

Faculty Senate Notes - December 6, 2022

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Call to Order 3:30pm

1. Remarks from President Lepre – Not present
2. Approval of Minutes – Approved as written
3. Announcements from Provost Olmstead
  - a. Marketing Office has shifted to the President’s Office
  - b. Enrollment management moved under Academic Affairs
  - c. Senator asked about the COLA raises and why they did not start on November 1
    - i. 10-month employees get paid 6 weeks late so COLA starts in December - Otherwise we would not have budget to pay
    - ii. Senator says that other USM schools got paid on November 1
    - iii. We have to cover the new money prior to the start of the full year
  - d. New links on APC are ready in faculty handbook
  - e. Senator asked about e-mail to the all faculty list
    - i. Survey about e-mails just ended today.
    - ii. Goal is for good communication but improve what is happening with campus e-mail.
    - iii. Senator does not like many reminders for campus events
4. Announcements from the Senate President - Jennifer Martin
  - a. Motion on Administrative Assistants was returned to us and we will be gathering more information on this before reconsidering
5. Committee Reports: none
6. Unfinished Business and General Orders of the Day
  - a. Motion on final exam schedule
    - i. Senator is trying to figure out how this motion as written will help
    - ii. Senator explained that having more than one exam at the end of the week as opposed to the beginning of the week is a problem
    - iii. Senator discusses communication of how we know when exam times are?
    - iv. Senator wants to change wording so that when exam schedules are made, they are made so there are less exams for professors at the end of the exam week
    - v. The word “especially” is struck from the motion
    - vi. Change to Academic Policies Comm. instead of Faculty Welfare committee
    - vii. Senator corrects a typo
  - b. Motion carried with amendments and APC will look at this charge
7. New Business - None
8. Motion to Adjourn – passed

Meeting adjourned at 3:51pm