

# Staff Advisory Council Meeting Minutes

October 15, 2025

**Attending Members:** Aaron Smart, Angela Nichols, Anita Fox, Anita Gabbard, Brian Villar, Carey Morales, Cissy Glowth, Crystle Bechtol, Damien Chaffin, Deborah Pease, Elimar Diaz Martinez, Emilia Paris, Eric Brewington, Gwen Hubbs, Iolanda Guseman, Jamie LaMoreaux, Jerry Archambault, Jessica Frisch-Daiello, Jim Graf, Jose Arcel, Juan Lugo, Katie Connolly, Kristell Padel, Kimberly Easterline, Maria Lopes, Mary Lynne Rush, Melly Lopez, Page Curry, Patricia Hall, Samanta Mundell, Sheryl Goins, Skender Shehu, Stacey Royalty-Rose, Tara Roquevert, Taylor Malin, Toni Rooney, Toni Rooney, Tracey Morrison

**Note:** Staff Council meets every third Wednesday of the month. Committees meet separately and may pick their own meeting schedule day and times amongst their committee. Anyone is welcome to attend Staff Council meetings, however, only Staff Council members have voting rights. In the event that you are not able to attend a meeting please notify a committee officer immediately. The charter states if you miss four meetings (excused or unexcused) you will be subject to dismissal, at the discretion of the President and Secretary.

Meeting called to order: 9:31am by Cissy Glowth

## 1. Welcome- Cissy Glowth

- Welcome to our guest speaker: Aisha Morfe-Bencosme

## 2. Guest Speakers-

- **Aisha Morfe-Bencosme**- gave overview of the HR Benefits Office and shared Open enrollment information.
- Details about current open enrollment are available on the HR website: [Benefits@ucf.edu](mailto:Benefits@ucf.edu)
- Open Enrollment October 13-31, 2025

## 3. Approval of the Last Meeting Minutes

- Motion to approve: Jose Arce
- Second: Patricia Hall
- Minutes approved

## 4. Financial Report – Carey Ann Morales

- Checking Balance: \$1985.73
- Savings Balance: \$4,817.74
- Interest Earned: \$0.20
- Total: \$6803.47

## 5. Committee Reports

- **Marketing/Sponsorship** –Elimar advised committee meeting next week to elect co-chair.
- **Special Events/Fundraising**-Jamie advised we had many visitors to our table at the Benefits Fair and \$10 was collected for Scholarships

- **Scholarship** – Jamie advised that the application has closed and the committee will meet to select winners.
- **Research/Historian** – Jessica advised the committee is reorganizing files in the group teams folder.
- **Sunshine Committee** – Melly shared we will be sending Gratitude shoutout in November.
- **Elections Committee** – Katie advised we lost one member who left the university and welcomed new member Sarah Hall from the Rosen campus.
- **Parking Committee** – Jose advised nothing new to report.
- **AI Committee** - Anita advise the committee to have it's first meeting in a few weeks.

6. Cissy Thanked the council for their continued hard work with special thanks to all the volunteers who worked the benefits fair

7. **Motion to Adjourn Meeting** – Jamie called for motion to adjourn
- Motion to adjourn: Patricia Hall
  - Second by Jessica Frisch-Daiello

Meeting adjourned 10:11 am