



## General Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, October 16, 2024

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

<b>Staff Council Executive Board:</b>	Adrian Bermudez, Staff Council President ♦ Jr Sears, Staff Council President-Elect ♦ Katalina Castillo, Staff Council Secretary ♦ Shiya Rawls, Staff Council Treasurer ♦ Nick Martinez, Staff Council Communication Officer
<b>Special Guests:</b>	Ms. Chris Noble – The Rose ♦ Gautam Taneja, Interim Chief Information Security Officer ♦ Chetiqua Matthews-Herron, Director, Talent Acquisition & Management/Employee Relations Officer ♦ Gladis Moya, Benefits & Compensation Administrator
<b>Location:</b>	Zoom Webinar

1	Call to Order	10:00 am
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Presenter: Adrian Bermudez, Staff Council President

2	Meeting Agenda Review
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Presenter: Adrian Bermudez, Staff Council President

3	Approval of September Minutes
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Presenter: Adrian Bermudez, Staff Council President

4	New Employee Announcement
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Presenter: Shiya Rawls, Staff Council Treasurer

5	<a href="#">Edge Grant</a> Presentation
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Presenter: Katalina Castillo, Staff Council Secretary

6	September <a href="#">Kudos</a>
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Presenter: Katalina Castillo, Staff Council Secretary

7	Share the Good News
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Presenter: Adrian Bermudez, Staff Council President

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- [Join Belinda Hernandez for a Cause: Ride 2 End ALZ](#)
- Happy National Financial Aid Day

## 8 Special Guest

**Presenter:** Ms. Chris Noble – The Rose

- Breast Cancer Awareness Presentation

## 9 Guest Executive Leader

**Presenter:** Gautam Taneja, Interim Chief Information Security Officer

- Cybersecurity Best Practices Presentation

## 10 Guest Executive Leader

**Presenter:** Chetiqua Matthews-Herron, Director, Talent Acquisition & Management/Employee Relations Officer

- Proposed Policy Revisions
  - o [Staff Performance Evaluation Policy](#)

## 11 Staff Council Business: Things to Share

**Presenter:** Adrian Bermudez, Staff Council President

- Staff Council Suggestion Received
  - 01.A.08 Travel Policy update
- Staff Council Feedback Survey Results
- Staff Council Key Pillars for FY25
- Call for Volunteers: Community Engagement Committee
- Gator Blue Fridays UHD Garments (shirts, hats, etc.)

## 12 Upcoming Events & Announcements

**Presenter:** Adrian Bermudez, Staff Council President

- October 17: [TXDOT Public Meeting: I-45 North Houston Highway Improvement Project](#)
- October 19: [Destination Downtown Open House](#)
- October 21: Walk2Vote
- October 21 – 24: [UHD Northwest Diapers & Wipes Drive](#)
- October 21 – 25: [Homecoming Office Decorating Contest](#)
- October 22: Latinfest
- October 23: [Gator Pride PEP RALLY](#)
- October 24: [Alumni Resource Fair](#)
- October 24: [The Power of Proactive Mentorship](#)
- October 26: [Tail-Gatoring](#)
- October 31: [Annual Boo Bash/Staff Council Pumpkin Carving Contest](#)
- November 1: [Chili Cook-Off](#) (Gladis Moya will be in attendance for Q&A)
- November 4: [CST Celebration Night](#)
- November 9: [Terence Blanchard Concert](#)
- November 11: [Veterans Day Celebration](#)

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- November 20: Next Staff Council General Meeting

### 13 Closing Comments

Presenter: Adrian Bermudez, Staff Council President

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### 14 Adjourn Meeting

11:00 am

Presenter: Adrian Bermudez, Staff Council President