

MEETING MINUTES October 19, 2022

President Tammy Millican presided over the October 19, 2022, Staff Senate meeting held in 225 Peabody Hall at 10:30 a.m.

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# GUESTS:

Lizabeth Jackson, Wife of Ricky Jackson Damien & Latisha Brown, Family of Ricky Jackson Sandra Stepter, Family of Ricky Jackson Norman Jackson, Family of Ricky Jackson Corey, Russell, Family of Ricky Jackson Keith Russell, Residential Life Simien Jackson, Residential Life Casey Coughlin, Campus Federal Credit Union Roxane Berthelot, Campus Federal Credit Union Another co-worker mentioned that, "from the first day that I transferred to Shipping and Receiving, she was warm and welcoming. I really miss her popping in my office and saying" "Happy Friday!" Sometimes she would just come into chat, I do miss that, and I do miss her. God Bless and welcome Sandra and her children.

David and Deborah Taylor, Sandra's parents, and her brother, Stephen, accepted the flag which was flown on September 15, 2022, over the Parade Grounds in her honor.

# PRESENTATION OF FLAG TO THE FAMILY OF RICKY JACKSON

President Tammy Millican announced that the Staff Senate would like to present the flag honoring Mr. Ricky Jackson.

Ricky served as a Plaster Master for Residential Life. He started off working with a contractor at LSU, but became an LSU staff member.

Ricky Jackson was a loving father of 5 children 14 grandchildren. In addition, a wonderful husband to his wife Lizabeth Jackson whom she loved him so dearly. He also leaves to cherish in his memories one brother, David Jackson and many relatives and friends.

His wife, Mrs. Lizabeth Jackson, said that she allowed him to have a second wife, which was LSU. Channing Cox, his supervisor said, "Ricky Jackson was always the first one at work. I cherished Ricky as my big brother-always."

Joshua Smith said he was a loyal employee, a great friend, always dependable and part of the work family, always in good spirits. He was a great man. Karen Rockett, Director of Housing at Residential Life said, "Ricky Jackson was a kind and gentle soul in our Res Life maintenance department. He was quiet and always calm and always here for anything the students needed. His dedication and dependency, integrity and sweet spirit resonated throughout the team. He was that peaceful rock that helped maintain the serenity in an ever-changing organization. He just went with the flow and was flexible whenever he needed to be.

He was a master of his craft which is truly a lost art in today's world. Plaster is an uncommon use of material yet Mr. Ricky was a champion in manipulating. He is truly one that will be missed, not just for his skill but for his kindness."

Ricky Jackson always talked about how much he truly loved his Co-Workers.

The Jackson family wishes to thank LSU for everything that you've done for us and my Husband with truly sincere gratitude.

Flag was accepted by Lizabeth Jackson, their children, and other family members.

The flag was flown on October 15, 2022, over the Parade Grounds in his honor.

#### PRESIDENT'S REPORT

President Tammy Millican reviewed relevant meetings in which she attended.

- September 23 attended the Disability Caucus Meeting
- September 26 attended the University Council Meeting by Zoom with EAB to discuss report on enrollment, research, and staffing
- September 29 attended a meeting with Melonie Milton and Anthony Oster to discuss Anthony's

### **Staff Appreciation & Events**

The committee met on October 12, 2022. A written report was included in the October Meeting Packet for Senate review.

The Annual Benefits Fair will be held on Wednesday, October 26, 2022, from 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m., in the LSU Student Union, Ballroom. Senate volunteers are needed.

Holiday on Campus will be held on Tuesday, November 29, 2022, from 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. in the LSU Student Union, in lobby are of the second floor. We are in need of candy to fill 200 goodie bags for the children who attend the event. Please donate two bags of candy to the Staff Senate Office by the next general meeting.

# LIAISON REPORTS

# Civil Service Commission

Melonie Milton reported for Past-President Amber Salvadras on the 2022 Annual Uniform Pay Plan Review that was recently released. There were some recommendations t (.)5 (m)9ed (m) (o)1 554.16 13 (r

packet for Senate review.

# Future Guest Speakers

The Executive Committee has identified some guest speakers for the year. If anyone has any suggestions, please send those to the Executive Committee.

### NEW BUSINESS

### **Senator Appointment**

The Staff Senate Executive Committee has approved the following appointments.

Percy Jackson with the Office of Multicultural Affairs. He has been employed at LSU since 2021. He has attended a couple meetings and has expressed an interest in serving. Percy will fill a vacancy through 2023.

Ginger Guttner with the LSU School of Veterinary Medicine. She has been employed at LSU since 2004. She was a runner-up in the last general election. Ginger will fill a vacancy through 2023.

Anthony Oster with University College. He has been employed at LSU since 2006. He was a runner-up in the last general election. Anthony will fill a vacancy through 2024.

The Staff Senate Executive Committee has approved the following caucus appointments.

Kelli Bates is a member of the Black Faculty and Staff Caucus. She will serve as the Senator Liaison through 2023.

Ryan Campen is a member of the LGBTQ+ Faculty and Staff Caucus. He will serve as the Senator Liaison through 2023.

Karina Rafati is a member of the LatinX Faculty and Staff Caucus. She will serve as the Senator Liaison through 2023.

#### Staff Senate Community Service

President Millican announced that the Executive Committee has discussed doing some community service as an organization for the upcoming holiday season. Please submit your feedback about adopting a family for Thanksgiving or Christmas or both this year.

# Mentor Event

President Millican announced that the Mentor/Mentee event will be held on Wednesday, November 9, 2022, at 9:00 a.m. in 225 Peabody Hall. Please let Millican know if you would like to participate. Coffee and Donuts will be served.

### Staff Senate Social Hour

President Tammy Millican announced that the Staff Senate Executive Committee would like to schedule a social hour at the Faculty Club sometime in November. Please let Millican know if you would be interested in attending.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Staff Senator Birthday

Staff Senator October Birthdays:

- Senator Amy Trahan celebrated her birthday on October 8.
- Senator Percy Jackson celebrated his birthday on October 16.

Happy Birthday!

In honor of Senator Amy Trahan's Birthday, she received some Key Lime Cupcakes.

In honor of Senator Percy Jackson's Birthday, he received a Bundlet from Nothing Bundt Cakes.

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