

## **FINANCE MINUTES**

# Sunday, September 15th, 2024 8:00 AM Student Union Building Cherry & Silver

### A. Opening

- a. Call To Order
  - i. Chair calls to order at 8:26
- b. Land Acknowledgement
  - i. Founded in 1889, the University of New Mexico sits on the traditional homelands of the Pueblo of Sandia. The original peoples of New Mexico Pueblo, Navajo, and Apache since time immemorial, have deep connections to the land and have made significant contributions to the broader community statewide. We honor the land itself and those who remain stewards of this land throughout the generations and also acknowledge our committed relationship with Indigenous peoples. We gratefully recognize our history.
- c. Roll Call
  - i. 7 Senators present, 0 Absent
- d. Approval of Agenda
  - i. Seconded and approved.
- e. Approval of Minutes
  - i. Seconded and approved.
- B. Preliminary Business
  - a. Chair
    - i. Hey besties, today is going to be great, and if you have any questions raise your placard. Keep up the great work and hopefully, breakfast will be here soon.
  - b. Members of the Committee
    - i. Sen. Gonzales: Go Bos!
  - c. Public Comment
    - i. None
- C. Old Business
  - a. Budget Deliberations
    - i. Chair entertains the motion to move out of parliamentary procedure
      - 1. Seconded and approved.



- ii. Chair entertains the motion to move in of parliamentary procedure
- b. Deliberations of fall 2024 budget process
  - i. Chair Rutherford: Point of clarification to the committee we should start with a bloc vote on the budgets that need to be failed
    - Sen. Mitchell: Motion to bloc vote: American Coral Directors Association, Undergrad Anthropology Association, UNM MSA, and UGC.
      - a. Seconded and passed
  - ii. Chair Rutherford:
    - Motion to open the American Corals Association Budget
      - a. Seconded and passed
    - 2. Budget of American Corals Association
      - a. No discussion or questions
    - 3. Motion to open Undergrad Anthropology Societies Budget
      - a. Seconded and passed
        - i. No discussion or questions
    - 4. Motion to open UNM MSA's Budget
      - a. Seconded and passed
        - i. No discussion or questions
    - 5. Motion to open UGC Budget
      - a. Seconded and passed
        - i. No discussion or questions
- c. Chair Rutherford: Bloc Vote on the associations above:
  - i. 0-6-0-0
    - Chair Rutherford: These budgets have failed on the account that they have not shown up for their budget meetings
- d. Sen. Mithcell: Motion to Bloc vote: SASE, AWS, Art History Mentorship Initiative, Warhawk Booster Club, SLOPE, Bengal United Sports Club, Automotive Motorsport Club, African Student ASSOCIATION, Magic the Gathering, Sigma Gamma Rho, Arnold Air Society, Pre-Optometry Society, American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Pre-Dental Society, Honors Student Association, Black Student Union, Powerful Movement of Educated Sister, UNM Robotics, and Hobbit society.
- e. Chair Rutherford: Motion to bloc vote on the above
  - 1. No questions or discussion



- a. Seconded and passed
- f. Chair Rutherford: Motion to open the SASE budget
  - i. Seconded and Passed
    - 1. No questions
    - 2. Discussion: Sen. Mitchell
      - a. Sweeping motion to change lines 11, 12 15 and 17 to read 0 dollars
      - b. Seconded and passed
    - 3. Motion to change line item 13 to read 50 dollars
      - a. The chair does not recognize that motion
        - i. Chair (begins beatboxing, refused to stop after multiple requests)
    - 4. Motion to change line 14 to read 21 dollars
      - i. Seconded and passed
  - ii. Chair Rutherford: Motion to recess till 10:18
    - 1. Seconded and passed
- g. Back from Recess at 10:18
  - i. Still in the business of SASE
    - 1. Motion to change line 16 to 300 dollars
      - a. Seconded and passed
      - b. No discussion, or questions
    - 2. Motion to change 14 to 21 dollars
      - a. Already been passed
    - 3. Any further discussion
  - ii. Chair Rutherford: Motion to open the budget of advancing women in stem budget
    - 1. Seconded and passed
      - a. No questions,
      - b. Discussion: Sen. Mitchell
        - i. Motion to raise line 11 to read 300 dollars
          - 1. Seconded and passed
        - ii. Motion to change line item 12 to 35 dollar
          - 1. Seconded and passed
        - iii. Sweeping motion to change line items 13,14,15,17,18 and 19, to 0 dollars
          - 1. Seconded and passed
  - iii. Chair Rutherford: Motion to open the budget of the Art History Mentorship initiative
    - 1. Seconded and passed
      - a. No questions
      - b. Discussion



- i. Sen. Mitchell
  - 1. Motion to change line item 12 to 300 dollars
    - a. Seconded and passed
  - 2. Motion to change line item 13 to 105 dollars
    - a. Seconded and passed
  - 3. Motion to change line item 15 to 62 dollars
    - a. Seconded and passed
  - 4. Motion to change line item 17 to 154 dollars
    - a. Seconded and passed
  - 5. Motion to change line item 18 to read 42 dollars
    - a. Seconded and passed
  - 6. Motion to change line item 19 to 126
    - a. Seconded and passed
  - 7. Sweeping motion to change line items 14 and 16 to 0 dollars
    - a. Seconded and passed
- iv. Chair Rutherford: Motion to open the Warhawk Booster Clubs budget
  - 1. Seconded and passed
    - a. No questions
    - b. Discussion
      - i. Sen. Mitchell
        - Motion to change line item 12 from "event fees" category to read "supply costs"
          - a. Seconded passed
        - 2. Motion to change line item 12 to read 350 dollars
          - a. Second and passed
        - 3. Motion to change line item 14 to read 35 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 4. Motion to raise line item 15 to 800 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 5. Motion to change line item 16 to



#### read 35 dollars

- a. Seconded and passed
- 6. Motion to change line item 17 to read 105 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 7. Motion to change line item 18 to read 350 dollars
  - a. Second and passed
- 8. Sweeping motion to change line item 13 and 19 to read 0 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- v. Chair Rutherford: Motion to open Bengal United Sports Club
  - 1. Seconded and passed
  - 2. No questions
  - 3. Discussion
    - a. Sen. Gonzales
      - Motion to change line item 11 to read 70 dollars
        - 1. Seconded and passed
      - ii. Motion to change line item 12 to read 350 dollars
        - 1. Seconded and passed
      - iii. Motion to change line item 13 to read 420 dollars
        - 1. Seconded and passed
      - iv. Motion to change line item 14 to read 175 dollars
        - 1. Seconded and passed
      - v. Motion to change line item 15 to read 175 dollars
        - 1. Second and passed
      - vi. Motion to change line item 16 to read 800 dollars
        - 1. Seconded and passed
    - b. Point of Clarification Chair
      - i. Sen. Mitchell: Focus on the notes on each detail page.
      - ii. Chair Rutherford: when speaking please specify which detail page is being used
      - iii. Sen. Gonzales: Sweeping motion to



change line items 17-19 to read 0 dollars

- 1. Seconded passed
- iv. Motion to change line item 20 to read 135 dollars
  - 1. Seconded and passed
- v. Motion to change line time 21 to read 84 dollars
  - Seconded and passed
- vi. Motion to change line item 22 and 23 read 0 dollars
  - 1. Seconded and passed
- 4. VP Jaber: Specify the detail page for the minutes
  - Motion to change line item 24 on detail page 1 change to 56 dollars
    - 1. Seconded and passed
  - ii. Motion to change line time 25 on detail page 1 reads 70 dollars
    - 1. Seconded and passed
  - iii. Motion to change line item 26 on detail page one to read 112 dollars
    - 1. Seconded and passed
  - iv. Motion to change line item 27 on detail page one to read 0 dollars
    - 1. Seconded and passed
  - v. Motion to change line item 11 on detail page 2 to read 119 dollars
    - 1. Seconded and passed
  - vi. Motion to change line item 12 to read 84 dollars on detail page 2
    - 1. Seconded and passed
  - vii. Motion to change line item 13 on detail page two to read 481 dollars
    - 1. Seconded and passed
  - viii. Motion to change line item 14 on detail page to read 168 dollars
    - 1. Seconded and passed
    - ix. Motion to change line item 15 on detail page two to read 70 dollars
      - 1. Seconded and passed
    - x. Motion to change line item 16 on detail page two to read 0 dollars



- 1. Seconded and passed
- xi. Motion to change line item 17 on detail page two to read 98 dollars
  - 1. Seconded and passed
- xii. Motion to change line item 18 on detail page to read 49 dollars
  - 1. Seconded and passed
- vi. Chair Rutherford: Motion to open the budget of SLOPE
  - 1. Seconded and passed
  - 2. No questions
  - 3. Discussion
    - a. Sen. Gonzales
      - i. Motion to change line item 11 to read 300 dollars
        - 1. Seconded and passed
      - ii. Motion to change line time 12 to read 105
        - 1. Seconded and passed
      - iii. Motion to change line item 13 to read 0 dollars
        - 1. Seconded and passed
      - iv. Motion to change line item 14 to read 53 dollars
        - 1. Seconded and passed
      - v. Sweeping Motion to change line item 16 and 17 to read 0 dollars
        - 1. Seconded and passed
- vii. Chair Rutherford: Motion to open Automotive and Motorsports Club Budget
  - 1. Seconded and passed
  - 2. Ouestions
    - a. Sen. Gonzales: Questions online items 13 and 15, they are requesting line time 13 printer paper in and 15 flyers, are they the same thing or separate line items.
    - b. Chair Rutherford: separate line items and they are funded at 70 percent.
    - c. Vp. Jaber: Did the committee discuss the precedence that wants to be set on facilities renting.
    - d. Chair Rutherford: We have not.
    - e. Sen. Gonzales: Did we not discuss line item 17 at



## 70 percent

f. Chair Rutherford: We did, and we were going to look at the other budgets and see what that looks like. It did not look like there were others that fit this.

#### 3. Discussion

- a. Sen. Gonzales
  - Motion to change line time 11 to 224 dollars
    - 1. Seconded and passed
  - ii. Motion to change line item 14 to read 800 dollars
    - 1. Seconded and passed
  - iii. Motion to change line item 15 to read 70 dollars
    - 1. Seconded and passed
  - iv. Motion to change line time 16 to read 300 dollars
    - 1. Seconded and passed
- b. Chair Rutherford: Point of Clarification
  - i. Automotive and Sports Club is a new Student Org, which means they are capped based on how many students they have. They have over ten and will be capped at 1500 dollars. Do need to keep this in mind while funding.
  - ii. Sen. Gonzales: What are we currently at, 1900
  - iii. Chair: We have gone over the cap. We should give what is needed for food. Give them based on what they requested for this.
  - iv. Sen. Gonzales
    - 1. Motion to change line item 14 to read 350 dollars
      - a. Seconded and passed
  - v. Chair: When I recognize you for discussion you don't need to give a motion you can give an opinion.
  - vi. Sen. Mitchell: We gave them an extra 100 dollars for meetings so we can take that



- out and make it 200 and we may be fine.
- vii. Chair: We are on the threshold and bringing it down would not matter. I would suggest we finalize the discussion on line item 17 whatever that may be funded at. Add whatever is left over to their 350.
- viii. Sen. Gonzales: I would like the committee to bear in mind that if we were to fund line item 17 with 50 percent we would be over. Just kidding, I yield
  - ix. DSOR Ruiz: Meetings are not always held in the same place, their facility renting can be used as an appropriation, so it's fair for other clubs.
  - x. Chair: Ruiz you should change to senator
  - xi. VP: Decide whether or not you want to fund facility rental at 50 or 70 percent.
- xii. Chair: Thank you VP Jaber
- xiii. Sen. Gonzales: if we were to fund line item 17 at 70 percent our total would be 1385 dollars and I would welcome opinions from the committee regarding line item 17.
- xiv. Sen. Mitchell: I suggest we fund it at 70 percent and whatever is left over we can move back into line 14.
- xv. Sen. holly: Motion to change line item 17 to read 208 dollars
  - 1. Seconded and passed
- xvi. Chair: I suggest the vice-chair label this as a "discretionary cut" rather than "standing rules".
- xvii. Sen. Gonzales: We discussed increasing their food budget for events or meetings.
  - 1. Motion to change line item 14 to read 465 dollars
    - a. Seconded and passed
- viii. Chair Rutherford: Motion to open the budget of the African Student Association
  - 1. Seconded and passed



- a. Questions: None
- b. Discussion
  - i. Sen. Rheman
    - Motion to change line item 11 to read 0 dollars
      - a. Seconded and passed
    - 2. Motion to change line 12 to read 300 dollars
      - a. Seconded and passed
    - 3. Motion to change line item 13 to read 0 dollars
      - a. Seconded and passed
  - ii. VP Jaber: Clarification we cut student organizations' regular meetings down to 300 dollars but as per the previous allocation we went over the cap
  - iii. Chair: We funded their food for their events in the last one and this is food for meetings.
  - iv. VP Jaber: Clarification of why this budget was cut to 0 for the event.
  - v. Chair: No proof was provided that they did this for 2 years and were funded by GO.
  - vi. DSOR Ruiz: Logistical question why did we fund their event as a new student org.
  - vii. Chair Rutherford: Considered an operational cost since they need cars for their car shows.
- ix. Chair: Motion to open Magic the Gathering
  - 1. Seconded and passed
    - a. Questions: None
    - b. Discussion:
      - i. Sen. Rehman
        - Motion to change line item 11 to 588 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 2. Motion to change line item 12 to read 218 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 3. Motion to change line item 13 to



#### read 0 dollars

- a. Seconded and passed
- 4. Motion to change line item 14 to read 0 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 5. Motion to change line item 16 to read 140
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 6. Motion to change line item 17 to read 49 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- ii. Sen. Holly: Do we need to change the category of line item 17 to supply costs since it is listed as office supplies?
- iii. Chair Rutherford: Yes
- iv. Sen. Holly:
  - 1. Motion to change the category from "office supplies" to "supply costs" of line 17
    - a. Seconded and passed
- x. Chair: Motion to open Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Inc.
  - 1. Seconded and passed
    - a. Questions: None
    - b. Discussion:
      - i. Sen. Rheman
        - 1. Motion to change line item 11 to read 300 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 2. Motion to change line item 13 to read 0 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 3. Motion to change line time 14 to read 53 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 4. Motion to change line item 15 to read 0 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
- xi. Chair Rutherford: Motion to open Arnold Air Society
  - 1. Seconded and passed
    - a. Questions: None
    - b. Discussion:



- i. Sen. Rehman
  - Motion change line item 11 to read 75 dollars
    - a. Seconded and passed
  - 2. Motion to change line time 12 to read 105 dollars
    - a. Seconded and passed
  - 3. Sweeping motion to change line items 13, 14, 15, 16 and 17 to 0 dollars
    - a. Seconded and passed
- ii. Chair: The current recommended account is 181 dollars
- xii. Chair: Motion to open the Pre-Optometry Societies budget
  - 1. Seconded and passed
    - a. Question: None
    - b. Discussion:
      - i. Sen Pingal:
        - 1. Motion to change line item 11 to 300 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 2. Motion to change line item 12 to read 105 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 3. Motion to change line item 13 to read 84 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 4. Motion to change line item 15 to read 0 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 5. Clarification for line time 15 are we changing the category
        - Chair: We are going to keep the same category and fund at 70 percent
        - 7. Motion to change line item 14 to read 53 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 8. Chair Rutherford: recommended amount: 545 dollars
- xiii. Chair: Motion to open the budget the American Society of Mechanical Engineers



- 1. Seconded and passed
  - a. Questions: None
  - b. Discussion
    - i. Sen. Pingal
      - 1. Motion to change line item 11 to read 14 dollars
        - a. Seconded and passed
      - 2. Motion to change line item 13 to read 53 dollars
        - a. Seconded and passed
      - 3. Motion to change line item 14 to read 0 dollars
        - a. Seconded and passed
    - ii. Chair: Current recommended amount is 445 dollars
- xiv. Chair: Motion to open Pre-Dental Society Budget
  - 1. Seconded and passed
    - a. Questions: none
    - b. Discussion:
      - i. Sen. Pingal
        - Motion to add another line item separating categories "food for meetings" and "food for events"
        - 2. Add a line item for "food for events"
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 3. Motion to change line item 11 to read 300 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 4. Sweeping Motion to change 12 and 15 to read 0 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 5. Motion to change line time 13 to read 105 dollars
          - a. Second and passed
        - 6. Motion to change line item 16 to read 800 dollars
          - a. Seconded passed
      - ii. Chari: current recommended amount is 1287 dollars
- xv. Chair: Motion to open the budget of the Honors Student Association



- 1. Seconded and passed
  - a. Questions: None
  - b. Discussion
    - i. Sen. holly
      - Motion to change line item 11 to 0 dollars
        - a. Seconded and passed
      - 2. Motion to change line item 12 to read 300 dollars
        - a. Seconded and passed
      - 3. Motion to change line item 13 to read 21 dollars
        - a. Seconded and passed
      - 4. Motion to change line item 14 to read 67 dollars
        - a. Seconded and passed
      - 5. Motion to change line item 15 to read 0 dollars
        - a. Seconded and passed
    - ii. Sen. Mitchell
      - 1. I thought we can't find movie rentals since they are subscriptions
      - 2. Motion to change line item 13 to 0 dollars
        - a. Seconded and passed
    - iii. Chair Rutherford: Current recommendation 378 dollars
- xvi. Motion to open the budget of the Black Student Union
  - Seconded and passed
    - a. Questions: None
    - b. Discussion
      - i. Sen. Holly
        - Motion to change line item 12 to 300 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 2. Motion to change line item 13 to read 0 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 3. Motion to change line item 14 to read 0 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed



- 4. Motion to change line item 15 to read 6 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 5. Motion to change line time 16 on detail page 1 to read 53 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 6. Sweeping motion to change line items 17-26 on page one to read 0 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 7. Sweeping motion to change line time 11-27 to read 0 dollars on detail page two
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 8. Sweeping motion to change line item 12-15 to read 0 dollars on detail page 3
  - a. Seconded and passed
- ii. Chair Rutherford: The current recommended amount is 381 dollars
- xvii. Chair motions to open the budget of the PMES
  - 1. Seconded and passed
    - a. Questions: None
    - b. Discussion
      - i. Sen. Holly
        - 1. Motion to change line item 22 on detail page one to read 0 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 2. Motion to change line item 23 on detail page one to read 300 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 3. Motion to change line item 25 on detail page one to read 15 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 4. Motion to change line item 26 on detail page 1 to read 11 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 5. Motion to change line item 27 on detail page one to read 32 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 6. Motion to change line item 11 on



page two to read 39 dollars

- a. Seconded and passed
- 7. Motion to change line item 12 on page two to read 19 dollars
  - a. Second and passed
- 8. Sweeping Motion to change line items 13-18 on detail page two and line items 11-26 on detail page three to read 0 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 9. Sweeping motion to change line item 11-16 and 26 27 on page 4 and line item 11-22 on detail page 5 to read 0 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 10. Sweeping motion to change line item 12-24 on page 6 to read 0 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- xviii. Chair Rutherford: current recommended amount at 570 dollars
  - xix. DSOR Ruiz: Point of clarification for sen. Mitchel changed the reasoning for line item 13.
  - xx. Chair Rutherford: Motion to open the budget of the UNM Robotics
    - 1. Seconded and passed
      - a. Questions: None
      - b. Discussion:
        - i. Sen. Holly
          - 1. Motion to change line item 11 on the detail page to read 175 dollars on page one
            - a. Seconded and passed
          - 2. Motion to change line item 12 to read 350 dollars
            - a. Seconded and passed
          - 3. Motion to change line item 13 to read 300 dollars on page one
            - a. Seconded and passed
          - 4. Motion to change line item 14 to read 700 dollars on page one



- a. Seconded and passed
- 5. Motion to change line item 11 on detail page two to read 105 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 6. Motion to change line item 12 on budget sheet 2 to read 0 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 7. Motion to change line time 13 on budget sheet 2 to read 0 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- ii. Sen. Pingal
  - Motion to change the category of line item 13 to read professional service
- iii. Chair: Current recommended amount
- xxi. Chair: motion to open the budget of The Hobbit society
  - 1. Seconded and passed
    - a. Ouestions: none
    - b. Discussion
      - i. Sen. Longoria
        - Motion to change line item 11 to 300 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
        - 2. Motion to change line item 12 to 35 dollars
          - a. Seconded and passed
      - ii. Chair: Rec. The amount is 337 dollars
- xxii. Chair: Move into further deliberations on the budget since they are open
  - 1. Starting with advancing women in STEM
- xxiii. Chair: Motion to recess till 11:45 AM
  - 1. Seconded and passed
  - 2. Back from recess at 11:56AM
    - a. 6 Senators present
- h. Chair Rutherford: Going over the budgets now that they are all open, starting with SLOPE, specifically their semester show
  - i. DSOR Ruiz: I proof that SLOPE has two events through flyers.
  - ii. Sen. Gonzales: Point of clarification, what line item is this one?
  - iii. Chair Rutherford: Line item 13



- iv. Sen. Pingal: Point of clarification, can we go back to an appropriation if we find evidence of something that needs to be changed
- v. Chair Rutherford: Yes we can, but for right now can we focus on SLOPE
- vi. Sen. Mitchel
  - 1. Motion to change line item 13 on detail page one to read 800 dollars
    - a. Seconded and passed
- vii. Chair: further discussion? (none)
  - 1. Sen. Pingal: Point of clarification, on line item 12 since the max is 150 can we increase their budget of advertising?
  - 2. Chair: We need standing rules to double-check this.
  - 3. Chair: Question for Angela, for advertising, do you think we could go above 150 dollars
  - 4. Anglea: We can, but you need to do it for all the other appropriations
  - 5. Sen. Pingal:
    - a. Motion to change line item 12 to on the budget of SLOPE to read 150 dollars
      - i. Seconded and passed
    - b. Point of clarification, line item 14 says printing supplies, which is strictly funding 70 percent of that
    - c. Chair Rutherford: yes that's what we were planning to do.
  - 6. Chair Rutherford: Anything else for SLOPE, The Current recommendation sits at 10385 dollars
  - 7. Sen. Mitchell: There are several orgs that put 150 for advertisement, should we change the rest?
  - 8. Chair: Yes we will go down the rest of the student organizations and change them.
- D. Moving into the Automotive and Motorsport Club
  - i. Sen. Gonzales: Because this is a new student organization would there still be wiggle room with the surplus or do we need to adhere to what we said originally?
  - ii. Chair Rutherford: 1500 is the max we can give to them.
  - iii. Chair: I want to talk about the food for student members at hosted club events. DSOR brought the issue up.
  - iv. DSOR Ruiz: I was saying that if we are trying to promote



equitable design and set a precedent. My comment on line item 14 on detail page one, is if we want to be equitable to student organizations who could provide food for the past two years, we should consider if they really do need food if funding has never happened before. There is no food at car meets usually. For example, the African Student Association is not being funded for their cultural events that include food. With a large surplus, we can consider this.

- v. Chair: I agree with these comments, Angela I would appreciate your recommendation for this situation on this budget.
- vi. Angela: Considering more cultural clubs, they should get food, versus this club, which has yet to prove that they need food.
- vii. Sen. Holly: What are we at for surplus right now?
- viii. Chair: We have about 52,000 dollars
- ix. DSOR Ruiz: I have a question, do we have a restriction for event fees?
- x. Chair Rutherford: There is a 70 percent limit on event fees
- xi. Sen. Gonzales
  - 1. Motion to change line item 14 to read 0 dollars
    - a. Seconded and passed
- xii. Chair: The current recommendation for Automotive Sports Cub is 1033 dollars
- b. Moving into the African Student Association
  - DSOR Ruiz: I sent two photos for evidence of African Student Association cultural night that took place in the past two years
  - ii. Chair Rutherford: I recognize those photos as evidence.
  - iii. Sen. Gonzales:
    - 1. Motion to change line item 11 to read 800 dollars
      - a. Seconded and passed
  - iv. Chair: Current recommendation for the African Student ASsociation sits at 1106 dollars
- c. Chair Rutherford: Moving to Magic the Gathering
  - i. Chair: Any consideration for this student organization
  - ii. Chair: DSOR Ruiz, is there proof of the club? Angela, we discussed this before, but they have happened before, but I knew they haven't provided proof, if DSOR provides proof we should take it into consideration.
  - iii. Angela: I can try to find proof as well.



- iv. Sen. Pingal: I tried looking for their club on Instagram and I found their club, but I don't know if it will suffice.
- v. Chair Rutherford: I am only seeing posts of Magic Mondays and doesn't count as proof for events.
- vi. Chair: Unfortunately, this evidence is not very substantial so it doesn't count
- vii. Angela: I just sent a screenshot of an event done in November 2023.
- viii. Sen. Gonzales: Assuming the chair has sufficient proof:
  - 1. Motion to change line item 14 to read 800 dollars
    - a. Seconded and passed
- ix. Chair Rutherford: Current recommendation sits at 2106 dollars.
- d. Moving into Sigma Gamma Rho
  - i. Chair: Any points of discussion that need to be made
  - ii. No General changes needed
- e. Moving into Arnold Air Society
  - i. Chair: no need for change
- f. Moving into Pre-Optometry Society
  - i. Chair: Any consideration needed
  - ii. Sen. Pingal
    - 1. Motion to change line item 12 to read 150 dollars for advertising
      - a. Seconded and passed
    - 2. Point of clarification, we should change the reasoning
  - iii. Sen. Mitchell
    - I thought we were only doing that if it was for daily lobo
    - 2. Chair Rutherford: it is considered advertising and we just specify in the reasoning that it is for daily lobo.
- g. Moving into the American Society of Mechanical Engineers
  - i. No reconsideration needed
- h. Moving to Pre-Dental Society
  - i. DSOR Ruiz: They mention for their suture bowl they mention that the suture kits cost 25-30 dollars and 25-30 people attend the event. Jost for the committee to consider.
  - ii. Chair Rutherford: We funded the supply cost at 70 percent and we can't do any more.
  - iii. Chair Rutherford: Angela, in regards to the sutures, could that be considered an educational supply.
  - iv. Angela: It can be because they are using it as part of a



workshop.

- v. Chair: I think we should change the category to fund it at the full amount.
- vi. Sen. Pingal
  - 1. Motion to change line item 13 to read educational supplies
    - a. Seconded and passed
  - 2. Motion to change line item 13 to read 150 dollars
    - a. Seconded and passed
- vii. Chair Rutherford: No further discussion
  - 1. Increased to 1332 dollars
- i. Moving to the Honors Student Association:
  - i. Chair Rutherford: do they have proof of something happening in the past two years
  - ii. Sen. Pingal: They do have an event that happened last year, unfortunately, not two years ago.
- j. Moving to the Black Student Union
  - i. Chair Rutherford: I suggest that we take a moment to consider this. The Powerful Movement for Educated Sisters provides evidence that BSU is part of the Freaknic. However, it is confusing if the Halloween party actually took place.
  - ii. Angela: We have no record of two events taking place for BSU.
  - iii. Chair Rutherford: In the opinion of the chair, the Freaknic counts and should be funded, however, other items should not be funded.
  - iv. DSOR Ruiz: I agree with the chair there is a lack of evidence in terms of this point.
  - v. Sen. Gonzales: Point of clarification, we funded everything for the freaknic for BSU at the prescribed amount.
  - vi. Chair Rutherford: Yes
  - vii. Sen. Gonzales: That starts with line item 24 on detail page one
  - viii. Chair Rutherford: yes
  - ix. Sen. Mitchell
    - 1. Motion to change line item 24 on detail page one to read 45 dollars
      - a. Seconded and passed
    - 2. Motion to change line item 24 on detail page two to read 21 dollars



- a. Seconded and passed
- Motion to change line item 25 to read 70 dollars detail page two
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 4. Motion to change line item 26 to read 14 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 5. Motion to change, detail sheet three, line item 12 to read 21 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 6. Motion to change line item 13 on detail page three to read 21 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 7. Motion to change line item 14 to read 500 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 8. Motion to change line item 15 to read 515 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- x. Chair: No further discussion and the current recommendation is 1596 dollars
- k. Moving to the Powerful Movement of Educated Sisters
  - i. Chair: PMES did provide evidence of the Halloween party and freaknic for them
  - ii. Chair: Angela, some of the Halloween party decorations are one time use purchases, should we keep them or not?
  - iii. Anglea: No make them appropriations if they are one-time.
  - iv. Sen. Gonzales
    - 1. Motion to change line time 13 to read 21 dollars
      - a. Seconded and passed
    - 2. Motion to change line item 13 on budget sheet number 3 to read 11 dollars
      - a. Motion not recognized
  - v. Chair can we stay on detail sheet 2 first
  - vi. Sen. Gonzales
    - 1. Motion to change line time 13 on budget sheet three to read 21 dollars
      - a. Seconded and passed
    - Motion to change line item 15 on detail page 3 to read 7 dollars
      - a. Seconded and passed
    - 3. Motion to change line item 16 on budget sheet 3 to read 14 dollars
      - a. Seconded and passed



- 4. Motion to change line number 18 on page 3 to read 4 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 5. Motion to change line item 22 to read 25 dollars on budget sheet three
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 6. Motion to change line item 24 on budget sheet three to read 21 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 7. Motion to change line item 26 on budget sheet three to read 14 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 8. Motion to change line item 12 on budget sheet 4 to 21 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 9. Motion to change 13 on budget detail sheet 4 to read 21 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 10. Motion to change line item 19 on budget detail sheet 5 to read 500 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- 11. Motion to change line item 20 on budget sheet 5 to 500 dollars
  - a. Seconded and passed
- vii. Sen. Mitchell: Can we fund both their DJs
- viii. Chair Rutherford: We can but that is going to be all of the professional services that they hire.
- ix. Sen. Mitchell: Can I have some opinions on whether or not to fund these at the full amount?
- x. General Committee: Yes we should
  - 1. Sen Mitchell:
    - a. Motion to change line item 21 on budget sheet 5 to read 515 dollars
      - i. Seconded and passed
    - b. Motion to change line item 22 on budget sheet 5 to read 550
      - i. Seconded and passed
- xi. Sen. Holly: Point of clarification, are we over-funding this? We allocated 515 in the BSU budget and this is for the same thing
- xii. Chair Rutherford: Because these are two separate student



- organizations, we can allot different amounts, and the standards are applied to the student organizations
- xiii. VP Jaber: If there are two student organizations there are more students
- xiv. Sen. Holly: But for the price of the DJ I don't think they need any more
- xv. Chair Rutherford: For the quote they sent me, I do hear what you are saying, in regards to that we can't fund the Halloween party in the BSU budget because there is no proof. Depending on the quoted amount on theirs, I do hear that we should not be allocating extra money, can someone pull up the quote for that DJ? Their quote says 735. I suggest that we cover the cost of BSU, specifically the Freaknic event, but not the Halloween event.
- xvi. Chair: The final number for PMES is 2772 dollars
- I. Move back to BSU
  - i. Sen. Mitchell: Suggestion they are for the same event and we can split it in half. One organization can fund the freaknic, and one can fund the Halloween party. For example, give 70% to BSU for the Freaknic and 70% for PMES.
  - ii. Chair: To maximize, basically, we should fund the max for that student organization since they provided proof.
  - iii. Sen. Gonzales:
    - Motion to change line item 15 of the BSU budget on detail page three to read 220 dollars
      - a. Seconded and passed
  - iv. Chair: For clarification, the total cost of their DJ is covered. The current recommended amount is 1299.
  - v. Angela: Hey Bailey, I do need to log out of the meeting.
  - vi. Chair: thank you, Angela!
- m. Move to the UNM Robotics Team
  - i. Nothing to reconsider
- n. Move to the Hobbit Society
  - i. Nothing to reconsider
- o. Move to SASE
  - i. Sen. Pingal: I recently visited Instagram. They did have an event in the past two years.
    - 1. Motion to change line item 11 of page 1 to 800 dollars
      - a. Seconded and passed
    - 2. Motion to change line item 12 to read 35 dollars



- a. Seconded and passed
- 3. Motion to change line item 13 to read 75 dollars
  - a. Failed still reads 50
- 4. Sen. Pingal: Point of clarification, wondering since if we refer to section 6, Roman numeral 1 it says that event fees per diem may not exceed a cumulative sum of 7500. I was wondering if we could consider giving them the amount of 128 dollars.
- 5. Chair Rutherford: I think event fees incorporate food, DJ's and anything that can go in an event. I suggest because there are no quotes on what the event looks like we should not fund this.
- p. Move to AWS
  - i. Sen. Pingal
    - 1. Should we give max funding of 800 dollars
  - ii. Chair Rutherford: I don't think so because that's all the funding they could all get for the year
  - iii. Sen. Gonzales: I agree
  - iv. Sen. Pingal:
    - 1. Motion to change line item 16 to read 250
      - a. Seconded and passed
  - v. Chair Rutherford: Specify that there are still 550 dollars left for funding.
- q. Moving to Art History Mentorship Initiative
  - i. Sen. Pingal: Fund their advertisement
    - 1. Motion to change line item 13 to read 150 dollars
      - a. Seconded and passed
- r. Move to Warhawk Booster Club
  - i. No discussion
- s. Move to Bengal United Sports Club
  - i. Chair: total is 3543
- t. Move to the American Society of Mechanical Engineers
  - i. Chair: total 445
- u. Move to UNM Robotics
  - i. Chair: total 1639
- v. Chair Rutherford: Any other discussion needed
- w. Sen. Gonzales: Amendments for Begnal United and SLOPE
  - i. Motion to change line item 15 to 300 dollars on detail page one for Bengal United Sports Club
    - 1. Seconded and passed
  - ii. SLOPE: Change is already there



- E. Chair Rutherford: with a toll call of 5-0-0-1 the budget bill that will be submitted to the full senate will equate to an amount of 22,142 dollars with a surplus of 52,818 dollars to be admitted into the general fund. We will now move into the next order of business
  - a. New Business
    - i. None
  - b. Closing
    - i. Sen. Gonzales: Brief moment to commend chair Rutherford for his hard work, we are all proud of him. (everyone claps)
  - c. Members of the Committee
    - i. None
  - d. SGAO
    - i. Already given
  - e. Vice Chair
    - i. Sen. Mitchell: Good job everybody and it's nice we found the proofs for funding and we took the time out of our day to do that.
  - f. Chair
    - i. Chair Rutherford: I think it is great we took the time to look at all that extra stuff. It will be just like this on Wednesday. Thank you guys for your hard work!
- F. Adjournment
  - a. Adjourned at 1:31pm