STAFF SENATE MEETING July 18, 2011

Present: Linda Arnold, Jeanett Ballentine, Ruthie Bassford, Mary Beasley, Brigitte Billeaudeaux, Karen Bradley, Melody Bridgeford, Ann Brock, Hugh Busby, Leroy Conway, Ladonnal Curry, John Farrell, Brad Frewin, Heather Hampton, Robynn Hopkins, Michael Houston, Virginia Huss, Teresa Jones, Lisa Justen, Lavaire Lockhart, Mary Mansour, Cynthia Martin, Christopher Ratliff, Tyrone Ray, Angela Robinson, Ryan Seidner, Norma Shelton, Shelby Tate, Geraldine Taylor, Jennifer Walker, Minghui Wang, Lofton Wilborn, Pamela Williams

Excused: Sharon Beasley, Richard Bibb, Kimberly Blair, Annette Brown, Pamela Chambers, Hilary DeLuco, MJ Garrett, Ernestine Harris, Bobby King, Patsy Krech, Kutanya Niter, Hermes Rosa, Jeff Story, Patricia Taylor, Letonia Williams, Faye Wilson

Unexcused:

Meeting was called to order by President Huss.

A motion was made to accept the June minutes by Senator Hopkins and seconded by Senator Busby to approve the minutes as written.

Senators were sworn in by President Huss.

New Business: President Huss stated that Staff Senate would be involved again this year with the Ask Me Campaign.

Nomination of Permanent Officers

President Huss stated that the following permanent positions needed to be voted on:

President - Senator Huss was elected during the March 2011 meeting.

Vice-President – Senator Busby was nominated and accepted the position. Motion was made and seconded by the Staff Senate.

Public Relations Coordinator - Senator Mansour was nominated and accepted the position.

Secretary – Senator Brown volunteered to take the position. Motion was made and seconded by the Staff Senate.

Membership Coordinator – Senator Bridgeford volunteered to take the position. Motion was made and seconded by the Staff Senate.

Web Site Coordinator – Senator Garrett was nominated and unanimously accepted.

Committee Reports:

Legislative – No Report

By-Laws – No Report

Public Relations – No Report

Election – Election process is finalized.

Membership – No Report

ESAC – No Report

Campus Safety & Security – No Report

Facilities & Services – No Report

Fee Refunds & Appeals – No Report

1st Year Experience – No Report

Food Services/Dining – No Report

Public Records & Forms – No Report

Space Planning – No Report

Traffic & Parking – No Report

Policy & Review – No Report

Sustainability – No Report

U of M Giving – No Report

President Huss stated her appreciation for the outpouring of volunteers for the committees. She also stated that the attendance for July was outstanding, especially with July and August being vacation months.

Meeting was adjourned by President Huss.