

UNM-Gallup Staff Council Minutes

Wednesday, Feb. 23, 2024 | 10 a.m. | Physical Plant

Staff Council Executive Committee

President Tina Griego	Present
President-elect Shana Arviso	Present
Treasurer Monica Wyaco	Present
Secretary Richard Reyes	Present
Member At Large Robin Gabaldon	Present
Member At Large Ozzy Guerrero	Present
Past President Frank Sanchez	Present

Staff & Guests Present:

Renaldo Fowler	Teyah Denetclaw	Jacquelyn Vandever
Dawn Garcia	Eliza Caponetto	Ardene Johnson
Abby Montoya	Tanisha Ashley	Sarah Piano, Big Brothers
Bobbi Campos	Brittany Tabor	Big Sisters
Joseph Rodriguez	Shanda Tom	Idajean Mangum, Big
Kim Sowers	Ron Petranovich	Brothers Big Sisters
Linda Begayne	Denise Silva	

Approval of Agenda

Motion: Dawn G.
Second: Ozzy G.
Discussion: None.
Opposition: None.
Action: Motion approved.

Approval of Jan. 31, 2024, Meeting Minutes

Motion: Dawn G.
Second: Monica W.
Discussion: None.
Opposition: None.
Action: Motion approved.

Discussion/Action Items

1. Big Brothers Big Sisters Presentation – Sarah Piano and Idajean Mangum
 - a. Discussion: Sarah P. and Idajean M. delivered engaging presentation on BBBS organization, mentoring program and Bowl for Kids' Sake fundraiser.
 - b. Action: None.
2. Event Committee proposal for annual Staff Council calendar – Presented by Richard Reyes
 - a. Discussion: Richard R. presented events calendar proposal and provided physical copies (digital copy attached). Calendar includes annual event ideas and suggestions. It is a living document. There are no requirements to do every event, but it's a helpful template and reminder.
 - b. Motion: Frank S. motioned to adopt events calendar as a template for 2024.
 - c. Second: Dawn Garcia and/or Monica Wyaco.
 - d. Opposition: None.
 - e. Action: Motion approved.

3. Peer Navigator Presentation – Presented by Shana Arviso
 - a. Discussion: Shana A. gave update on Basic Needs Peer Navigator program, which is funded by NM Higher Education Department. Funding runs through December 2024. Goals include recognizing students’ struggles and providing support to overcome those challenges, including housing insecurity and food insecurity. Contact Shana or visit Accessibility Resource Center for info.
 - b. Action: None.

Committee Reports

1. Wellness Committee: Frank S. gave update on Weight Loss Challenge. Also gave update on idea to move forward with a food pantry. Much discussion about location, ideas, how to prevent abuse, how to track, etc. Ultimately the food pantry is pending discussions with Student Affairs.
2. Event Committee: Richard R. announced next committee meeting set for March 8.
3. Development Committee: Shana A. announced next committee meeting set for March 6.
4. Safety Committee: Tina G. gave updates on radios, Campus Safety Week, Clery reporting, safety webpage, Rave/LoboAlerts, Narcan training, bike racks, and first aid boxes.

Executive Committee Reports

1. President: Tina G. encouraged participation in BBBS. She also sought input on creation of MarketPlace page for accepting payments for fundraisers. No action taken, but instead would be brought to Executive Committee via email. Brief update on upcoming Pi Day event.
2. President-elect: Shana A. announced TRIO Student Club fundraiser.
3. Treasurer: No report.
4. Secretary: Richard R. gave update on working with Linda Begayne as Staff Council admin. Also gave update on BeKind UNM Week donations.
5. Members At Large: No reports.
6. Past president: Frank S. announced reminder for upcoming meeting with ABQ Staff Council. Also encouraged participation in Engagement Survey. Recommended Robert’s Rules of Order video training. Encouraged invitations for SkillsUSA students to get practice.

Comments/Announcements

- None.

Next meeting:

- March 27, 2024, in Executive Conference Room. Frank S. to provide snacks.

Adjourn

Motion: Inaudible in recording.

Second: Inaudible in recording.

Discussion: None.

Opposition: None.

Action: Motion approved.

Meeting adjourned around Noon.