#### Staff Council Meeting 9/21/11

Council budget	8/17/11	\$3260.
Expenditures	9/21/11	\$ 114.
Balance	9/21/	/11 \$3146

Jim Morris report

- Raise will be in pay at end of September
- My time problems; computer not logging in 1<sup>st</sup> time, swiping in also a problem, computer log in wait time, HR working on upgrading system
- Supervisor training on sick and vacation time being entered in system
- Employees access on computers; allotted time
- Catastrophic leave policy; no requirement to have 30 days of own time before drawing from catastrophic leave bank.
- Sick leave policy is generous, good policy
- Background checks; classified and student hires only, no requirement for faculty, discussion with faculty, no progress
- Floating Holiday on October 4<sup>th</sup>, used by June 30<sup>th</sup> 2012

#### New Business

- August meeting minutes were approved
- Guest speaker; Cara Pietrowski
- MyID.wvu.edu
- Merging of My access, GroupWise and log in will all be covered under My ID
- Gave out hand outs
- Discussed secretary position; C & C has position and will clarify to staff council if position warrants a 20 or 30 hour position
- Council member Beth Wyant resign from council
- Council has 5 open positions; if anyone interested in filling positions should submit a 50 word statement why they would like to be on council, name would have to be submitted through HR to verify correct category
- Joan Baldwin suggestion if council members have questions for Jim Morris is to email them to him ahead of time before next council meeting
- Shenita Brokenburr may be at our October council meeting, she has not confirmed
- Call from Sara Masters for our December meeting with President Clement's will be on 12/19/2011 at Blaney House from 11:30 to 1:00
- Melissa Patterson has sent out appointment letter to all council member supervisors, if you have not received a copy, notify Jo
- Margie Phillips and HR are inviting staff council members in small groups to lunch, if you have not been notified, call Melissa Patterson for date and time
- Clarification of sick leave policy and procedure; per July President's meeting discussion, employees were told advanced notification for doctors appointments or surgery, Linda and Ron Campolong had a meeting with Jim Morris and a phone

conversation with WVU legal Department, was decided that Medical Management would monitor employees sick time usage, Physical Plant [Facilities management] was notified about policy

• Joan Baldwin came to Morgantown to attend the president's meeting on August 22<sup>nd</sup> and there was no one present, at the August 17<sup>th</sup> staff council meeting that the date had been changed to August 29<sup>th</sup>. A motion had been made and second to have Joan's cost be reimbursed for mileage. In the future an email will be sent to all staff council members when they is a change.

# ACCE report

• Paul away at ACCE meeting, Dixie brought in papers with information that Paul supplied for council

# BOG report

- Presentation at Augusts' BOG meeting went very well, Ms. Beane did a fantastic job with her part of presentation on SB 330, Board is adamant about paying classified staff within the guidelines of the Senate Bill.
- Question raised, can the Board increase the amount of money above the President's recommendation.
- Jim Morris suggested that someone from Finance explain how the money is distributed.

## Standing Committees

- <u>Legislative</u>; committee chair had to leave council meeting early, Linda Campolong had requests from Chair Ron Campolong that committee members start putting a list together for ideas of discussion points for brochure.
- <u>Welfare committee</u>, no report
- <u>Parking committee</u>, no report, request to have Hugh Kerig come to council to discuss parking issues

## Other Business

- Staff Council members to come up with ideas and goals for up and coming meetings in the 2011/2012 year
- Lana met with Bill Hutchins about the Healthy Workplace policy [bullying]. Bill still does not feel WVU needs additional policy. After a lively discussion about new bullying situations, we will continue to push for a WVU policy.

## President's agenda

- 1. Respectful workplace committee, council wishes to have a voice on who is on committee[classified staff person]
- 2. Parking permits [stickers] and Opps policy

3. Legislative update and liaison