Senator Fox: I am wondering how the University responded. Was there a public apology or will they ever make one? No student or RA should go through this and I think they deserve that apology.

Senator Kolasinski: How was the \$40 compensation decided?

Executive Assistant Gilbert: RA's were not really informed but reach out to RO for clarification.

Senator Handlong: RA's were asked without apology to share rooms and given compensation of \$20 a day to share a room with coworkers or have a freshman move in with them.

Senator Stempak: Thank you everybody. Let's hold people accountable so it doesn't happen again in the future. I yield my time.

VPGA Billings: To clarify, when we said administrations we meant department level not presidential transitions. These decisions were made since housing opened even before our fake spring break happened.

Senator Cinader: Do the students living in community housing still have to pay?

Executive Assistant Gilbert: Yes. However, they are trying their best to move students out of community housing. They are going off of what rooms open and become available if students drop out or decide to take a roommate.

Senate Chair Bolar: Is there a spot in their contracts for that to change?

VPSA Kavanagh: Does anyone know how many students are displaced?

VPGA Billings: Point of order- one person speaks at a time!

Executive Assistant Gilbert: We can't share that information.

CHQ Manager Burich: Is there a way to close off the hotel for just students?

VPGA Billings: No.

Senator Fox: I still think the students and RA's deserve an apology. Is there a chance for a possible resolution ASNAU could write that would address this issue so more students become aware of it?

Senator Kolasinski: How do you know who moves first when rooms become available and why?

Executive Assistant Gilbert: We can't disclose any information on that.

Chief of Staff Varner: Like what Senator Fox said, our last ASNAU President Joe Carter sent out an email addressing major issues and we made statements on social media to be emailed out to students. We could say something and show students that we acknowledge the housing issue and look into it. I yield my time.

Senator Arnold: Personally, I don't think issuing an apology is necessary since the buildings have limited space and it seems a little inappropriate to ask for an apology.

Senator Massey: I disagree. The department should have the numbers for capacity within buildings but now a lot of people are hurting from their slip up.

VPGA Billings: ASNAU can't really do anything about it. These are just silly little words written on a piece of paper that will just end up in the trash when it gets to the President's desk. This is an issue in a completely different department, not ours. I yield my time.

SSA Director Best: We have persistence though. If we keep bringing it up, the admin might acknowledge us and say something.

Executive Assistant Gilbert: Going back to what VPGA Billings mentioned, this has already been the most proactive and accountable administration we've seen. In fact, they are already working hard and taking accountability for something they didn't do.

Senator Fox: I appreciate all these different opinions, responses, and I respect the idea of keeping it in-house, but at the same time if there are already memes being made about the situation then it's a concern so our transparency as ASNAU becomes key. I yield my time.

Senate Chair Bolar: We are tabling this discussion. Does anyone have anything else to say for Open Forum?

VPGA Billings: ABOR will be at NAU September 29th, 30th, and October 1st. Come to the ABOR meeting as a student not ASNAU representative to address any opinions or concerns you all have.

### **Announcements**

Advisor Michelle Gardner: Prochnow movie this weekend: A Quiet Place 2.

### **Spotlight Hour**

Advisor Michelle Gardner: Tomorrow will be my 9th year working as an NAU official!

Senator Fox: The County Fair is this weekend!

President Acosta: If you need a ride, the Mountain Line is giving free rides to the fair all weekend. Also RAs do this thing where we pass around an avocado for RA of the week and I got it yesterday!

CHQ Manager Burich: Can we please make a post on social media to come get KMA shirts! We still have so many!

### **Adjournment**

Motion to adjourn the meeting.

First: Senator Davidson

Second: Senator Massey

For: 12

Against: 0

Abstaining: 0

Meeting was adjourned at 5:50pm on Thursday, September 2, 2021.