Student Affairs Diversity Committee Meeting Minutes March 23, 2010

Present: Mike Cairns Nick Campau Sherry Hayes

Kristin Norton Lisa Ortiz Leroy Wright

The committee looked over the guidelines for the Diversity Report and discussed ways to help the directors with their challenges.

The committee also discussed the possibility of holding a mini retreat where Student Affairs Directors could provide feedback on some of the diversity challenges identified in the 2008-2009 report. Mike Cairns will meet with David Pilgrim to see if he would be interested in facilitating a retreat.

There needs to be a system set up to remind the directors that they need to continue to try to fix the challenge after they have completed the Diversity report. Kristin said that she thought the directors should be held accountable by their direct supervisor and maybe challenge them to fix the challenges that they face with diversity. Departments are writing the report, but not necessarily trying to find ways to fix the problems. A Diversity Retreat might be a good place for the directors to help each other come up with ways to manage the challenges.

Respectfully submitted by,

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