Faculty Council Meeting Minutes May 17, 2007

Present: Julio de Paula, Dean of the College; Jane Hunter, Associate Dean; Cliff Bekar, Associate Professor of Economics; Dinah Dodds, Professor of German; Deborah Heath, Associate Professor of Anthropology; Elizabeth Safran, Associate Professor of Geological Sciences; Mervyn Brockett, Assistant to the President; and Terri Banasek, Executive Assistant and recorder.

Dean de Paula reviewed the agenda for prioritization. It was agreed that Faculty Council would meet for a one-day retreat in August to talk about big issues and to set the agenda for next year.

Agenda Items:

- 1. Faculty Council discussed terms of employment for visiting faculty.
- 2. Faculty Council approved handbook language regarding junior sabbaticals as drafted by Associate Dean Hunter.
- 3. Faculty Council discussed the position descriptions for searches in international affairs.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:35 p.m. No additional meetings are scheduled at this time.