Staff Senate Minutes

June 12, 2006


ABSENT: Constance Alexander (excused), Mark Bragg, Kathy Brooks (excused), Jeanine Carroll (excused), Renee Couch (excused), Marcia Donnelson (excused), Denise Dunn, Joy Fulkerson, Betty Grice (excused), Linda Lett (excused), Cindy Lybrand, Sherri Renfro (excused), Wanda Richardson (excused), Kathy Smith (excused), Andre Stevens, Michael Vaughn, Carla Warner (excused)

President-elect Karen Sullivan called the meeting to order at 2:30 p.m. and welcomed everyone to the meeting.

MINUTES: President-elect Sullivan asked for approval to the minutes from the May meeting. With no correction to the minutes, Senator Kim Blevins made the motion to approve and it was seconded by Tom Hill. The minutes were approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Senator Trillis McKee reported a balance in the Thanksgiving food drive account of $71.00; a balance in the operating account of $1,067.00; and a balance in the Staff Awards Account of $0.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

A. Staff Development and Evaluations: No report
B. Staff Concerns and Grievances: No report
C. Committee on Committees: No report
D. Elections Committee: In process of contacting Senators whose terms are ending to see if they wanted to serve again.

OLD BUSINESS:

A. Senator Carolyn Bond, Chairman of the Staff Picnic The picnic was a success. Total ticket sales: $996.00 with the total number in attendance 290. Have received the invoice for the tents from East Tenn. RentAlls. Picnic committee to meet to go over any comments or improvements needed for next year. Some of the comments: need more children’s activities.
B. Senator Betty Grice, Chairman of the Blood Drive was not in attendance, but sent a final report. The total number of donations was 34.
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C. Senator Terry Nelson reported that he had talked with Mike Bettis, Representative from the Balfour Company. He is to have 2 or 3 designs by July 4th. Hopefully the designs will be ready by the next meeting.

D. Senator Tom Hill made a motion that the Staff Senator shirts be done away with. No one wears them. President-elect Sullivan asked the Senators how they felt about the Staff Senate Shirts. The vote was six (6) for and eight (8) against.

Senator Corintha Duncan made the motion that the meeting be adjourned. Senator Tom Hill seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 3:00 pm. The next meeting will be Monday, June 12, 2006, in Forum Room.

Respectfully submitted,

Carolyn Bond, Secretary