MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE REGENTS' ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON SOCIOLOGY, ANTHROPOLOGY, AND SOCIAL WORK

ANNUAL MEETINGS OF THE GEORGIA SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION, OCTOBER 29, 2009

Members in Attendance: *Standing-In

*Kevin Demmitt, Clayton State University (for Karen Young)

Kathleen Dolan, North Georgia College & State University

William Dorsey, Atlanta Metropolitan College

James Floyd, Macon State College

*Laurel Holland, University of West Georgia (for Jane McCandless)

Robert Lightfoot, Waycross College

Michelle McCormick, Gordon College

Leo Mundy, College of Coastal Georgia

Rebecca Nees, Middle Georgia College

*Lana Wachniak, Kennesaw State University (for Sam Abaidoo)

Past Chair Leo Mundy (College of Coastal Georgia) conducted the meeting on behalf of Chair Ned Rinalducci (Armstrong Atlantic University) who was unable to attend. Mundy called the meeting to order at 5:30 pm.

Mundy distributed the "Academic Advisory Committee Operating Procedures." After a lengthy discussion, identifying various problems in bringing this committee into order and productivity, Mundy called upon members to vote for the establishment of committee by-laws. All agreed. Mundy asked for a volunteer to write the first draft based on the committee by-laws of other RACs. Dolan (North Georgia) agreed to take on this responsibility. Lightfoot (Waycross) proposed December 1, 2009 as the deadline for our first draft. All agreed. Mundy asked Dolan to pursue methods in the by-laws that will (1) provide more stability in leadership and (2) motivate members to serve more actively. The meeting was adjourned at 6:00 pm.

Addition: I'm happy to provide the names of the Articulation Agreement subcommittee for RAC-Sociology, Anthropology, and Social Work:

Dr. Jeremy Reynolds (UGA), Dr. Jane McCandless (West Georgia), Dr. Donna Abrams (Georgia Gwinnett)