

# Classified Staff Council Meeting

17-Mar-2015

Present:, Eric Squires, Ann Reed, Brittany Frymier, Jodi Ocheltree, Connie Bailey, Mindy Marsh, Deb Jenkins, Sheri Skidmore, Brian Hipp

Absent: Jason Phares, Lois Miller

Also Present: Krystal Smith

Called to order at 8:40 a.m.

- February minutes approved (m/s Reed/Bailey)
- Reports
  - Krystal Smith
    - State service awards have a new format. Employee years of service need to be submitted to Charleston earlier. State is only recognizing 30+ years of service and the ceremony has been moved to the Governor's mansion.
  - Ann Reed
    - \$2,563.00 left in professional development
      - There was a question about whether required clothing for training could be considered in professional development.
  - Sheri Skidmore
    - GSC Staff Council - \$240.71
    - Ginny Grottendieck fund - \$1264.41
  - Connie Blevins-Bailey
    - Discussion at the last ACCE meeting about SB 439.
      - Market analysis
        - Salary schedules are to be released to colleges and universities around October-December 2016
      - Non-classified staff ratios-of the 25% of non-classified staff only 10% is to report directly to the president.
    - Changes coming to TIAA-CREF due to the high number of defaulted loans against benefits.
- Old Business
  - Clemons Tower- check with Jason for updates
- New Business
  - Annual meeting with the Board of Governors is coming up on April 8<sup>th</sup>.
    - Any issues that are brought to Ann, she will pass on at the BOG meeting.
  - An annual volunteer day for staff may be revisited.
  - Classified Staff campus involvement was discussed.
    - Possibly using Survey Monkey to get feedback from staff.
    - Different options to improve involvement were discussed.

- Motion to adjourn (m/s Skidmore/Ochletree). Meeting adjourned 9:20 am.