

Meeting 6 AY 2020/2021

Friday, December 4, 2020 at 9:00am

Terri Reckart, Marie Fordham, Ashleigh Jennings, Victor Hall, Sara Darsey, Yolanda Traylor, Thomasia Jefferson, Hye Jin Urban, Keisha Fields, Rose Brown, Tricia Purser, Joy Campbell, Ashley Thompson, Heather McIntosh, Melissa Wells, Tiffany Leslie, Daphne Murchison, Jennifer Jones, Hope Duskin-Fuqua, Tamika Russell, Leigh Ann Tate, Noha El-Jeaid, Rose Patti

Samantha Boswell

: Ashley Martin, Christy Faulk

: President Christopher Blake, Dr. Jennifer Brannon, Cindy Hardy, Vicky Smith,

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The Staff Professional Development Day program has been approved for the spring. The executive board is meeting with Joy Campbell next week to work on details.

The by-laws committee is finalizing the edits for the by-laws and they will be sent out to Staff Council members to vote on next week.

The pins have arrived with MGA I am the Change. They look very nice. They will be distributed to those who have received nominations for spotlights to begin with. These will be sent by mail with hopes to present in person in the future.

The professional development committee is working on the staff resource guide they are in the last steps for the editing process and will get final approvals before distributing. Keisha thanked everyone for working on the mentoring program and shared it will not happen at this time but there will be a possible networking event in the future.

The diversity committee shared the initiatives they have done so far this year including the diversity playlist and working with Mrs. Jenia Becote with programming. Two new projects for next year are a cookbook focusing on all cultures this will be open to all MGA members including staff, faculty, and students this will be considered a community wide project. There also will be another self care and wellbeing session in January with additional details coming soon.

: The communications committee is working on continuing participation on Facebook by posting engaging information and continuing Staff Spotlights. Please continue to send spotlights to Ashleigh and we are looking for new ideas for next year as well. Ashleigh will be working on a calendar to help keep everyone informed of dates.

There will be an arts & crafts event taking place on Microsoft Teams on December 11<sup>th</sup>. Please check your email for the meeting link. This session will show you glass etching and ornament making.

Terri took the time to recognize Staff Council members working on furthering their education. Heather McIntosh is working on her Doctorate degree she is halfway done. Melissa Wells is graduating with her Masters degree next week, Fall 2020 grad completing a Masters of Business in Supply Chain Management. Ashley Thompson is entering her last semester of her Masters degree in Higher Education Administration with a Spring 2021 graduation date.

Terri Reckart adjourned the meeting at 9:54 a.m.

Respected,  
Ashleigh Jennings Staff Council