**VERSION 2** 

# General Assembly



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Agenda & Meeting Materials (Friday)

Chaired by Sammi Weber, President





## Agenda

Friday, April 4th, 2025

### **GA Teams Link**

| 5:05 PM | I.   | Welcome Address                             |
|---------|------|---|
| 5:10    | II.  | Guest Speaker                               |
|         | III. | NDSA Officer Nominations                    |
| 5:35    | IV.  | Preview of Committees and Breakout Sessions |
| 5:40    | V.   | Announcements                               |
| 5:45    | VI.  | Breakout Sessions                           |
| 6:00    | VII. | Break to Committees                         |

# Internal Affairs Committee

Agenda & Meeting Materials

Chaired by Hayden Larson, Vice President of Finance and Operations



## **Internal Affairs Committee**

### Agenda

Friday, April 4th, 2025

### **IAC Teams Link**

- I. Committee Activity
- II. Call to Order
- III. Roll Call
- IV. Explanation of Meeting Procedure
- V. How to Join the NDSA Office 365 SharePoint
- VI. Approval of and Additions to the Agenda
- VII. Officer Reports
  - A. Vice President of Finance and Operations, Hayden Larson
  - B. Director Report, Dylan Campbell
- VIII. Open Forum for Student Concerns

  Delegates shall discuss the statewide issues affecting students at their campuses.
  - IX. Order of Business:
    - A. Host School Reimbursement
    - B. A Resolution in Support of an Annual Most Dedicated Director Award
    - C. A Resolution in Support of the Reduction of the NDSA Student Fee to

      Three Cents per Credit
  - X. Announcements and Comments
    - A. NDSA Elections
  - XI. Adjourn

# Student Affairs Committee

Agenda & Meeting Materials

Chaired by Jayden Erickson, Vice President of Communication



## **Student Affairs Committee**

### Agenda

Friday, April 4th, 2025

### **SAC Teams Link**

- I. Committee Activity
- II. Call to Order
- III. Roll Call
- IV. Explanation of Meeting Procedure
- V. How to Join the NDSA Office 365 SharePoint
- VI. Additions to and Approval of the Agenda
- VII. Officer Reports:
  - A. Vice President of Communication, Jayden Erickson
  - B. Director of Diversity and Inclusion, Kaden Wass
  - C. Director of Public Relations, Elise Klindt
- VIII. Open Forum for Student Concerns

  Delegates shall discuss the statewide issues affecting students at their campuses.
  - IX. Order of Business:
    - A. NDSA Executive Town Hall
    - B. Elections
  - X. Announcements and Comments
  - XI. Adjourn

# State Legislative Affairs Committee

Agenda & Meeting Materials

Chaired by Carter Gill, Vice President of Governmental Affairs



## State Legislative Affairs Committee

### Agenda

Friday, April 4th, 2025

### **SLAC Teams Link**

- I. Committee Activity
- II. Call to Order
- III. Roll Call
- IV. Explanation of Meeting Procedure
- V. Video: How to Join the NDSA Office 365 SharePoint
- VI. Additions to and Approval of the Agenda
- VII. Officer Reports:
  - A. Vice President of Governmental Affairs, Carter Gill
  - B. Director of Governmental Affairs, Josh Hansen
  - C. Director of Policy, Advocacy, and Research, Christopher Scott
- VIII. Open Forum for Student Concerns
  Delegates shall discuss the statewide issues affecting students at their campuses.
- IX. Order of Business:
  - A. Higher Education Day
  - B. NDSA-30-2425 A Resolution in Support of the Rights of Immigrant Students
- X. Announcements and Comments
- XI. Adjourn

# Agenda and Meeting Materials (Saturday)

Chaired by Sammi Weber, President



Agenda Saturday, April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025

### CA Teams Link

|         |       | <u>GA Teams Link</u>  |
|---------|-------|---|
| 9:05 AM | l.    | Call to Order   |
| 9:10    | II.   | Roll Call   |
|         | III.  | Explanation of Meeting Procedure  |
|         | IV.   | ACTION: Additions to and Approval of the Agenda   |
|         | V.    | ACTION: Consider Approval of the Consent Agenda  A consent agenda allows the General Assembly to approve routine and noncontentious agenda items and reports simultaneously in a single agenda item, saving time during the meeting. Items will be placed underneath this line item prior the start of Saturday's meeting. Members may request to remove items from the consent agenda. |
|         |       | <ul><li>A. Consider Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting</li><li>B. Vouchers</li></ul>   |
| 9:25    | VI.   | Committee Reports:  |
|         |       | A. Internal Affairs Committee   |
|         |       | B. Student Affairs Committee  |
|         |       | C. State Legislative Affairs Committee  |
|         |       | A. Legislative Update   |
| 0.40    | VII.  | Presidential Report   |
| 9:40    | VIII. | SBHE Student Member Report  |
| 9:45    | IX.   | New Business  |
|         |       | A. FY25-26 NDSA Budget  |
|         |       | B. A Resolution in Support of the Rights of International and Immigrant NDUS  |
|         |       | Students  |
|         |       | C. NDSA HB 1437 Veto  |
|         |       | D. NDSA 25-26 Officer Elections   |
| 10:30   | Χ.    | Complete General Assembly Feedback Survey   |
|         | XI.   | Institutional Reports   |

**Public Comment and Announcements** 

XII.

Agenda Saturday, April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025

11:00 XIII. Adjourn

## Roll Call Sheet April 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>, 2025

| INSTITUTION                              | STUDENT<br>TOTAL | APPORTIONED VOTING DELEGATES | DELEGATES<br>PRESENT | DELEGATES<br>VOTING |
|--|------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| Bismarck State College                   | 4,206            | 7                            |                      |                     |
| Dakota College at Bottineau              | 1,206            | 4                            |                      |                     |
| Dickinson State University               | 1,410            | 4                            |                      |                     |
| Lake Region State College                | 1,897            | 5                            |                      |                     |
| Mayville State University                | 1,134            | 4                            |                      |                     |
| Minot State University                   | 2,751            | 6                            |                      |                     |
| North Dakota State College<br>of Science | 3,367            | 6                            |                      |                     |
| North Dakota State<br>University         | 11,952           | 15                           |                      |                     |
| University of North Dakota               | 15,019           | 18                           |                      |                     |
| Valley City State University             | 1,806            | 5                            |                      |                     |
| Williston State College                  | 1,058            | 4                            |                      |                     |
|  |                  | TOTAL:                       |                      |                     |

Robert's Rules Guide

| RULE                                 | SECOND | DEBATE /   | AMENDABLE | REQUIRED               | DESCRIPTION   |
|--------------------------------------|--------|------------|-----------|------------------------|---|
|                                      | NEEDED | DISCUSSION |           | VOTE                   |   |
| Point of Order                       | No     | No         | No        | None                   | Used to address a misuse of the rules or a personal affront.  May interrupt a speaker.  |
| Point of<br>Parliamentary<br>Inquiry | No     | No         | No        | None                   | Used to gain clarification about a rule or procedure. <i>May interrupt a speaker</i> .  |
| Point of<br>Information              | No     | No         | No        | None                   | Ask a question of a speaker in control of the floor.  |
| Recess                               | Yes    | No         | Yes       | Simple<br>Majority     | Recess the meeting for a specified period of time.  |
| Table a Motion                       | Yes    | Yes        | Yes       | Simple<br>Majority     | Postpone consideration of a business item until a future meeting.   |
| Previous<br>Question                 | Yes    | Yes        | No        | Two-Thirds<br>Majority | End debate on a proposal and bring it to an <i>immediate</i> vote.  |
| Open a<br>Speaker's List             | Yes    | No         | No        | Simple<br>Majority     | Used to create a list for delegates wishing to speak. Speakers will then indicate to the Chair or their appointee if they want to be added to the list.                     |
| Limits on<br>Debate                  | Yes    | Yes        | Yes       | Two-Thirds<br>Majority | Impose (or repeal) a limit on<br>the length of any form of<br>debate. Limits may be<br>specified in terms of time or<br>number of speeches.                                 |
| Suspension of<br>the Rules           | Yes    | No         | No        | Two-Thirds<br>Majority | Used to allow the General Assembly to violate its own rules, except for rules specified in the Constitution. The object of suspension must be specified.                    |
| Division of the<br>Question          | Yes    | Yes        | No        | Simple<br>Majority     | Divide a resolution or report<br>into two or more<br>clauses/sections, each to be<br>voted on separately. This<br>motion is used after the<br>passage of Closure of Debate. |
| Reconsideration of a Motion          | Yes    | Yes        | No        | Two-Thirds<br>Majority | Reconsider an item on which debate has ended or upon which a vote has taken place.  |
| Appeal a<br>Decision of the<br>Chair | Yes    | Yes        | No        | Simple<br>Majority     | Challenge a ruling made by the<br>Chair. May interrupt a<br>speaker.  |

Final approval of any NDSA resolution requires the affirmation of at least 60% of the General Assembly.