THE COUNCIL OF STAFF AFFAIRS

Minutes of October 11, 2005

1) Call to Order:

COSA MINUTES - 11 OCTOBER 2005

Chair Bobby Flowers called the meeting to order at 9:05 a.m. in the BioChem Building Conference room 3rd floor. Members present: David Bennett, Denise Bogart, Alice Carter, Bobby Elston, Steve Fesler, Bobby Flowers, Mike Hamm, Ann Holland, Mike McKinley, Beverly Sharpe, Patrick Smith, Angela Steele, and Tim Yorkey. Members Absent: Sharon Butcher, Honey Coppage, Stanley Jones, Bob Lee,

Bobby Flowers will check on discounted tickets for all staff for the game.

- 3) Staff Development Committee Tim Yorkey –No Report
 - a) Staff Luncheon
 - 1) Service Pin Awards
- 4) Benevolence Shana Yorkey –Two deaths were reported.

6) Miscellaneous Reports

- a) Faculty/Staff Campaign Patrick Smith states contributions are below compared to last year.
- b) State charitable Contribution Campaign Bob Lee /Bobby Flowers said there was a Team Captain breakfast. The resources are very low.
- c) Parking Appeals Report for September –Michael McKinley reported 276 tickets were given out, 111 upheld, and 165 dismissed.

7) Report from the Chair

- a) Academic scheduling/Procedures
 - 1. Holiday Scheduling Bob Lee –working on 2007 and 2008 calendar
- b) Faculty Senate- no report
 - c) University Planning Advisory Council To become University Council-Tim Yorkey

8) Unfinished Business

- a) Sick Leave Bank –Dr Bogart Table until we hear from Board of Regents
- 9) New Business

10) Other Business

- a) Communication Survey –Bobby Flowers sent out emails to see what others have said
- b) January 2006 Meeting-Bobby Flowers suggested we cancel the Executive & COSA meeting in January 2006. It was agreed.
- c) Visitation Day is October 29th

Meeting Adjourned at 10:25 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Beverly F Sharpe

Secretary, Council on Staff Affairs

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