# Dean's Council October 30, 2013 Minutes

**Members Present**: Joy Brenneman, Tamara Clunis, Kim Davis, Daniel Esquivel, Patsy Lemaster, Russell Lowery-Hart, Carol Moore, Renee Vincent and Lyndy Wilkinson

Members Absent: Jerry Moller

Others Present: Dr. Kazique Prince

## <u>Diversity Training – Dr. Kazique Prince</u>

Dr. Kazique Prince presented follow-up information on the diversity assessment tool administered to council members during the summer.

## Office Hours

Russell received a question from Faculty Senate regarding faculty office hours. He asked Council members to submit information regarding office hours on their campuses.

# **Department Chair Retreat**

Friday Russell will have the first of three department chair retreat days. He will distribute a copy of <u>The Happiness Advantage</u> to all the participants. He also gave a copy of the book to Dean's Council members.

#### Faculty Conversations

Joy set up lunch meetings for Russell to meet with and "get connected" with faculty. He wants to develop relationships with people on the front lines and further the conversation about reaching institutional goals.

#### **Dean's Council Retreat**

The Dean's Council retreat is scheduled in conjunction with the ACTS retreat June 19-22, 2014.

#### **Online Course Offering Goals**

Russell asked Council members to consider which academic programs could be considered for complete online completion.

# **Deans' Council Member Reports**

- Academic Success
- Arts & Sciences
- Center for Teaching and Learning
- Continuing Education
- Health Sciences
- Hereford Campus
- Moore County Campus
- Technical Education

Adjourned at 3:30.