#### EAST GEORGIA STATE COLLEGE

# **Staff Council Meeting**

#### Friday, May 9, 2014

The Staff Council meeting was called to order at 2:00 pm in the President's Conference Room. The meeting was teleconferenced with the Statesboro campus. Augusta campus had no one available at the time of the meeting due to COMPASS testing.

#### Welcome

The meeting began with a welcome from Chair Angie Brown.

## Approval of Minutes

Motion was made by Donna Freeman to accept the minutes of the April meeting as presented. Christi Hutchings seconded the motion. With none opposed, the minutes were approved.

# Member Updates

New hires, retirements, or any individuals who have left employment were noted and are listed below.

Wendell Bell – new hire (Public Safety)

Mary Daughtry – new hire (Custodial)

Kellie Armstrong – new hire (Public Safety)

Chris Keyton – left employment (Grounds)

Regina Jones – left employment (Public Safety)

Jimmy Cheek – left employment (Custodial)

#### Treasurer's Report

Chair Angie Brown gave the treasurers' report.

The current Staff Council balance is \$49.68

Pending charge of \$53.71 cleared. No current pending charges.

## Secret Pals

Notice of the six-month add-in /change-up will go out soon. Everyone is encouraged to participate. Those that have participated in the last few years have enjoyed it.

# Membership Benefits Flyer

Flyer will be ready to present at Fall Workshop.

## Departmental News / Upcoming Events

- Graduation
  - First B.S Biology students walking
  - ➤ Will be recognizing alumni
  - > 50<sup>th</sup> commencement exercise

- Statesboro Market Day (Farmers Market)
  - > Tomorrow

## USG Staff Council Quarterly Meeting (May 7-Macon)

Chair Angie Brown attended the quarterly meeting of the USG Staff Council on Wednesday in Macon. Among topics discussed were TAP excluded payments, bereavement time and shared sick leave.

TAP Angie will draft an email to all employees using TAP asking for

information on any fees that they incur that TAP is not paying. Human Resources will assist by sending out this email to those enrolled with TAP.

Shared Sick Leave Human Resources was asked to put together some information on EGSC's

Shared Sick Leave policy and present it at our next meeting so that we will

have a clearer understanding of the program.

## Staff Issues / Updates

No current issues or updates.

#### New Issues

No new issues.

#### June Meeting

During the June meeting each year, we take nominations for officers for the new year which begins in July. If you would like to participate in EGSC Staff Council as an officer or if you would like to nominate someone for an office but you will be unable to attend the June meeting please Chair Angie Brown know.

The meeting adjourned at 2:21 pm.

The next meeting will be Friday, June 13<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm.

# Attendees:

Swainsboro Angie Brown Amanda Williams Sonya Kirkland Donna Freeman Christi Hutchings Heather Wise

# <u>Statesboro</u>

Zoey Marsh William Henry Trava Johnson