

Staff Council Standing Committee Minutes

Committee Name: Executive

Meeting Date and Place: May 3, 2024, 11:17 AM – 12:38PM; Teams

Members Present: Grace Faustino, Ivan Olay, Frankie Flores, Joseph Lane, Angela

Beauchamp, Amie Ortiz, Tayli Lam, Amber Trujillo McClure **Excused Absent:** Bonnie Minkus Holmes, Amy Hawkins

Members Absent: Guests Present:

Minutes Submitted by: Amy Hawkins

	Subject	Item	Notes
1.	Call to Order		11:17 am
2.	Approval of Agenda		Approved.
3.	Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes	4.12.24	Approved.
4.	Indigenous Peoples' Land and Territory Acknowledgement	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 acknowledge our committed relationships to indigenous peoples. We gratefully recognize our history.	Read by Grace.
5.	New Business	 1. Roundtable: Staff as Students Debrief: Exec discussed the event and provided comments on the debrief form. Staff as Artists funding and Event Request was approved after questions were answered by Joe regarding logistics and Tayli regarding budget availability. HSC Staff Representation in SC Leadership. Grace discussed having been approached about more HSC representation on SC Executive Committee. Discussion included mentioning two prominent members of Exec within the last couple of years including one President; that it seems like our HSC 	

councilors do not get the support from their leadership to engage more with the council; and that SC will continue to engage in ideas of how to promote more participation from HSC. Gallup Engagement Survey Debrief: Exec discussed several points that came out of the meeting including: that the online sound was not the best quality and made it hard to hear; the comparison between faculty and staff results were very interesting; that some were wanting to see more raw data; it was an inclusive survey and good presentation; timing needs to be considered; and overall needing more communication, outreach, and direction for supervisors to implement plans of action, top down, from the results they receive. 2. Professor Jennifer Tuckers Letter to President Stokes. Exec discussed some of the implications of letter that went out when all staff were not included: that there needs to be better communication for protest events, events in general, including safety directions; that conversations need to be timely with protocols that include more than central campus; and this is one of those spaces that shared governance should really come into play, and SC should be included in some of the decisions in real time such as locking administrative buildings during normal business hours. Secondary discussion about safely came out this and the lack of direction to staff, and a want to be heard. Having a town hall was suggested; and the SC Luncheon event was brought up and Amie will follow up with a separate meeting regarding safety protocols for the luncheon. 3. Treasurer Lam reported (during roundtable discussion of Staff as Artists funding request) that we should have the funds for the Staff as Artists request, and shared screen with breakdown of fiscal year end numbers. 4. At Large Reports: (Frankie) Precincts reported frustration that they are not being told how to support students in difficult times such as when there are protests! That lack of direction for safety issues is palpable. **Announcements** Next scheduled meeting 5.10.24 Adjournment 12:38 pm