

Supportive Professional Staff Council Agenda

Thursday, February 13, 2020
Holmes Student Center Skyroom
10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Call to Order

Approval of Agenda
Approval of Minutes, January 9, 2020

Guest Speakers:

Dr. Vernese Edghill-Walden, Chief Diversity Officer – Discussion of definition of Diversity
Jeff Salmon – Census 2020

Announcements:

- a.) Black Heritage Month [Events](#) – Throughout February
- b.) 125th Anniversary Events – Diversity Dialogue: Groundbreakers – 2/18/2020
- c.) 125th Anniversary Grant Funded Projects – 8 special projects throughout the year
- d.) Cram the Convo – NIU Men’s and Women’s Basketball on 2/22/2020 – Convo – Jersey giveaway (1st 1,000 fans)
- e.) STEM Café – Earthquakes and Fracking – 3/18/2020
- f.) HSC Evacuation Protocol

Committee Reports:

Advocacy – no report
Awards – report
Communications & Technology – report
Constitution & Elections – report
Events – no report
Professional Development – report
Regional Community Relations – report
SPS Dependent Scholarship Fund – report

Vice-President’s Report

- a.) Committee’s Summary Report

Unfinished Business

- a.) Search Committee Updates/Ad Hoc Committee Updates
- b.) SUCSS Procedure Update ([FAQ](#) Discussion)
- c.)
- d.)

New Business

- a.)
- b.)

University Committee Reports

Board of Trustees – 3/5/20
Board of Trustees Committees – 2/13/20
Faculty Senate – 2/19/20
Operating Staff Council – 3/5/20
Student Government Association – 2/16/20
University Council – 2/26/20

Adjournment

Representatives: Please contact your alternate and the SPS Council Secretary, Jeanne Meyer, if you are unable to attend the meeting.

Alternates: You are invited to attend all meetings.