

Unclassified Professional Senate 2007-2008
October 3, 2007
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- I. The meeting was called to order by President Delinda Royse
- II. Members Present: Jenny Anderson, Tom Brock, Larry Callis, Connie Dietz, Sally Fiscus, Michele Harris, Phil Ladwig, Linda Matson, Cheryl Miller, Vincent Miller, Billie Norden, Delinda Royse, Kimberly Sandlin, Michael Turner, Marilyn Yourdon
- III. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as corrected with Connie Dietz added to members present.
- IV. Committee Reports
 - A. Kim Sandlin said the service committee will meet on October 4th at 10:00 AM and she will have an update at the next Senate meeting.
 - B. Delinda reported that the website has been updated with a link to Star, where state employees can get information on discounted products. Mike Turner was asked if Foundation employees would be able to get the discounts, and he thought they would because they have a WSU ID.
- V. Delinda has reserved the CAC theatre for November 8, at 8:30 for the fall general meeting. It was the only space available on that date. Delinda stated that she is still waiting to hear back from Julia Lee regarding having a Board of Regents member speak at the fall meeting. Refreshments may not be served at the fall meeting due to the location, and the suggestion of asking NIAR if they would consider funding the refreshments will be held for the spring meeting.

Suggestions for speakers, if a member of the BOR is not available for the fall meeting:

- A. Admissions speak on recruiting students
 - B. The new basketball coach, Gary Marshall
 - C. Dr. Gary Miller
 - D. University Relations on the new marketing campaign for WSU
- VI. Delinda brought up the subject of the representation of classified employees, and faculty at the Board of Regents, but why as a group unclassified employees are not represented. This was evidently attempted in past years, but never accomplished due to the fact there are no comparable organizations of unclassified employees on other state campuses, except possibly KU. Another reason being that other campuses may not use "unclassified" for naming positions. Delinda will follow up on this with Mike Turner to get names of contacts from other universities. Other possible sources of information would be Eric Sexton, or state school websites
- VII. Marilyn Yourdon advised the senate that flu shots will be available again this year beginning the 1st week of November.

Meeting Adjourned

Minutes submitted by Billie Norden