

## PIO Council Meeting Minutes

March 9, 2011

Present: Steve Cartwright, Michael LoPresto, D. Terry Williams, Karl Schrock, Arthur Falk, Bob Humiston, Tom Kostrzewa and Kevin Wordelman

Cartwright called the meeting to order at 4:02 PM.

Williams moved for approval of the 2/16/11 minutes, seconded by Kostrzewa. Approved.

Falk moved to reschedule the `Winter Membership Meeting for April 20, 2011 at 4 PM. Seconded by Kostrzewa. Approved.

Falk presented an oral treasurer's report and discussed his proposed policy for document retention.

The Council reviewed and discussed the 2011-2012 annual plan outline. Falk moved to present the plan outline at the winter membership meeting, seconded by Kostrzewa. Approved.

The Council discussed Cartwright's 12/17/10 letter to the administration regarding the university's definition of supervisors, managers, coordinators, etc.

Cartwright reported on the meeting he attended of the PIO, TAU, AAUP, GSAC and WSA to protest Governor Snyder's proposed budget cuts to higher education.

Cartwright notified the council of the March 30 hearing in front of the state senate higher education committee in Lansing and invited all council members to attend in support of both WMU and AFT.

LoPresto discussed his thoughts on senior status notifications. The Council asked Wordelman to send out email notices to all department chairs regarding the instructors in their department who hold senior status or will attain senior status at the end of this semester and follow up with hard copy notices in the campus mail.

Schrock discussed his forecast for the number of part-time instructors who will teach over summer I and summer II.

The next PIO Council meeting was set for April 6, 2011.

Cartwright adjourned the meeting at 5:43 PM.