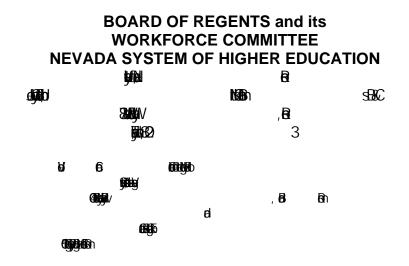
Minutes approved by the Board of Regents at the November 30-December 1, 2023, meeting.



Members Present

Facultysenate chairsattendance welv/lss.TracyShermanCSN; Dr. BrittanyKruger,

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- 5. <u>Information Onlyanufacture Nev</u>ada Dr. Mridul Gautam, UNR Vice President for Researed Innovation, and Tom Simpkins, Director of Manufacture Nevada, provided an overview of Manufacture Nevada, formerly Nevada Industry Excellence, and pedsentent projects and goals supporting manufacturing innovation in the (state:-5 on file in the Board office)

Dr. Gautam and Mr. Simpkins provided a report which included: what Manufacture Nevada is; manufacturing extension partnerships; NSHE manufacturing outreach; helping students start careers in manufacturing; manufacturing in Nevada; manufacturing clients; manufacturer statements; and the future of Nevada manufacturing.

Regent Brown, Dr. Gautam and Mr. Simpkins addressed and discussed the following topics: skill levels and displaced jobs being replaced; supporting the institutions with establishing clear pathways to assist with signing the skill connecting graduades he workforce programs with manufacturers in Nevada and 75 percent of the manufacturers in Nevada are smalls ized medium-

WNC President J. Kyle Dalpe thankandulka cture Nevada for all the work done throughout the state, especially in the rural areas of Nevada. He looks forward to continuing the partnership between WNC and Manufacture Nevada.

6. <u>Information Onlyew Business Regent Brown requested staff work to</u> 0.002 -7 (e)4 (e)4 (r)3 c arp fpa6.58 -1.3 () (s)]TJ O Tce(o)-10 aca