Bayh College of Education

CONGRESS

February 8, 2010

APPROVED MINUTES (Approved April 12, 2010)

Members present: R. Boyd, J. Johnson, D. Leggett, K. Liu, M. Stimley, L. Tinnerman, P.

Wheeler

Members absent: S. Davis, M. Howard-Hamilton, M. Modesitt, E. Walker

Ex Officio Members present: S. Powers

Guest: Karen O'Rourke, Development Officer for BCOE

1. Meeting called to order by Chair L. Tinnerman at 3:03 pm.

- 2. The minutes from January 11, 2010 were approved. Motioned by R. Boyd, seconded by K. Liu
- 3. Invited Guest Karen O'Rourke from BCOE Foundation Officer presented information about scholarships and how the foundation can help in this financial crisis in the BCOE. The Foundation is working to get 9 endowed faculty positions for ISU.

4. Old Business

- Faculty and Student Awards encourage people to apply Holmstedt Award Committee – Steve Gruenert, Maury Miller, Christine MacDonald, Chad Becker. D. Leggett moved, K. Liu seconded, committee members approved.
- b) Diversity Summit (recap) what ways can the diversity summit work be placed into action? Feedback from Diversity Task Force should be given to whole BCOE.

5. New Business

- a) Faculty evaluation as part of the Strategic Initiative departments need guidance from the college to be in alignment. Peer reviews of teaching, posttenure review, what makes sense across campus?
- 6. Faculty Senate Representative Report They discussed concerns about the retirement

- 7. Dean's Report Nothing to report
- 8. Chair's Report
 - a) Creating of Education themed housing in resident halls asking for volunteers to help students in education programs
 - b) Schedule of Collaborative Workshops, brown bags, salons First session was on how to use the library and resources for research papers
- 9. CIRT Advisory Liasion Report No report
- Open Discussion M. Stimley What funding is being given out in the college?
 K. Liu What priorities are given on projects?
 - D. Leggett Who is deciding what gets spent where?
 - S. Powers The College is working on the strategic plan that could help answer these questions.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted by, Jim Johnson, Congress Secretary