

Faculty Senate Minutes
May 11, 1998

Present: Grace Kirchner, Sarah Sloane, Terry Cooney, Nancy Bristow, Bill Haltom ("Wild Bill"), Judith Kay, Hans Ostrom, Michele Birnbaum, Anne Wood, Cathy Hale, Bill Beardsley ("Good Bill"), Duane Hulbert, Kathie Hummel-Berry, Bruce Lind.

Kirchner opened the meeting at about 4pm. Cooney began by noting the service of Kirchner as four years as Senate Chair, suggesting that we acknowledge her good service by acclamation. The Senate burst into spontaneous applause.

Kirchner thanked the group and speedily changed the subject, noting that the results of the recent Full Faculty meeting were satisfying to her in her role as Faculty Senate Chair.

Hale nominated Beardsley to serve a term as Vice Chair of the Senate. Senators present voted unanimously to elect Beardsley. Then, Beardsley nominated Hale for Secretary of the Senate. Ostrom seconded the nomination. Hale was elected unanimously as Senate Secretary.

Beardsley asked whether it was time for the inaugural hazing. Lind noted (with only a hint of regret) that this was the first time that the Faculty Senate Chair hadn't brought champagne to celebrate the events of the meeting.

Kirchner thanked the whole group again, and the Senate adjourned for the year approximately 4:20pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Sarah Sloane