Civil Service Council Minutes June 13, 2017

7th Street Underground Loft, University Union 8:30 am

Members Present:

Angie Campbell, Melissa Gordon, Rhonda Nichols, Anne Lewis, Jenny Stout, JoAnn Thill, Lionel Sanders and Michelle Morgan.

Members absent:

Lori Rothrock, Bryan Calloway, Donna Noffke and Chris Bartlett

Guests Present:

Linda Holloway, Interim Director of Human Resources

- I. The meeting was called to order at 8:30 am by President Angie Campbell.
- II. Minutes from May 9, 2017, meeting were approved and posted on the website.
- III. Treasurer Report (Gordon)
 - A. Scholarship balance is 15,938.73
- IV. Committee Reports
 - A. Election Committee No Report
 - B. Personnel Committee No report
 - C. Public Relations Committee No report
 - D. Scholarship Committee No Report
- V. Old Business
 - A. Scholarship Update (Morgan)
 - 1. Committee members are in the process of evaluating the eligible applicants now. The process should be completed by June 16th.
 - 2. The winner will be decided and announced before the July 1, 2017, deadline.

VI. New business

- A. Elections (Nichols)
 - 1. 41% of eligible voters participated
 - 2. We had one tie for the Alternate from District 2 (Business Affairs). Chris Bartlett won by a coin toss as outlined in our Constitution.
 - 3. Dan Crews was removed from the ballot before elections due to no longer being eligible as an A & P employee.
- B. Officer Nominations
 - 1. Treasurer Melissa Gordon (self-nominated), second by Rhonda Nichols.
 - 2. Secretary Anne Lewis nominated by Melissa Gordon, second by Rhonda Nichols.
 - 3. Vice President Rhonda Nichols nominated by Angie Campbell, second by Melissa Gordon.
 - 4. President Angie Campbell nominated by Melissa Gordon, second by Rhonda Nichols.
- C. Committee Assignments
 - 1. All members are to notify Angie if they wish to participate or be removed from a committee.
 - 2. Anne Lewis will serve on the Scholarship Committee.
- D. Vitalization Project Nothing new to report.
- E. VPBA Update on Budget and Enrollment (Holloway)

- 1. Angie Campbell asked Linda Holloway for more information about the Public Information Coordinator position being advertised.
- 2. Budget is stable until around July/August. Moody downgrade has happened before and has very little impact on the University.
- Enrollment is down, and the Thornburg Group is working on a marketing campaign to promote EIU. Linda Holloway will find out if this campaign will be showcased to the campus community before the unveiling.
- 4. The new Provost will begin June 19 and will be housed in the President's conference room until he takes over his official duties on July 1.
- 5. Pay increases for non-negotiated staff are a top priority of the Administration.
- 6. An employee has reported an issue with the collection of health insurance premiums from their paychecks. Linda Holloway was asked to look into this.
- VII. Adjourn (Nichols/Gordon) at 9:00 am.

Upcoming Meetings:

July 11, 2017- Sullivan Room, MLK Jr. Union at 8:30 am
August 8, 2017- Sullivan Room, MLK Jr. Union at 8:30 am
September 12, 2017- 7th Street Underground (Rathskeller) Loft, MLK Jr. Union at 8:30 am
October 10, 2017 - 7th Street Underground (Rathskeller) Loft, MLK Jr. Union at 8:30 am
November 14, 2017 - 7th Street Underground (Rathskeller) Loft, MLK Jr. Union at 8:30 am
December 12, 2017 - 7th Street Underground (Rathskeller) Loft, MLK Jr. Union at 8:30 am

All non-negotiated Civil Service employees are welcome and encouraged to attend.