

8/20/2026 Approved (8/27/2026)

council meeting was called to order
student spotlight by vice president Aldama
branch updates were discussed
parliamentary procedures were introduced
parliamentary procedures were practiced
meeting was motioned to be adjourned by Liang.
meeting adjourned

8/27/2026 Approved (9/3/2026)

Meeting called to order at 12:01 by Chair Vice President Aldama
Motion to approve prior meeting minutes by Vice President Medrano seconded by Activities
Chair Herrera
Motion to approve prior meeting minutes was approved
Motion to adopt agenda by Vice President Medrano, seconded by Vice President Johnson
Motion to adopt approved
Star student Vice President Johnson presented by themselves
Student spotlight Will presented by Vice President Medrano
Chair assumed by President Fullmer at 12:14
Council/Branch updates presented by respective branches
Policy 611 presentation by Parliamentarian Croft
Motion to adjourn meeting by Vice President Johnson seconded by Vice President Medrano
Motion to adjourn meeting Approved
Meeting adjourned at 12:31

9/3/2026 Approved (9/17/2026)

Meeting called to order at 12:01 by Acting Chair Vice President Medrano

In Attendance: Aldama, Bailey, Brady, Brown, Croft, Denfeld, Estrada, Forstrom, Fullmer, Herrera, Howard, Johnson, Jones, Kunzler, Laing, Law, Martin, McBride, Medrano, Morby, Olsen, Olson, Pelcastre, Raymundo, Wright

Tardy:

Absent:

Motion to adopt agenda by Vice President Johnson seconded by Activities Chair Herrera

Motion to adopt agenda approved

Motion to approve meeting minutes by Connection Chair Brady seconded by Vice President Johnson

Motion to approve meeting minutes approved

Star student Activities Chair Olsen presented by themselves

Student spotlight Elsa presented by Assistant Brown

Student spotlight Eliza Riggs presented by Activities Chair Herrera

Council updates presented by Acting Chair Vice President Medrano

Branch updates presented by respective branches.

Chair Assumed by President Fullmer at 12:18

Motion to discuss policy 611 by Senator Laing seconded By Vice President Medrano

Motion to discuss policy 611 approved; discussion time was set to 10 minutes and speaking time was set to 30 seconds

Motion to increase discussion time by 3 minutes by Senator Forstrom seconded by Connection Chair Brady

Motion to increase discussion time approved

Discussion Points:

- What is a sustainable Fee
- How does the CPL fee structure compare to course tuition costs include the potential cost of the experience being used for CPL
- Concerns on the lack of timeline for FASFA funding
- Are there other possible funding pathways
- Concerns about the loosening of institutional residency requirements
- Concerns that institutional residency requirements are still too restrictive
- Interests about how CPL supports non-traditional learners and helps students in very career oriented programs such as CHPS
- Interests about the creation of a formal feedback system
- Concerns on lack of guidelines around costs and potential prerequisites to CPL such as having to take other classes

Motion to end discussion by Activities Chair Olson seconded by Vice President Johnson

Motion to end discussion approved

Policy 101 Presented By Parliamentarian Croft

Judiciary Council members presented by Vice President Medrano: Civic Engagement Chair Croft, Senator Martin, activities chair Morby, Connection Pelcastre, Student Jackson Hill, President Fullmer

Motion to ratify Judiciary Council members by Vice President Medrano seconded by Activities Chair Olsen

Aye's: Herrera, Medrano, Brady, Laing, Law, Olson, Aldama, Denfeld, Bailey, Kunzler, Martin, Morby, Forstrom, Estrada, Johnson, Raymundo, Howard, Pelcastre, Olsen

Nay's:

Abstentions:

Motion to ratify Judiciary Council members approved

Data folder initiative presented by Vice President Medrano

Subcommittees updates presented by Executive Council

Lead launch opportunity presented by Advisor Pierson

Motion to discuss campus security procedures by Vice President Aldama seconded by Vice President Johnson

Motion to discuss campus security procedures approved

Discussion Points:

- Ombuds has found students need to talk to people about the security incident on Sep. 2nd
- Students have also approached student council about security concerns
- Emails were delayed and confusing about the severity of the incident
- In Addition Emails were triggering due to there similarity to the emails sent out during Sep. 10th
- Reports of email not reaching all students including first years as well as the email being auto sorted into the other folder in outlook.
- Delay was in part due to the event originating off campus however UVUSA feels that UCCU center/stadium, The Green \& other adjacent student centered housing, and LDS Institute should be treated as on campus for the purpose of public safety
- Concerns that training surrounding the new safety plans have been distributed to staff yet the reaction to Sep. 2nd did not follow those guidelines
- Is there a possibility for a webpage where students can check to see all updates on security issues
- Is there a way that students can opt in to a text messaging system for emergencies

Motion to end discussion by Senator Denfeld seconded by Senator Kunzler

Motion to end discussion approved

Motion to discuss Sep. 10th procedures by Senator Forstrom Seconded by Vice President Medrano

Motion to discuss Sep. 10th procedures approved; discussion time was set to 8 minutes and speaking time was set to 1 minute

Motion to increase discussion time by 3 Minutes by Connection Chair Brady seconded by Senator Forstrom

Discussion points:

- Students are concerned about media and discourse
- Students do not have to interact with media
- We can refer students to student health services
- Students concerned about potentially divisive private event happening directly adjacent to campus with no comment from university administration
- The University's response is to close campus
- Concerns on what is security was going to look like
- Questions on loosening attendance next week
- Reminders about Timely care/ take care of ourselves first
- Students are uneasy about being on campus

Motion to end discussion by Senator Forstrom seconded by Senator Denfeld

Motion to adjourn Meeting by Senator Denfeld seconded by Senator Kunzler

Motion to adjourn Meeting Approved at 1:59

9/17/2026 Approved (9/24/2026)

Meeting called to order at 12:00 by Chair President Fullmer

In attendance: Brown, Medrano, Brady, Laing, Law, Wright, C. Olson, Aldama, McBride, Bailey, Kunzler, Fullmer, Morby, Forstrom, Estrada, Croft, Raymundo, Howard, Pelcastre, T. Olsen, Jones

Tardy: Johnson

In absence: Herrera, Denfeld, Martin,

Motion to adopt agenda by Connection Chair Estrada seconded by Senator Forstrom

Motion to adopt agenda approved

Motion to approve meeting minutes for 9/3/2026 by Vice President Aldama seconded by Activities Chair Bailey

Motion to approve meeting minutes approved

Motion to approve feedback on policy 611 by Activities Chair Bailey seconded by Activities Chair T. Olsen

Motion to approve feedback on policy 611 passed

Student spotlight Camden Squires presented by Activities Chair Morby

Council updates presented by Advisor Pierson

Updates on security Protocol presented by President Fullmer

Branch Updates presented by respective branches

Policy process presented by Miranda Christensen

Motion to discuss policy 101 by Vice President Johnson seconded by Activities Chair Bailey

Motion to discuss policy 101 approved; Discussion time set to 5 min speaking time set to 30 sec

Discussion Points:

- Common sense adjustments
- Since this isn't effecting student voice the other changes are not relevant
- Everyone on the policy subcommittee is also on presidents' council

Motion to close discussion on policy 101 by Connection Chair Estrada seconded by Vice President Medrano

Motion to close discussion on policy 101 approved

Presentation on policy 637, 640, & 659 presented by Amanda Cooke

Motion to discuss 637 by Vice President Medrano seconded by Vice President Johnson

Motion to discuss 637 approved; Discussion time set to 4 minutes, speaker time set to 30 seconds

Discussion Points:

- Concerns that some faculty are not good for students
- Standardized Level on how SRI is treated
- Sri's are potentially out of scope for this purposed changed
- Add a scale to SRIs to create quantitative
- Slap in the face to current faculty that external can jump the line
- Instead of three years shorten change to 2 for previously tenured faculty
- UVU is a place for everyone and so we should encourage helping other faculty come and get the shortcut

Motion to close discussion by Vice President Medrano seconded by Senator Forstrom

Motion to not provided comment on policy 640 by unrecorded, seconded by unrecorded

Motion to not provided comment on policy 640 approved

Motion to discuss policy 659 by Senator Forstrom, seconded by Senator Kunzler

Motion to discuss policy 659 approved; Discussion time set to 5 minutes, speaker time set to 30 seconds

Discussion Points:

- Concerns may affect class by providing mismatch support and resources
- Concerns about excluding non-tenured track faculty especially since they have outside connections

- Maybe only bar adjunct
- Even the lecturing faculty don't have a vote they can still be highly qualified and helpful of students, and it may be unfair to students
- Concerns that limiting the pool of applicants limits options

Motion to closed discussion on policy 659 by Senator Raymundo, seconded by Senator Laing

Motion to closed discussion on policy 659 approved

Honorlock system presented by Vice President Medrano

Honorlock subcommittee created; Chaired by Vice President Johnson; With Senator Kunzler, Activities Chair Bailey, and Assistant Brown

Housing subcommittee presented by President Fullmer

Housing subcommittee created; Chaired by President Fullmer; With Activities Chair T. Olsen, Connection Chair Brady, and Senator Raymundo

Volunteer Sheet presented by Assistant Wright

Communication activity lead by Vice President Johnson

Motion to adjourn by Vice President Johnson, seconded by Senator Forstrom

Motion to adjourn approved at 2:08

9/24/2026 Approved (10/1/2026)

Meeting called to order at 12:01 by chair President Fullmer

In Attendance: Aldama, Bailey, Brady, Brown, Croft, Denfeld, Estrada, Forstrom, Fullmer, Herrera, Howard, Johnson, Jones, Kunzler, Laing, Law, Martin, McBride, Medrano, Morby, Olsen, Olson, Pelcastre, Raymundo, Wright

Tardy:

Absent:

Motion to adopt agenda by Vice President Medrano, seconded by Connection Chair Estrada

Motion to adopt agenda approved

Motion to approve meeting minutes for 9/24/2026 by Connection Chair Estrada, seconded by Activities Chair Herrera

Motion to approve meeting minutes for 9/24/2026 approved

Star student Senator Martin presented by themself

Student spotlight Jada presented by Connection Chair Brady

Council updates presented by President Fullmer

Branch updates presented by respective Vice Presidents

UVU Review Collaboration Presented by UVU Review

Policy 637 feedback presented by Parliamentarian Croft

Motion to approve policy 637 feedback by Vice President Medrano, seconded by Vice President Johnson

Motion to approve policy 637 feedback approved

Policy 637 feedback presented by Parliamentarian Croft

Motion to approve Policy 637 feedback by Vice President Johnson, seconded by Senator Forstrom

Motion to approve Policy 637 feedback approved

Policy 659 feedback presented by Parliamentarian Croft

Motion to approve Policy 659 feedback by Activities Chair Morby, seconded by Senator Denfeld

Ayes: Herrera, Brady, Laing, Law, C. Olson, Aldama, Denfeld, Baliey, Kunzler, Morby, Forstrom
Estrada, Raymundo, Howard, Pelcastre, & T. Olsen

Nays:

Abstentions: Medrano, Martin, & Johnson

Motion to approve Policy 659 feedback approved

First day survey feedback presented by Vice President Medrano

Election committee presented by Advisor Pierson

FAC subcommittee presented by President Fullmer

FAC created; Chaired by President Fullmer; With Senator Defeld, Senator Raymundo, & Activities Chair Herrera

Gooley subcommittee presented by Vice President Johnson

Gooley subcommittee created; Chaired by Vice President Johnson; With Activities Chair T. Olsen, Activities Chair Bailey, Connections Chair Estrada, & Senator Kunzler

Subcommittee and Initiative list presented by Assistant Wright

Halloween costume contest presented by Assistant Wright

Parent bingo Presented by Advisor Pierson

Motion to adjourn by Vice President Medrano, seconded by T. Olsen

Motion to adjourn approved

10/1/2026 Approved (10/8/2026)

In Attendance: Brown, Herrera, Medrano, Brady, Laing, Law, Wright, C. Olson, Aldama, Denfeld, McBride, Bailey, Martin, Fullmer, Morby, Forstrom, Estrada, Johnson, Croft, Raymundo, Howard, Pelcastre, & T. Olsen

Tardy:

Absent: Kunzler, Jones

Motion to adopt agenda by Vice President Medrano, seconded by Activities Chair T. Olsen
Motion to adopt agenda approved
Motion to approve meeting minutes from 9/24/2026 by Connection Chair Estrada, seconded by Senator Raymundo
Motion to approve meeting minutes from 9/24/2026 approved
Star student Vice President Aldama presented by themselves
Student spotlight Ryan presented by Assistant Wright
Branch updates presented by their respective Vice Presidents
Subcommittee reports presented by respective Chairs
Pub room responsibilities updates presented by Advisor Escobar
Trunk or treat tabling presented by President Fullmer
Trunk or treat tabling members: Senator Howard, Senator Forstrom, and Activities Chair Bailey
Motion to adjourn meeting by Vice President Medrano, seconded by Activities Chair Bailey
Motion to adjourn meeting approved at 12:32

10/8/2026 approved (10/22/2026)

In Attendance: Medrano, Brady, Laing, Law, Wright, C. Olson, Aldama, Denfeld, McBride, Bailey, Kunzler, Martin, Fullmer, Morby, Forstrom, Estrada, Johnson, Croft, Raymundo, Pelcastre, & T. Olsen

Tardy: Herrera

Absent: Brown, Howard, & Jones

Motion to adopt agenda by Vice President Aldama, seconded by Senator Forstrom

Motion to adopt agenda approved

Motion to approve meeting minutes from 10/1/2026 by Connection Chair Estrada, seconded by Vice President Johnson

Motion to approve meeting minutes from 10/1/2026 approved

Student spotlight Timo Christensen presented by Senator Laing

Elections committee presented by President Fullmer: Chaired by Cole Blackwell; With Grace Kunzler, Ben Laing, Jada, & Chase Kelly

Council Updates presented by President Fullmer

Branch update's presented by their respective Vice Presidents

Subcommittee Updates

Characteristics and Qualities of Provosts presented by Vice President Medrano

Clifton strengths training presented by Advisor Escobar

Insomnia presented by Vice President Johnson

Motion to recognize Assistant McBride's Birthday by Connection Chair Estrada, seconded by Activities Chair Bailey

Motion to recognize Assistant McBride's Birthday approved

Motion to adjourn meeting by Herrera, seconded by Kunzler

Motion to adjourn meeting approved at 12:39

10/22/2026

In attendance: Brown, Herrera, Medrano, Brady, Law, Wright, C. Olson, Aldama, Denfeld, McBride, Bailey, Kunzler, Martin, Fullmer, Morby, Forstrom, Estrada, Croft, Raymundo, Howard, Pelcastre, T. Olsen, Jones

Tardy: Laing

Absent: Johnson

Meeting called to order at 12:00 by Chair President Fullmer

Motion to adopt agenda by Vice President Medrano seconded by Activities Chair Herrera

Motion to adopt agenda passed

Motion to approve meeting minutes from 10/8/2026 by Connection Chair Estrada seconded by Senator Raymundo

Motion to approve meeting minutes from 10/8/2026 passed

Star student Senator Howard presented by themself

Student spotlight Parker presented by Activities Chair Law

Council updates presented by President Fullmer

Branch updates presented by their respect Vice Presidents and Assistants

Election packet presented by Kaela Lunt

Motion to discuss election packet by Senator Forstrom seconded by Vice President Medrano

Discussion Points:

- All good changes except for the social media change because it effects people running may bar candidates whose jobs depend on it
- Social media only includes official university media
- Let's work on fixing the rule
- What about people being in physical media

Motion to close discussion on election packet by Senator Raymundo seconded by Senator Denfeld

Motion to close discussion on election packet passed

Resolution to approve election packet

Aye: Laing

Nay: Herrera, Medrano, Brady, Law, C. Olson, Aldama, Denfeld, Bailey, Kunzler, Martin, Morby, Forstrom, Estrada, Raymundo, Howard, Pelcastre, T. Olsen

Abstentions:

Resolution to approve election packet failed to pass

Motion to create an advisory subcommittee on rule 8 of the election packet by Vice President Medrano seconded by unknown

Motion to create an advisory subcommittee on rule 8 passed

Subcommittee on rule 8 of the election packet formed; chaired by Vice President Medrano; with Activities Chair Bailey & Parliamentarian Croft

Clifton strengths training presented by Marie Squires

Chair assumed at 1:50 by Vice President Aldama

Student App presented by Assistant Wright

Motion to adjourn meeting by Activities Chair Morby seconded by Connection Chair Estrada

Motion to adjourn meeting passed at 1:58

10/29/2026

In Attendance:

Tardy:

Absent

Meeting called to order at 12:01 by Chair President Fullmer

Motion to start by Activities Chair Herrera seconded by unknown

Motion to start passed

Motion to adopt agenda by Vice President Medrano seconded by Activities Chair Morby

Motion to adopt agenda passed

Council Updates by President Fullmer

Branch Updates by their respective Vice Presidents

Rule 8 Subcommittee Amendments presented by Vice President Medrano

Motion to approve amendment to rule 8 of elections packet Medrano, Laing

Motion passes

Motion to amend the elections packet to have first info session be on the 18th by Bailey and Medrano

Aye: Herrera, medrano, bailey, kunzler, martin, morby, estrada, johnson, reymundo, howard, pelcasarte, olsen,

Nay: laing,

Abstentions: bardy, aldma denfeld, forstrom,

Motion passes

Motion to pass elections, estrada, medrano

Motion passes

Motion to adjourn meeting by herrera, sedconded, bailey