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Civil Service Employees Council

Thursday, October 6, 2016, 1:15pm

Horrabin Hall – Room 60

Present:

Non-voting members:

Absent:

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- I. **Welcome – Introduction of Special Guests:** President Thomas

- II. **Director of Human Resources** (Pam Bowman):

- III. **Vice President for Administrative Services Report** (Matt Bierman):

- IV. **Group Concerns:**

- V. **Minutes** (last meeting – Christine Staley):
 - Motion to approve:
 - Seconded by:
 - All approved, motion carries.

- VI. **Treasurer’s Report** (Robert O’Bear):
 - August & September 2016 (Robert)
 - a. Motion to approve Treasurer’s Reports:
 - b. Seconded by:
 - i. All approved, motion carries.

- VII. **President’s Report** (Stacy Dorethy):

- VIII. **Civil Service Employee of the Month** (Connie Lincoln):
 - EOM for October: Karla White, Office Administrator, Music (University Band)
 - Discuss possibly updating wording of questions or rating scale on Nomination form
 - EOY issue

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IX. **Employee Advisory Committee Representative** (Peter Skrypku):

X. **WIU Quad Cities Campus Report** (Alison Shook):

XI. **Representative Reports to Council**

- **Affirmative Action Internship Committee** (Butch Smith):
- **University Diversity Council** (Stacy Dorethy):
- **Website and IT Issues** (Connie Lincoln):
- **Training and Development** (Gail Ault):

XII. **Committee Reports**

- **Policy & Appeals** (Christine Staley):
- **Awards and Selection** (Alison Shook):
- **Constitution/Election** (Butch Smith):
 - Amend By-Laws Article IV, Section 4 & 7: Reasoning: to allow members to vote via teleconference as they are not always able to be physically present – **SEE LAST PAGE FOR WORDING
 - a. Motion to approve:
 - b. Seconded by:
 - ii. All approved, motion carries – **READING 2.**
- **Education** (Gail Ault):
- **Fundraising/Social Events** (Christine Staley):
 - Amend previous approval for spending \$750 for Fall CSEC Luncheon??
 - a. Motion to approve:
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- **Mentoring** (Steve Whan):
- **Open Meetings Act Requirements** (Christine Staley):
- **Provost Advisory Council Report** (Angie Knight):
- **HLC Persistence Academy** (Christine Staley):
- **President's Advisory Group** (Connie Lincoln):
- **Planning Task Force** (Christine Staley):
- **Master Plan Implementation Team** (Stacy Dorethy/Steve Whan):
- **University Tech Advisement Group** (uTAG) (Doug):

XIII. Old Business:

- **Balloon Rally:** 2 free balloon ride tickets
 - Cynthia Britton, Building Service Worker
 - Shawn Fisher, Bookstore
- **Just a note:** Ruth Kosteva was one that was randomly selected as a balloon ride winner – she declined, but upon my explanation of why we had the tickets, she shared her extreme appreciation for this opportunity and wanted to make sure that I shared her appreciation and thanks with the Council and the Foundation

XIV. New Business:

- Big Pink Volleyball (Christine)
- Idea for next year's Homecoming parade
- Approval of new members:
 - - a. Motion to approve:
 - b. Seconded by:
 - i. All approved, motion carries.

XV. Meeting Adjournment:

- Motion to adjourn:
- Seconded by:

XVI. Next Meeting: Thursday, November 3, 2016 - Horrabin Hall, room 60

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Our By-Laws read:

- Section 4: A quorum of the Council members is required for the handling of business duly presented at the meeting of the Civil Service Employees Council. A 2/3 vote is required on a motion on the amendments to the Constitution or on a motion to initiate a referendum. All votes shall be conducted by show-of-hand vote or paper ballot and voting tally duly recorded in the minutes of the meeting.
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Proposed changes to By-Laws:

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