



Washoe County Employees Association PAC

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POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE (PAC) MINUTES

March 11, 2026- 6:34pm

Pursuant to the PAC Bylaws, the meeting will take place annually and coincide with the annual WCEA meeting. The minutes will be posted at wcea.us.

1. Roll Call – **Present** William Mantle, Don Gil, Kathie Maestas, Mia Collins, Blaine Clements, Jessica Adams-Lopes, Matt Polley, Karen Larsen, Monica McKee, Todd Kirsten, and Sharilee Thomas
Absent –Danika Williams
2. Guest - *None*
3. Public Comment [Comments will be heard under this item and will be limited to two minutes per person and may pertain to matter on and off the PAC agenda]. *None*
4. Closed Session - *None*
5. Review Motions and Votes conducted by email by the PAC Board since last meeting, [*For Possible Action*] *None*
6. Approval of November 13, 2024, Minutes, [*Motion: Kathie, 2nd Todd*]
7. Approval of Treasurer's November 13, 2024, Report, [*Motion: Kathie, 2nd Sharilee*]

New Business

1. Candidate Questions (BOD)
 - Discussion on types of essay questions and requirements.
 - Motion to revise and finalize the candidate endorsement questionnaire to include 3-4 essay style, handwritten questions with responses to be posted on the WCEA website for transparency (Motion: Jessica, 2nd; Mia; Passed unanimously).
 - Questionnaire will be sent to candidates by the end of the month for those who are interested in participating.
 - WCEA will reserve the right to conduct follow-up interviews, if necessary.
2. Review of the most Recent PAC Financial Report Submitted to the NV Secretary of State.
 - Posted on SOS Website.
 - The WCEA PAC has approximately \$70,000 in account.

3. 2024 Endorsement recap, none.

- No endorsements this year.
- WCEA can sustainably endorse candidates with a cap of \$10,000 per election cycle.

One Last Thing

William encourages the board to research candidates and commissioners, and their stance with labor positions/issues. Keep an eye out on the next BCC cycle as well.

Adjourn at 7:04pm

Next meeting: TBA