

MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA

Name of Organization: COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE FUNDING OF HIGHER EDUCATION'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUNDING SUBCOMMITTEE (SENATE BILL 374, 2011 LEGISLATURE)

Date and Time of Meeting: July 27, 2012 – 9:00 a.m.

Place of Meeting: Grant Sawyer State Office Building
Room 4401
555 East Washington Avenue
Las Vegas, Nevada

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Carson City, Nevada

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AGENDA

Note: Items on this agenda may be taken in a different order than listed. Two or more agenda items may be combined for consideration. An item may be removed from this agenda or discussion relating to an item on this agenda may be delayed at any time.

- I. ROLL CALL.
- II. OPENING REMARKS.

III. PUBLIC COMMENT.

(Because of time considerations, the period for public comment by each speaker may be limited, and speakers are urged to avoid repetition of comments made by previous speakers.)

For Possible Action

- IV. OVERVIEW AND DISCUSSION OF FISCAL YEAR 2012 APPROVED FUNDING OF THE NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION'S COMMUNITY COLLEGES: COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN NEVADA (CSN), GREAT BASIN COLLEGE (GBC), TRUCKEE MEADOWS COMMUNITY COLLEGE (TMCC) AND WESTERN NEVADA COLLEGE (WNC).

For Possible Action

- V. REVIEW AND DISCUSSION OF THE POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED WITHIN THE AUGUST 2011 REPORT COMMISSIONED BY THE NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION (NSHE) ENTITLED "A FRESH LOOK AT NEVADA'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE TASK FORCE" AS THOSE RECOMMENDATIONS PERTAIN TO THE FUNDING AND GOVERNANCE OF NSHE COMMUNITY COLLEGES.

For Possible Action

- VI. REVIEW OF THE COUNTY, CITY AND DISTRICT LEVEL FUNDING MECHANISMS THAT CONTRIBUTE TO THE FUNDING OF COMMUNITY COLLEGES IN OTHER STATES AND DISCUSSION OF THE FEASIBILITY OF IMPLEMENTING SUCH APPROACHES IN NEVADA.

For Possible Action

- VII. IDENTIFICATION AND DISCUSSION OF STRATEGIES TO IMPROVE NSHE COMMUNITY COLLEGES' SUCCESS IN COMPETING FOR FEDERAL AND NON-FEDERAL GRANT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES INCLUDING FEDERAL HISPANIC-SERVING INSTITUTIONS FUNDING.

For Possible Action

- VIII. REVIEW AND DISCUSSION OF THE ALTERNATIVE FUNDING MODEL PROPOSED BY THE NSHE AND HOW THE ALTERNATIVE FUNDING MODEL SUPPORTS AND PROMOTES THE MISSION(S) OF THE COMMUNITY COLLEGES AND THEIR ALIGNMENT WITH NEVADA'S ECONOMIC AND WORK FORCE DEVELOPMENT NEEDS.

IX. PUBLIC COMMENT.

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X. ADJOURNMENT.

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