



Truckee Meadows Community College

Faculty Senate Recognition & Activities Committee

MEETING MINUTES MAR. 9, 2017

Call to Order: 3:30 p.m.

Present: Erin Frock, Olga Katkova (Chair), Michelle Montoya, Dolores Wonder

Absent: Cathy Brewster, Becky Calhoun, Sandra Martinez, Barb Painter, Cindy Stone, Susan Bluhm

Guests: Pamela Thomas

Approval of the Feb. 9, 2017 Minute

Erin Frock moved to approve the minutes from Feb. 9, 2017. Michelle Montoya seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

Chair Olga Katkova made a motion to remove Tammy Johnson from the committee, she is no longer working for TMCC. Dolores Wonder seconded.

Recognition Awards

Olga reported for the month of March the Professional of the Month will be Mellissa Deadmond, and for the month of April, it will be Joan Steinman. The votes took place online. We have one more meeting left, and then we will choose in April for May.

Distinguished Faculty Awards

Sandra Martinez was not at the meeting, but expressed to Olga that the due date to collect nominations and supplementary material was for March 5, 2017. Olga noted Gretchen worked with the Reno Gazette Journal and they said they would sponsor the Teaching award again this year.

St. Patrick's Day Fundraising

This item was tabled due to timing constraints.

2017 Employee Awards Ceremony

Olga reiterated again that the ceremony would take place on Tuesday, May 9, at 3 p.m., in the Student Center.

Last meeting: April 13 3:30-4:30 p.m. RDMT 255 2016/2017 academic year. Olga will be stepping down from being Chair and Michelle Montoya will be stepping in as the new Chair. Olga also expressed she would like to have a small celebration for her leaving and Michelle entering.

Next Meeting: April 13, 2017

Meeting adjourned: 3:56 p.m.