## Staff Senate Meeting February 8, 2019, 2:00 p.m. Waters Hall Conference Room

Present: Cathy Brett (proxy for Jennifer Bunnell), Steve Clark, Kenneith Collins, Callie Frazer, Mark Gale, Tina Hooks, Chris Moss (presiding officer), Molly Pepper, Penny Pitts, Kayla Tankersley (proxy for Felicia Mucci)

Absent: Jennifer Bunnell (proxy), Bethany Campbell, Felicia Mucci (proxy)

Chris Moss called the meeting to order. Minutes from the January 11<sup>th</sup> meeting were accepted and approved with no changes.

New Business:

- 1. Chris Moss provided the Staff Senate with a Presidential Search Update. The plan is to have a recommendation by May with the new President taking office in July. The committee will begin looking at the candidates by next week.
- 2. The Staff Appreciation Luncheon has been scheduled for April 25 in the Ballroom. The theme is "Going Above and Beyond as a Stellar Staff." Felicia is ordering the decorations and give-aways. Chris will talk with Food Fite about the menu. Staff Senate volunteers will decorate the Ballroom the morning of the luncheon. Tina Hooks will contact Claude Willis to see if he can serve as the guest speaker.
- 3. The orders for carnations and roses have ceased. The roses have already been ordered for delivery on February 14. All available Staff Senate members are asked to meet in the Ballroom between 8:00 and 8:30 on the 14<sup>th</sup> to sort and distribute the flowers to the various buildings on campus. Proceeds from the flower sales will go to Kids to Love.

Announcements from Senate Members:

- 1. There is a possibility that Brown Hall may get remodeled, if funds can be raised.
- 2. Nominations for the John "Booty" Murray staff award will be received soon.
- 3. The next meeting of the Staff Senators will be in a different location to be determined.

Meeting adjourned at 2:30 p.m.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Molly Pepper.

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