**Staff Senate Minutes**  
*Friday, January 10, 2014 - 9:00 AM, Billingsly Boardroom*

**Members Present:** Heather Arnold, Dianna Baker, Nicole Brown, Elisa Bryant, Karesa Burr, Gary Edwards, Melanie Epperson, Robert Frossard, Patty Holder, Alicia Hughes, Aaron Lewis, Shavonne McCoy, Tonya Nickle, Lauren Powell, and Nancy Rainey.

**Member(s) Absent / Excused:** Josh Doak

**Determination of Quorum:** Fifteen of Sixteen active members present at the beginning of the meeting, quorum established.

**Call to Order:** A. Hughes called the meeting to order at 2:00 PM.

**Administrative/Special Guest Comments:** None present.

**Old Business:**
1. Restore the Roar – Dianne Baker stated that Jennifer Head knows of another program that was similar to Motive Matters but an employee from the University gets trained and then trains other employees. Crucial Conversations is the name of the training.

   E. Bryant said that there is another color coding training system that the Athletics Department used in the past called Disk. It is just much more basic than Motive Matters.

**New Business:**
1. Fun T-Shirts – H. Arnold discussed giving t-shirts with fun sayings to all employees and then once a month schedule a day that all employees wear the shirt. It could be fun seeing what employees wear which shirt. A student worker could go around to each individual employee and let them choose the shirt they want and the size they need. This way the University doesn't end up with a lot of extra shirts and the employees get to pick what they want.
   - All Staff Senate members were very supportive of this concept.
   - P. Holder suggested having employees pick out the t-shirt they want at Restore the Roar.
     - H. Arnold then suggested that employees could then pick up their shirt at the Employee Appreciation Picnic in the Fall.

**Adjournment:** N. Rainey made a motion to adjourn into closed session. A. Lewis seconded the motion. The motion was approved and the meeting was adjourned into closed session.

**Next Meeting:** Wednesday, February 12, 2014 in Billingsly Board Room

Respectfully submitted by: Patty Holder