1. Opening
   a. Call to order
      i. Vice President Milan officially calls the November 11th, 2020 Full Senate meeting to order at 6:00 pm
   b. Roll Call
      i. All Senators are present
   c. Approval of Minutes
      i. MOTION to approve the minutes
         1. MOTION is seconded and approved
   d. Approval of Agenda
      i. MOTION to approve the agenda
         1. MOTION is seconded and approved
2. Preliminary Business
   a. Guest Speaker: Dr. Cargas
      i. I’m Sarita Cargas from the honors college. I teach human rights and critical thinking and I’ve been teaching about world hunger and a colleague of mine has been teaching about food studies, and we’ve been thinking about hunger on-campus for the past year. I want to shout out to Senator Hotz who has been a research assistant on this project. We broke it up into two groups: a research and solutions team. Our survey is based on the USDA food security survey, the levels are secure, moderate, somewhat insecure, and very insecure. We found that 17% of students experience very low food insecurity. International and Native American students are highly food insecure and gender-fluid, transgender, and non-heterosexual students as well. College students are more insecure than the average American household, and this is a problem that needs more attention. Housing insecurity is a range of homelessness to Couchsurfing. By race, American Indian and international students are the most housing insecure. Gender-fluid, transexual, and bisexual students most also most housing insecure. The amount of people with both food and housing insecurity is 20%, this is called a ‘double burden’ and can be due to the cost of public college, which has gone up 54% since
2000. Now for some possible solutions: food service, the SNAP program, emergency grants, and Program Swipe Out Hunger are all options. We have a food pantry that’s only open for 2 hours a week, this is simply insufficient. We as a university could be doing so much more. We need more things like emergency grants and housing. The Provost has said he would like suggestions for the short, medium, and long term which is what we've worked to compile. In the long term, we can do more studies and provide more resources. And if you have any other ideas please let us know.

1. Questions
   a. President Pro Tempore Musa: Thank you for coming, a lot of those stats were alarming and sad but also important. The most alarming was tuition hikes, do you have any advice for us as Senators or students on how to solve that problem?
      i. We should make our voices heard that it's unacceptable and that the University must stop putting you in a hole of debt. It's a tough hill to climb but you have to make your voice heard.
   b. Sen. Harper: I wanted you to know that myself and others are currently working on a resolution to address these issues. Thank you for sharing this presentation and where can I find this so I can share.
      i. You can contact me or Emma, or go to basicneeds.unm.edu.
   c. Sen. Rodriguez: This study is very revealing, especially in the solutions area of the presentation. This is very important information for us to be aware of and share as undergrad representatives.
      i. If I could expand on that and say how we can work to normalize this experience so students are not embarrassed by such a universal experience. One example is how the food pantry is in a basement and hard to find, why can’t it be somewhere in the open where it is available instead of in an embarrassing place.
   d. Sen. Mondloch: Will it be beneficial for us to organize groups for counseling or support groups to destigmatize this problem?
      i. Yes, definitely, and maybe supply food at these meetings as well. The question is, how do we tell people that it’s normal and okay to seek help? You as their peers reaching out is fundamental.
e. Sen. Jaffe: I want to point out that a lot of food pantries are in the open so I don't think that's a problem, I think it's just our culture.
   i. In the focus groups we conducted, participants expressed fear that they don't want to take from someone in a worse position. But the pantry should be for everyone facing a level of insecurity. But I can't say enough how important your voice is in helping to solve this problem.

b. ASUNM President’s Report
   i. Good evening, just to add that another resource is the Center for Financial Capability which is a new program that needs to be known by students. So please point students in that direction as well. SFRB finished their budget process and are presenting that next Thursday. The DDI training last week was well received, we might have one more before the end of the semester. I will soon meet with the administration for the last time this semester. Let me know if you have things you think I should bring up. One big piece of news, we’re going to put in a financial request to the State Legislature soon and we are trying to brainstorm more projects to advocate for this legislative session. Let me or the Governmental Affairs Director know if you have ideas. We are in the home stretch of the semester, week 13, so take care of yourself and check out mentalhealth.unm.edu for more resources.

1. Questions
   a. Sen. Harper: What time is the financial report next Thursday?
      i. It is next Thursday the 19th at 10:00 am. I can send you the zoom link.
   b. Sen. Zhao: Do you have information on if students can still change their grading option after the semester like they could last year?
      i. I don't know exactly, maybe Ryan Lindquist knows more about that.
      ii. Ryan Lindquist: December 4th is the last day you can change your grading option.
   c. Sen. Olaguir: What is the day and time for your final meeting with the administration?
      i. It’s spread out over multiple different days, most are next week and the first week of December is my meeting with President Stokes.

c. ASUNM Vice President Opening Remarks
   i. Thank you all for coming to the DDI training. It was helpful and should be a normalized event we do from now on. Also, this semester comes to end soon so submit legislation this week, the last week. If you were originally
selected for two terms and are not coming back next semester, please let me know so we have a smooth transition.

ii. Senator Accountability
   1. Demerits
      a. None

d. ASUNM Executive Agencies
   i. Arts and Crafts Studio
      1. Sen. Hotz: They are having two events this week, think art Thursday and tomorrow they’re baking with Desiree. They’re also partnering with CE for an event on Friday, please encourage people to show up and participate.

   ii. Community Experience
      1. Sen. Jaffe: As a previous Senator said, they’re having an event this Friday with the Arts and Crafts Studio.

   iii. Elections Commission
      1. Sen. Rodriguez: The bill that the Executive Director wrote will be back on the floor this meeting. Also, the election results are finalized and they will participate in the Student Court mock trials this semester.

   iv. Emerging Lobo Leaders
      1. Sen. Polsin: Their mentor presentations are coming up this Tuesday, so reach out to your mentees. And their graduation is scheduled for the first week of December.

   v. Governmental Affairs
      1. Sen. Southern: Government Affairs just received data from the scholarship office that will help formulate the money they request for the lottery scholarship this year.

   vi. Lobo Spirit
      1. Sen. Regalado: Not too much to share, except last time I said they'll have a ring ceremony but it will be virtual instead of in person now.

   vii. Student Special Events
      1. Sen. Harper: They’re partnering with UNM food and the Women's Resource Center for a virtual cooking class for cooking on a budget. Like always, weekly volunteer meetings are on Fridays.

   viii. Southwest Film Center
      1. Sen. Olaguir: The Cherry Film Festival is coming up soon.

e. Joint Council
   i. The Global Education Office is hosting an event for students abroad soon. Native American heritage month is this month. The School of Engineering is having an open house. The College of the Arts and Sciences now has a board that is working with the Dean on tuition costs. AFROTC is deciding on whether they will have their spring events in person or not. The
Honors College reports that registration went well this past Monday. On Bill 14F the Council has some commentary, they want to promote the idea that Joint Council could be in the communication the bill talks about. They recommend that the language on lines 118 and 120 can be changed to utilize the Joint Council in a new way.

1. Sen. Polsin: Can you send those changes to us? That’s something we can talk about.
2. Sen. Regalado: I’ll propose those changes when we open Bill 14F.

f. Boards and Committees
i. The Athletic Council met to discuss the football team possibly staying in Las Vegas during COVID. Admission and Registration discussed transfer students in honor college. And the SUB will be closing after Thanksgiving break.

g. Public Comment
i. Elections Commission Director Lafayette: I’m here to talk about Bill 13F. This did not pass before but I want to clarify how this will help my job greatly. During Home Coming we found an individual that was exchanging votes for monetary reward, this bill would officially ban this action. Also, I support the omission of Lines 74 through 76 because I think it’s an okay thing to do. I voice support for this bill and I hope to see it pass this evening.

ii. Student Special Events Executive Director Joe Polack: I’m here to talk about an SSE event coming up. The goal of the event is to highlight food insecurity and bring awareness to on-campus resources. Please share this event with everyone as this is one of our most important. Share it with your organizations and on social media. It is next Thursday at 6:00 pm.

h. ASUNM Senators
i. Sen. Regalado: Thank you to the members and all future senators here today. Hope we have a good meeting tonight.

i. Attorney General Law Book Edits
i. No edits tonight, but a reminder that we're looking to edit the Lawbook. If you are interested in helping please reach out.

3. Business
a. Outstanding Senator Nomination
i. Vice President Milan: We will start our outstanding Senator nomination, you can nominate any Senator and they can accept or deny the nomination. Then nominated Senators will leave the call for the nomination speeches. We will vote on an outstanding Senator but we won’t know the results until our end of year celebration.

ii. Nominations


iii. Nomination Speeches
1. Sen. Polsin: I nominated Senator Harper because of all the hard work she's done with writing multiple pieces legislation and representing students properly. She deserves this award.
   a. Sen. Regalado: I second this nomination because since the beginning Senator Harper has gotten to work. She even worked on the resolution for our special meeting back in June. She has put a lot of work in this past Semester and it should be rewarded.

2. Sen. Regalado: I nominated Senator Hotz because over the past 3 semesters she has passed instrumental legislation. She worked on legislation addressing scholarships and student fees, and she helped add the DDI position.

3. Sen. Karo: I nominated Senator Regalado, I know he's gotten this award before, but I wanted to spotlight his leadership and knowledge of ASUNM. He even helped with our O&A events.

4. Sen. Hill: I nominated Senator Polsin because she is an understanding and hard-working Chair of the Finance Committee. She picked up my slack when I had personal things going on in my life. She is a Senator that does work outside of ASUNM for organizations and she is passionate and deserving.

5. Sen. Le: Senator Olaguir pioneered the new Asian Student Resource Center from the ground up. He puts a lot of work into everything he's done.

6. Sen. Harper: I nominated Senator Zhao because she has shown dedication to her work in Committee and Full Senate. She always goes the extra mile and reaches out to organizations.

iv. Vote
1. Votes are cast privately and will be revealed at a later date.

b. Finance Committee
i. Chair's Speech
1. Chairwoman Polsin: There was no business this past week. We did a standing rules Kahoot quiz, which Senator Molinar won. Let your organizations know that this is the last week for appropriations this semester.

   c. Steering and Rules Committee
Chair’s Speech

1. Chairman Regalado: We have a lot of legislation this week, 6 bills and one resolution. One about elections, joint council, the senate retreat, another about elections, and a resolution about faculty retirement funds going to private prisons. Still working on revising the Constitution, let me know if you want to help.

i. Bill 12F

1. MOTION to open Bill 12F
   a. MOTION is seconded and passed

2. Authorship Speech
   a. Attorney General Lutz: I submitted this bill that says that Lawbook edits should be in standing rules, it just cleans up the Lawbook a bit.

3. Discussion
   a. Sen. Hotz: This seems very useful and keeps the Lawbook consistent, it should be passed.

4. Vote
   a. Bill 12F passes with a vote of 19-0-0-1

ii. Bill 13F

1. MOTION to open Bill 13F
   a. MOTION is seconded and passed

2. Authorship Speech
   a. Chairman Regalado: This is similar to the Bill last meeting, we can discuss it again. We changed lines 74-76 so you can't use all your funds for a giveaway but only $10. I worked with Senator Polsin to make the bottom section clear. Hopefully, this version is more clarified and ready to be passed.

3. Discussion
   a. Sen. Harper: Just a minor thing, in lines 74-76 the language used has a potential for misreading. It doesn't specify that items are for giveaways. A couple of words added could prevent that.
   b. Sen. Polsin: I like the changes made. My biggest thing was line 129 but it was changed. And I do see possible confusion in 74-76, and I’m for a wording change.
   c. Sen. Rodriguez: Echoing previous Senators, this is an excellent bill especially with the new changes. I do see confusion in lines 74-76, if you want to reword it I’m all for
it. This bill has great new sections that clarify any confusion.
d. Sen. Olaguir: I also think it's a good bill. About the $10 limit, I think it should be up to like $60.
e. Attorney General Lutz: I was confused with the $10 limit at first but it's so that someone cannot raffle expensive things for votes because that's soliciting. And soliciting inherently means the item will be given away not kept.
f. Chairman Regalado: That was my intent, I could be okay with increasing to maybe $20 per item. As far as wording, I get that it's not specific so if you want to clarify it further then I'm okay with that.
g. MOTION to cross out “reasonably perceived as being used” inline 74 and add “given to students by candidates or campaign workers”
i. MOTION is seconded
ii. Questions

1. President Pro Tempore Musa: Maybe this is something the Elections Commission could do themselves instead of the candidates because it could be seen as problematic and I worry about the phrase ‘campaign workers’. What do you mean by ‘campaign workers’?
   a. Sen. Polsin: People that work on an individual's campaign.
   b. Attorney General Lutz: That's a term defined in the Lawbook as well.

iii. Discussion

1. Friendly Amendment to capitalize ‘candidate’ and ‘campaign worker’
   a. Accepted
2. Chairman Regalado: I think this clarifies it perfectly and I don't think ‘campaign workers’ includes the Elections Commission at all.
3. Sen. Olaguir: I’m thinking of raising the $10 value to $50, but I’ll make that motion later.

4. Sen. Hotz: I think the clause intends to limit the idea of the giveaway which is why it’s at $10.

iv. Vote

1. MOTION passes with 20 votes

h. Sen. Polsin: I do not want to increase the amount of $10. I think that’s a fair number, any higher could put people at a disadvantage.

i. Sen. Harper: I concur with the previous Senator that it could potentially cause a disadvantage among candidates.

4. Vote

a. Bill 13F passes with a vote of 19-0-0-1

iii. Bill 14F

1. MOTION to open Bill 14F

a. MOTION is seconded and passed

2. Authorship Speech

a. Chairman Regalado: I worked with President Amin and Chief of Staff Lopez on this legislation. It changes what defines ASUNM agencies and is a good way for ASUNM to reach out on campus.

3. Discussion

a. Sen. Rodriguez: This is a great bill and a great idea, it will be good to work closely with resource centers and for us to hear student needs.

b. Motion to cross out ‘each semester’ on line 115 and add ‘each’ after ‘will assign’.

i. MOTION is seconded

ii. Discussion

1. Sen. Polsin: I made this motion to keep consistency in the bill.

2. Friendly Amendment to capitalize ‘resource centers’ for consistency

   a. Accepted

3. Attorney General Lutz: ‘Resource centers’ is not capitalized in the Lawbook so I would
not capitalize that unless we want to do it for the whole Lawbook. It’s only capitalized when addressing a specific center.

iii. MOTION is passed with 20 votes
c. Sen. Polsin: I think it looks good and it is an important bill to pass.
d. MOTION to add ‘Senators must contact their resource center and the appropriate joint council representative, if applicable, and’ and ‘the appropriate joint council representative, if applicable’ on line 120.
i. MOTION is seconded

ii. Discussion

1. Chairman Regalado: This is the proposed Joint Council recommendation that would keep their representative involved in the process.

2. Sen. Rodriguez: I like this addon, it increases communication.

iii. MOTION is passed with a vote of 19-0-0-1
e. Sen. Harper: These are excellent additions to this bill and it brings representation to our resource centers in the Joint Council.

4. Vote

a. Bill 14F passes with a vote of 19-0-0-1

iv. Bill 15F

1. MOTION to open Bill 15F

a. MOTION is seconded and passed

2. Authorship Speech

a. Chairman Regalado: This goes along with the last bill, it defines what a resource center is and gives examples and in S&R we also added more centers. This bill is good to go.

3. Discussion

a. Sen. Rodriguez: I think this is an important bill to pass in conjunction with the previous and it defines clearly what a resource center is.

4. Vote

a. Bill 15F passes with a vote of 19-0-0-1

v. Bill 16F
1. **MOTION to open Bill 16F**
   a. **MOTION** is seconded and passed

2. **Authorship Speech**
   a. Sen. Sandoval: I decided to write this bill because when I first got here I did not know what we were doing. So this would add more training and even a mock meeting during the retreat.

3. **Discussion**
   a. Sen. Rodriguez: I want to commend the Senators who worked on this bill, it is important that we are all well trained.
   b. Chairman Regalado: It is a good bill. It will be up to Chairs and the Vice President to set a precedent for this. Mock Committee meetings would help Senators do their job better, this bill should be passed.

4. **Vote**
   a. Bill 16F passes with a vote of 19-0-0-1

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vi. **Bill 17F**

1. **MOTION to open Bill 17F**
   a. **MOTION** is seconded and passed

2. **Authorship Speech**
   a. Sen. Polsin: I wrote this with Sen. Regalado, it changes who can contest elections and how much time you have to do so. Previously, only candidates and the Elections Commission could contest results in 24 hours. I expanded it to all students and the time to 3 days to promote transparency. I added two days to all deadlines as well.

3. **Discussion**
   a. Sen. Jaffe: I wanted to clarify my stance on this bill. In a normal election (state, federal, etc.) the only people who can contest are candidates and campaigns. I don’t think it’s proper etiquette to let just anyone contest our election.
   b. Chairman Regalado: It's important to have a clear mechanism for students to contest. There should be a set mechanism for students if we do not allow it this way. And definitely, one day is not long enough to contest results.
   c. Sen. Polsin: The reason I chose to go through the Elections Commission is because that's how candidates would. I just
think the option should be available and we are not federal state or local elections, we are an undergrad serving body so I am passionate about this type of transparency.

d. Sen. Jaffe: I was informed that it's still possible for a student to contest an election but it would go through the Student Court.

e. Sen. Polsin: With Student Court, there is no set outline or clear way to do that but this is a clear way.

f. Chairman Regalado: I would prefer a solution through the Student Court but I also want transparency, and this is very transparent and a good solution for right now.

4. Vote
   a. Bill 17F passes with a vote of 19-0-0-1

vii. Resolution 8F

1. MOTION to open Resolution 8F
   a. MOTION is seconded and passed

2. Authorship Speech
   a. Chairman Regalado: I worked on this with an incoming Senator because after working on a class project we learned how educational retirement plans in New Mexico fund private prison and we wanted a change. This would ask them to back away from private prisons and divest from that. Our tuition should not indirectly fund private prisons.

3. Discussion
   a. Sen. Harper: I concur with the previous Senator, and I worked on this resolution as well. There are ethical concerns with private prisons and their use of labor, so it’s important that UNM officials know this and know we will not stand for it.

   b. Sen. Polsin: I commend the authors for this work, I had no idea this was happening and everyone should be aware of it.

   c. Sen. Mondloch: This issue is near and dear to me, I’ve studied racial disparities in our prison system for a while now. This bill will not solve the problem of mass incarceration but will take the necessary steps and show
that our funds will not be used in that way. I would even support legislation to disavow mass incarceration broadly in the future.

d. Sen. Rodriguez: This is very important legislation and it’s our job to be educated and educate our student body then to act on the problem.

e. Sen. Polsin: The person listed as Representative of NM 2nd district is different now because of recent elections, should we change that?

f. MOTION to add on line 123 ‘US Senator-Elect Ben Ray Lujan’. Also to add US Representative-Elect Yvette Herrel. And to strike ‘US Representative Ben Ray Lujan’ and add ‘US Representative-Elect Teresa Leger Fernandez’. After ‘Cheo Torres’ add ‘UNM Associate Vice President of Student Services Tim Gutierrez’.

   i. MOTION is seconded
   ii. Discussion
       1. Friendly Amendment to add ‘President-Elect Joseph Biden’ after ‘Donald Trump’
   iii. Vote
       1. MOTION passes with a vote of 18-0-0-2

4. Vote
   a. Resolution 8F passes with a vote of 18-0-0-2

b. Outreach and Appointments Committee
   i. Chair’s Speech
      1. We discussed multiple events we are planning this week, and also we reached out to student organizations asking if they need help with any events they are planning. Student Success Week is being worked on right now and we'll have plenty of events, graphics, etc. to share. As stated by the last meeting’s guest speaker we are working with the Title 9 office to create a student forum next Thursday 19th at 5:00 pm.

   ii. Appointments
       1. None

   iii. Outreach
       1. None

c. Joint Committee Reports
4. Closing
   a. ASUNM Closing Comments
      i. Sen. Polsin: I commend everyone for their hard work tonight with all that legislation, we’ve done great this semester. Also, shout out to our aides Cj and Siena.
      ii. Sen. Hotz: I echo the sentiments of a previous Senator. Also, UNM Leaf is continuing with 2 more resolutions and if interested you can help.
      iii. Sen. Harper: Thank you to members of the O&A committee for your work in planning events and all members of the Senate. We passed a lot of legislation and it was good to hear all the discussion and involvement. Thank you to Senate aides and advisors and keep spreading the word about important topics!
      iv. Sen. Regalado: We had a lot of business tonight and we did a good job, also we appreciate your work Cj and Siena. Any more legislation can be sent to me and if you’re interested in editing the Lawbook let me know.
   b. ASUNM President Pro-Tempore
      i. Great job, we were efficient and everyone came prepared. Please submit the google form we sent out two weeks ago. If you need help with office hours contact Senator Harper or me. Take care of yourself.
   c. ASUNM Vice President Closing
      i. Good job today, you came prepared and I’m glad you did. Thanks for your hard work and devotion and if you need anything let me know. Outreach hours are due soon so find those hours. For the last Full Senate meeting, I wanted something special so we decided to get y’all Lobo Cash cards to spend on restaurants in the area.
   d. Adjournment
      i. Vice President Milan officially adjourns the November 11th, 2020 Full Senate meeting at 8:54 pm.