

## **Staff Senate Attendance Sheet**

Meeting Specifics					
Purpose Fre		uency		Senate Chair	
Regularly Scheduled 2 <sup>nd</sup>		hursday of every month		Olivia Ellis	
Date Time				Location	
February 10, 2022	1:00F	M		Zoom	
		Committee			
⊠ Chair:	⊠ Bobbi Jo Allen	⊠ Ginger Anderson	□Daph	ne Arnold	⊠ Beth Austin
Olivia Ellis					
∀ice-Chair:	□ Lisa Baker	☐ Dawn Baker	☐ Mano	di Banahan	
Courtney Chafin	N 1	57 O		r. D. L.	□ A I D I
⊠ Secretary:     Sabrina Brewer		⊠ Candace Bramley-	⊠ Jenn	ifer Bridge	□ April Brooks
⊠ Treasurer:	☐ Drew Brown	Hardesty  ⊠ Chris Carney	⊠ Lesle	v Cash	☐ Sierra Cole
Allison Walters	□ DIEW DIOWII	△ Onlis Carriey	△ Lesie	y Casii	
⊠ Parliamentarian:	□ Rachel Combs		⊠ Dale	Davis	□ Diana Doggett     □ Diana Doggett
Mike Adams					
☐ Kevin Duncan	⊠ Ann Eads		⊠ Vern	ida Emerson	
⊠ Andrew Fast	⊠ Sarah Fitzgerald		⊠ Jenn	ifer Fransen	⊠ Sandra Frey
⊠ Rewa Gardner		⊠ Beth Goins	⊠ Kriste	en Grubb	☐ Chris Gurtcheff
⊠ Kelly Hahn	⊠ Laura Hall	⊠ Amanda Hancock	⊠ Sierh	a Hardin	□ Lyndall Harned
⊠ Carl Harper	□ Catherine Hayden	⊠ Ginni Haynes	⊠ Claire	e Heaney	
		⊠ Jordan Hoehler	⊠ Dean Holt		
□ Terry Keys	⊠ LeeAnn King		⊠ Elizabeth Kostrub		
	⊠ Drew Lane	☐ Chris Larmour	☐ Lisa	Lockman	☐ Amy Lombard
	⊠ Fadyia Lowe	⊠ Megan Lucy	☐ Ashle	ey Marcum	∠ Linda Marshall
	☐ Heather McAtee		⊠ Suza	nne McGinnis	☐ Derrick Meads
☐ Susan Meredith	☐ Kacie Miller		⊠ Kryst	le Moore	□ Chablis Murray
□ Daniel Naas	□ Paige Noland		⊠ Cano	lace Owens	
☐ Jessie Partin	☐ Parth Patel	☐ Aaron Peffer	☐ Robe	ert Perry Jr	
☐ Shawn Pryor	⊠ Kevin Puckett	☐ Covetta Ramey	☐ Stepl	nen Reed	⊠ Ben Rice
☐ Paul Rideout	⊠ Shavonna Ross		⊠ Amaı	nda Schagane	
⊠ Travis Short	⊠ Hannah Simms	⊠ Carol Simpson	⊠ Ron	Simpson Jr	☐ Megan Sizemore
□ Laure Smith	⊠ Clem Stambaugh		⊠ Sara	h Steen	□ Danielle Story
⊠ Ryan Story	☐ Andrea Strassburg		☐ Josh	Taylor	Nancy Taylor
☐ Preston Thomas			⊠ Aaro	n Vaught	
	⊠ Elijah Wilson	⊠ Laurel Wood	☐ Pam	Woods	☐ Misty Wright
⊠ Markeda Yarbrough					
Ex-Officios, Visitors and Standing Guests					
□ President Eli			☐ Richa	ard Amos	⊠ Erika Chambers
Capilouto	Monday	Melanson			
☐ Aaron Cramer	☐ Bob DiPaola	☐ Michael Hawse	☐ Alli L		⊠ Catie Lasley
	☐ Mark Newman	☐ Sandra Shuffett	☐ Kim \	Wilson	☐ George Wright
	⊠ Gail Carbol				



	Agenda Topics Covered		
Task ID	Agenda Item	Presenter/Facilitator	
1	Call to Order/Approve Minutes	O.Ellis	
2	President's Report	E.Monday	
3	Trustee Report	D.Melanson	
4	Guest Speakers	Azetta Beatty	
5	Officer Reports	O.Ellis, C.Chafin, S.Brewer, A.Walters, M.Adams	
6	Committee Reports	Committee Chairs	
7	Items from the Floor	Main Body	
8	Adjournment	O.Ellis	

Action Items		
ltem	Assigned to	Due Date

Notes	
Topic	Discussion
Call to Order/Approve January Minutes	<ul> <li>Meeting called to order at 1:06 p.m.</li> <li>January minutes passed unanimously</li> </ul>
2. President's Report	<ul> <li>COVID-19 Numbers         <ul> <li>Less than 25 cases for students</li> <li>Less than 10 cases for employees</li> <li>Vaccination rate: 92% for the community</li> </ul> </li> <li>Board of Trustees will meet February 17-18 and anyone can attend. Theme will be philanthropy and how it contributes to the success of the university</li> <li>Recruitment and Retention committee is meeting and we should have more information coming soon</li> <li>Work location strategy is another topic being discussed. Where do we go in 2023? They are looking at other SEC schools and other universities around the country</li> <li>Vice President for Philanthropy search is active; candidates are being looked at and will be coming to campus soon</li> <li>Provost search is underway. Actively seeking candidates. Candidates are being recruited by a search firm</li> <li>\$400 million (state funds) in capital projects that the university is looking into</li> <li>Melissa Frederick is the new HR leader for UK HealthCare</li> <li>Several Senators thanked Dr. Monday for improved communication during the last winter storm</li> </ul>



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3. Trustee Report	<ul> <li>Overview of the UK@Work Survey will be discussed at the next Board meeting</li> <li>Mitch Barnhart and Coach Cal were in Frankfort to discuss the NIL Bill (Name, Image and Likeness Bill). This will help students earn money</li> </ul>
Guest Speakers: Azetta Beatty and Lisa Higgins-Hord	Work-Life Services Family, Career, Health, Friends and Life Balance "Work-life harmony means fitting in your work as a compliment to living your life" Flexible work: flex time, reduced hours, compressed work week, reduced hours, remote work, hybrid work Childcare and parenting resources Elder care resources and consultations Therapy: Five visits per fiscal year for individual or family members  Self-Care is: Intentional Individual Evolving Bite-sized Helpful  Lisa Higgins-Hord was not able to be at the meeting today but she sent resources that O.Ellis shared with the group
5. Officer Reports	Chair Report: O.Ellis Highs and Lows: O.Ellis had Senators meet to talk about their highs and lows As Senators we should ask how can we provide feedback to each other in a positive manner and not be too critical of others. We are here to help improve the university. With every criticism you have, offer a solution. Acknowledge the positivity in others Work Location Workgroup: Staff Senate will be asked to have representation in that group Messaging will move to salesforce Shared Leave Input: Potential to share leave with a specific person. That is a conversation that is happening with HR No Mini DanceBlue for staff this year; people are tired and overextended. We will still set a goal and raise money for them Tech Committee: Website liasions are changing; the original plan did not work. Please reach out to C.Gurtcheff if you are interested in being on the sub-committee for website changes If you are interested in any of the leadership roles in the Staff Senate, please reach out to any of the leaders and they will be happy to assist you with any of your questions or concerns UK@Work Results: O.Ellis will share with this group once E.Monday gives permission to share Vice Chair Report: C.Chafin – No Report Secretary: S.Brewer – No Report Treasurer: A.Walters Update on Budget Senator Apparel/Swag: \$2,523.66 – 110 Senators filled out the survey to get the apparel

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	<ul> <li>Anything over a \$1,000 needs a vote from the body. A.Walters made motion to vote on purchasing the apparel. S.Steen seconded the motion. No discussion. Vote passed</li> <li>Tech Committee has spent \$149.90 for their committee</li> <li>Senate office has spent \$756.45</li> <li>Parliamentarian: M.Adams         <ul> <li>Motions: 50% of quorum present</li> <li>Bylaws: what we vote on today is 50% + 1; if you abstain, it is considered a no</li> <li>A.Hornsby suggested that votes are conducted at the beginning of our meetings so people that need to leave early can still vote</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
6. Committee Reports	<ul> <li>Pulled items from the consent agenda: Bylaws Vote, Community Outreach, PAC, Staff Issues HR Concerns, Employee Engagement Forum</li> <li>S.Steen made motion to approve consent agenda; C.Chafin seconded. Consent agenda passed</li> <li>Bylaws: Article III         <ul> <li>Would like to make an amendment to Sections 1-5</li> <li>C.Harper's committee moves to make a motion to approve the changes that were sent</li> <li>Discussion:                 <ul> <li>T.Keys: Do we need to make note that we are doing things in a hybrid/remote setting? M.Adams said that we only need to have a physical place listed in the standard operating procedure (SOP) and list what technology will be used</li></ul></li></ul></li></ul>
	<ul> <li>T.Keys asked if we could give an update on the vacation leave extension. O.Ellis will follow up about that topic</li> </ul>



	<ul> <li>T.Keys: Can we notify the Dean of Students about repeat offenders disobeying the scooter rules? A.Vaught said that is currently not possible due to privacy issues</li> <li>A.Walters: Could we get an update on the parking pilot? A.Vaught said that has not started yet. He hopes to have feedback soon</li> <li>Staff Issues: HR Concerns: D.Lane         <ul> <li>O.Ellis was guest speaker at recent meeting</li> <li>Discussed shared leave pool</li> <li>Winter Weather Feedback: a lot of improvement on that topic and kudos to administration for listening and acting on what was said</li> <li>Discussed COVID-19 rapid testing</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
7. Items from the Floor	<ul> <li>O.Ellis: Employee Engagement Showcase will be up soon</li> <li>T.Keys: Important to discuss the way policies are being administered on campus. Some employees have been told to use vacation time for having to leave early due to bad weather. We need very clear, specific instructions on policies so it is equitable across the university</li> <li>C.Chafin: Clear, specific guidance on remote work and planning head if you are hybrid and do not have computer at home if bad weather hits</li> <li>C.Chafin: Childcare – how can we not take care of kids and work from home when kids are out of school and daycares/schools are closed? The policy states we cannot take care of kids while working remotely</li> <li>R.Gardner: Concerned because employees have the benefit for tuition to be paid up to 50% but she has heard that some physicians can get full tuition for their children. C.Lasley stated that some physicians have it worked out in their package to have tuition covered</li> <li>T.Short: Would like the issues of crosswalk safety to be looked at closer as two employees have been hit and one killed recently</li> <li>L.Hall: Do faculty have the same rules for working remotely with their children at home? It does not seem fair that they work from home with their children but staff cannot</li> <li>K.Moore: Can we get someone to talk more about employee benefits? Sometimes healthcare workers are not getting the same benefits because of the nature of their work, like going to UK Appreciation Day</li> </ul>
8. Adjournment	Motion made to adjourn by A.Eads; B.Austin seconds the motion. Meeting adjourned

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