

STAFF ASSOCIATION EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING MINUTES

**Multipurpose Center 211
December 14, 2006
2 p.m.**

Attending: Mary Jo Anderson, Casey Bowns, Suzanne Brinkerhoff, Barbara Rodriguez, Marsha Rowley, Bruce Tebbs

1. Staff Christmas Social

The Christmas Social will be held on Tuesday, December 19, from 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. Cookies/brownies and punch will be served. The invitations have been mailed.

2. Requests to Legislature

Asking for a salary increase of 2 ½ percent for higher education. The Governor is recommending an additionally 2 ½ percent for salary equality. Discussed requesting 4 percent salary increase because of the large tax surplus. Suggested lobbying for better benefits.

3. Paid Time Off

SUU's paid time off is inline with the other universities in the state. Out of the twelve days paid time off allowed by the State, nine days are set and university presidents have a choice for the remaining three days. Several universities allow staff one or two free days.

4. Meeting with President Benson

Discussed inviting President Benson to a Staff Association Board Meeting. Items that could be discussed with President: Staff Association to have a vote on the President's Council, Board to have more say in staff salaries, how can we get off the restricted list.

Mary Jo made a motion to adjourn and Casey seconded the motion. The motion carried.

Adjourned: 3 p.m.