# Meeting Minutes – Faculty Council

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**Meeting Information**

Date: Oct 6, 2021 Location: zoom, 121 Borland

Time: 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Chair: Marcus Shaffer, Gwendolyn Walker

Note Taker: Jennifer Curry Morgan Approved by: Emily Burns

Attendees: Jennifer Curry Morgan, Charlene Gross, Marcus Shaffer, Kris Danford, Alex Wu, Sarah Rich, Alec Spangler, Angela Rothrock, Melody Quah, Tom Lauerman, Tonya Mitchell-Spradlin, Sebastian Trainor, Lauren Sosa, & Gwendolyn Walker

Absent: Emily Burns, Benjamin Andrew, B. Stephen Carpenter II

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**Agenda Items:**

**September meeting minutes approved**

**Check in with New Faculty Council members**

**Strategic Plan Review**

Marcus: Met with Dean Carpenter about assessing goals of our Strategic Plan. Each Faculty Council member’s role is to report what each department is doing in meeting the goals (street level view). The faculty may be closer than the dept head at knowing. Items to include can be syllabi or story or event. It doesn’t have to be comprehensive, and the report will go back to 2020.

Gwen will get a word document from Sharon and will discuss in November’s meeting regarding the progress.

*December 1 is the deadline*. Invite Sharon and Kate to answer questions.

**Pilot roll out of diversity strategy meetings with Dean Wilson as a bridge to other faculty**

Marcus and Gwen met with Folayemi and had a wonderful meeting. Discussed initiatives and anti-racism. Folayemi wants to know about our depts within the college. If any of the reps have suggestions as to students she might speak with, please e-mail Dean Wilson.

Schedule something with her and compare notes. She can do a pilot diversity training with Faculty Council about policy changes. This is a long-term project that should include our future chair, Angela Rothrock.

**Peer review practices across the college**

How does peer review fit into the Strategic Plan? Need training to collect the info.

Charlene: This is a hot topic in Senate.

AC40 Annual Review of Faculty Performance

Working on creating a policy moving forward.

Peer review/SRTEs will receive a change.

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**Next meeting:**

November 3, 2021 8-9 a.m. 121 Borland and zoom