Montana State University All Staff Council (MSUASC) Monthly Meeting Minutes

Date: February 19, 2025 **Time:** 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Location: SUB 235

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 AM.

II. Approval of Minutes

• January 17, 2025, meeting minutes were approved unanimously.

III. Public Comment

• No public comments were made.

IV. Guest Speaker

- Erin Bolger Office of Student Engagement (OSE)
 - o Erin was unable to attend- Her presentation will be rescheduled.

V. Team Builder Activity

• Burnout Presentation

- Presented by the Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Belonging (DEIB) Committee and Professional Development Committee.
- Discussion included recognizing burnout signs, strategies for prevention, and workplace support mechanisms.

VI. Previous Business

• Staff Appreciation Update

VII. New Business

• Future Chairs for Committees

- o Discussion on leadership transitions for MSUASC committees.
- Considerations for mentorship and training of future chairs.
- o Identifying interested candidates and succession planning.

Scholarship Changes

- Updates on MSUASC-related scholarships.
- o Proposed adjustments and potential impacts on eligibility and funding.

- Donation from President Cruzado has been very helpful, but that will be discontinued.
- ASC Will need to obtain funds from other sources—consider requesting donations from our staff and Alumni Foundation
- Council voted unanimously to exclude dependents and only offer scholarships to staff this year.
- DEI Discussion
 - o Updates to DEI at MSU.
 - o Renamed: Access and Success
 - Should we change our internal committee name?
- Assembly Line for New Employee Gifts
 - o Stuffed many new gifts for HR

VIII. MUSSA Information & Update

IX. ASC Committee Updates

• Time did not allow for reports.

X. External Committee Reports

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XI. Informational Items

• ASC Safe Zone 1 Training scheduled for February 20, 2025.

XII. Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 11:00 AM.

Next Meeting: March 12, 2025, at 9:00 AM, SUB 235.