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**Civil Service Senate**  
**Minutes**  
**July 18, 2002**  
**Library Conference Room**  
**10:00am**

**Present:** LouElla Rozier, Eric Nicholson, Kathy Miller, Pat Rogala, Donna Rutledge, Debra Boyd, Shawn Jones, Leroy Morrison, Que Owens, Renee Rainey, Louis Schultz, Linda Sirmer, Scott Smith, Willia Smith, Helen Spencer, Marie Turak, and Janice Washington

**Excused:** Yvonne Franklin, Linda McCann, Jaime Ruiz, Donna Viramontes, and Annie Ware.

President LouElla Rozier opened the meeting at 10:05am welcoming the new senators to their official first meeting as voting senators, Linda Sirmer (Library), Jaime Ruiz (PPO), Linda McCann (CHP), and Scott Smith (PPO) and Marie Turak (ITS).

Kathy Miller took roll call.

The minutes for the June meeting were presented. Que moved that the minutes be accepted noting changes will be made. The motion was seconded by Marie, a vote was taken, all in favor, motion passed.

**President's Remarks/Discussion**

LouElla explained that the GSU budget book has not been released, as of yet, so our civil service senate budget has not been posted.

Colleen Rock from the provost's office needs to use our storeroom during this phase of construction for the new faculty offices. We are not satisfied with the security of the replacement space and a different area that is secure needs to be found.

**OPEN DISCUSSION:**

Discussion took place pertaining to the lack of availability of Dr. Keys to participate in a one on one meeting. Rumors are circulating that there will be no raises available for three years.

Questions arose about future raises and if raises will occur for the negotiated civil service employees. The unions are still in negotiations.

The retirement package of 30+ Out is on the governor's desk awaiting his signature. Note: if you choose the 30+ Out retirement you cannot return to the same state agency as part-time/temporary employee. You can however, be hired as a consultant.

1. EAC report – Cathy Swatek  
No Report.
2. Governance Committee – Eric Nicholson  
At the next senate meeting officers will be elected.
3. Civil Service Affairs Report Committee  
A general discussion about the BQQ sale in August and other future activities took place to answer some questions that Marie had.
4. Scholarship Committee – Louis Schultz  
No Report

5. Grievance Committee – Que Owens  
No report.
6. Finance Committee – Pat Rogala  
Our budget has not yet been released.
7. Remarks –  
GSU will fill empty positions as needed only. There is no allocation for raises in the budget for FY'03.
8. Old Business  
None to report.

Eric motioned the meeting to be adjourned at 10:55am; the motion was seconded by Marie. All in favor, motion passed.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:55am.