



STAFF ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

MARCH 18, 2021

10AM

Present: Tasha Taylor, Kayla Habig, Sherri Beckett, Maureen Golick, Katie Cooper, Kelly Young, Jason Coleman, Kyle Cooper, Michelle Stack, Vince Siriani, Emily DiAquila, Melanie Cheek, Dr. Evans

I. Presidents Update: Dr. Evans gave an update on the possibility Bluefield State College coming to the area and his concerns that it opens the door for duplicate programs if this were to happen. No questions for Dr. Evans.

II. Meeting minutes from March were approved. Jason motioned to approve, and Kelly seconded the motion.

III. ACCE Update: No updates, the meeting will be held next week. Vince will update at next meeting.

IV. BOG update: Minutes are on the website. Kelly was asked to take a statement to the next meeting showing support for Dr. Evans and his concerns with Bluefield College. Dr. Evans later sent an email thanking Staff Council for supporting him and voicing our concerns to the BOG.

V. Old Business-Discussion regarding changes to the bylaws. We did not have a quorum so a meeting to approve changes will be scheduled at a later time. MaryAnn will continue to be our liaison for the Policy Committee. Discussion regarding the Hein Award and when would be the best time to draw for the award took place. Further discussion on timing at next meeting when quorum is present.

VI. New Business

Staff concerns: There was a concern regarding meetings being recorded. Staff are not comfortable attending meetings and voicing concerns if they are being recorded. Kyle mentioned that there are avenues for Staff to voice concerns, such as reaching out to a representative to have that person bring up the concern so recordings should not be an issue. Recordings are for minute taking purposes and are deleted once minutes are taken. There was not a quorum present to take a vote on this issue, so it will be revisited when a quorum is present.

Meeting adjourned at 10:45am

Respectfully submitted by Tasha Taylor