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Faculty Senate Agenda Monday, February 3, 1997 2:45 PM / Culp Center Forum Room

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AGENDA FOR SENATE MEETING

- CALL TO ORDER
- APPROVAL OF MINUTES: January 27, 1997
- GUEST SPEAKER • Wilsie Bishop, speaking on student advisement.
- OLD BUSINESS
- NEW BUSINESS
- ANNOUNCEMENTS
 - o REMINDER: College elections for 1997-98 Faculty Senate. See attachment containing the names of retiring senators in spring 1997.
- ADJOURNMENT to Committee meetings.



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FACULTY SENATE East Tennessee State University MINUTES - FEBRUARY 3, 1997

Last updated: 11 February 1997

UPCOMING MEETING: February 17, 1997, 2:45PM, Culp Forum Room

FOLLOWING MEETING: March 3, 1997, 2:45PM, Culp Forum Room

Present: Abusamra, Barrett, Berk, Boland, Bowers, Chi, Clark, Harvill, Johnson, Kamolnick, King, Knight, MacKay, MacRae, McKinney, Melendez, Mooney, Quigley, Robbins, Robinson, Rose, Stanley, Stanton, Stone, Taylor, Tollefson, Weedman, Williams.

Excused: Crawford, Iglar, LeCroy, Miller, Palmer, Patrick, Ralston, Steadman.

Absent: Browder, Brown, Drew, Gallemore, Krishnaswamy, Shanks.

CALL TO ORDER

With a quorum present President John Quigley called the meeting to order at 2:55 pm.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The January 27, 1997 minutes were approved with an amendment.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Bill Fisher spoke on several issues of concern to the faculty. One of his concerns was about the apparent oversight of ETSU nominating a faculty member for a position on the Board of Regents (TBR). He also distributed several handouts about the ORP options, including VALIC and benefit program statistics. Fisher then asked if faculty wanted a meeting with TIAA-CREF representatives. Faculty will be able to set the agenda for the meeting. Then most of the senators felt that this was a good idea.
- Quigley reminded senators about the need for colleges elections to be held soon. All colleges must elect their replacements for retiring senators by March 1st.
- Quigley announced that he had appointed Terry Tollefson to serve as parliamentarian for the remainder of the semester.
- Quigley announced that he had also appointed Tollefson to serve on the Task Force on Information Needs and Uses, chaired by Jack Sanders. The charge of the task force is to project data needs for ETSU and to assist in data management and data maintenance. Senator's concerns should be communicated to Tollefson.

• Lastly, Quigley announced that Wilsie Bishop will be speaking on March 3, 1997 concerning student advisement and urged all senators to please attend this important presentation.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned and members retired to their respective standing committees.

The minutes were taken by Jane Melendez for Stephen Patrick.



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