



**COMMITTEE ON FREE EXPRESSION
ARIZONA BOARD OF REGENTS**

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**Wednesday, August 3, 2022
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

ANNOTATED AGENDA

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Committee Members:

John Arnold, Chair
Anne Jones, ASU
Patrick Kenney, ASU
Lisa Loo, ASU
Joanne Vogel, ASU
Amit Fudim, ASU

Kimberly Ott, NAU
Michelle Parker, NAU
Margot Saltonstall, NAU
Eric Yordy, NAU
Brendan Trachsel, NAU

Toni Massaro, UArizona
David Schmitz, UArizona
Robert “Bob” Sommerfeld, UArizona
Kendal Washington White, UArizona
Patrick Robles, UArizona

Committee Members present via video: John Arnold (Chair); from ASU: Anne Jones, Patrick Kenney, Lisa Loo, Amit Fudim; from NAU: Kimberly Ott, Michelle Parker, Margot Saltonstall, Eric Yordy; from UArizona: Toni Massaro, Robert “Bob” Sommerfeld, Kendal Washington White, and Patrick Robles (joined at 11:02 a.m.)

Committee Member(s) absent: from ASU: Joanne Vogel; from NAU: Brendan Trachsel; and from UArizona: David Schmitz

11:00 a.m. CALL TO ORDER, GREETINGS, AND ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM THE COMMITTEE CHAIR - 11:01 a.m.

11:05 a.m. 1. Approval of Minutes

The board office asks the committee to review and approve the minutes from the August 5, 2021 Committee on Free Expression meeting.

Upon motion by Chair Arnold, seconded by Amit Fudim, the committee approved the public session minutes of the August 5, 2021 Committee on Free Expression meeting.

John Arnold, Lisa Loo, Amit Fudim, Kimberly Ott, Michelle Parker, Margot Saltonstall, Eric Yordy, Toni Massaro, Robert "Bob" Sommerfeld, Kendal Washington White, Patrick Robles voted in favor. None opposed. Anne Jones and Patrick Kenney, abstained. Motion passed.

11:10 a.m. 2. Review of Open Meeting Law - Samantha Blevins (ABOR) presented an overview of the Open Meeting Law.

The board office will provide the committee with an overview of the Open Meeting Law.

11:20 a.m. 3. Review the Statutory Charge to the Committee on Free Expression to Submit an Annual Report - Samantha Blevins (ABOR) presented an overview of the statutory charge to the committee to submit an Annual Report.

The board office asks the committee to review the statutory charge to the Committee on Free Expression to submit an annual report.

11:30 a.m. 4. Review of and Possible Action to Approve and Forward the Statutory Annual Report on Free Expression for FY 2022 - Samantha Blevins (ABOR) presented the draft report on Free Expression for FY 2022 to the committee.

Upon motion by Chair Arnold, seconded by Amit Fudim, the committee approved the proposed report, with changes as discussed in this meeting and authorized Samantha Blevins to make non-substantive changes in preparation for submission to the board for approval at its August 25, 2022, meeting.

John Arnold, Anne Jones, Lisa Loo, Patrick Kenney, Amit Fudim, Kimberly Ott, Michelle Parker, Margot Saltonstall, Eric Yordy, Toni Massaro, Robert "Bob" Sommerfeld, Kendal Washington White, Patrick Robles voted in favor. None opposed and none abstained. Motion passed.

The board office asks the committee to review, discuss and take possible action to approve the proposed statutory Report on Free Expression and forward the proposed statutory report to the Board or Regents for its approval.

12:00 p.m. ADJOURN - 11:10 a.m.

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