

MINUTES

SUPPORT STAFF JOINT COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday, December 11, 2007 – 10:00 am
Sci 253

Present: G. Athans, K. Beckett, M. Burton, J. Moroz, J. Podger,
C. Seagris, K. Whitehouse
Regrets: T. McKenzie, L. Honscharow
Recorder: C. Neid

1. **Call to Order** - Meeting called to order @ 10:05
2. **Approval of Agenda** – no additions.
3. **Approval of Minutes of October 9, 2007**

PD Fund – will bring forward to meeting in Jan. PD Committee meets Wed.

4. **Guest:** Jay Parker, Executive Director Staff Pension Plan

Overview of changes: Jay circulated the November issue of the Staff Pension Update. Jay appreciated this opportunity to inform the GEU Executive of changes to the Staff Pension Plan. Jay will be holding a more detailed presentation for all staff at 1:00 today.

5. **Job Reclassification:** Sherry Dyck/Jan Paseska

Positions were reclassified from a Secretary I to Secretary II. Jackie advised Jan and Sherry last Tuesday of outcome of their reclassification request. Jackie also outlined the appeal process to them and shared this information with JUMC. Jackie circulated information received from Sherry and Jan. Sherry and Jan are here today to speak to their appeal and speak directly to the “factors”. Karen Hill has also been invited to attend as she is on the evaluation committee. Time lines have been waived in terms of the appeal.

Jackie committed to send out a brief description of the factors that have been challenged to this committee so that everyone has the same information and understands the process.

Sherry presented first and stated that she does not want this to drag on. The next JUMC meeting is Jan 8. Karen and Judy will be present. Sherry and Jan spoke to their appeal and advised the committee of their frustration regarding the process.

Jan presented after Sherry. Further clarifying information can be submitted to this committee. The synopsis will be provided to Jan and Sherry. Jan and Sherry will not have to return to a meeting of this committee.

6. Old Business:

None.

7. New Business

UBC Items:

None.

BCGEU Items:

None.

Next meeting: January 8th, 2008
Location: To be determined.
Time: 10:00 am