# Staff Senate Meeting Minutes

## Rassman Suite

## Monday, August 20, 2018 3 PM

# Call to Order and Establishment of Quorum

Farrah Lokey, Staff Senate Chair, called the meeting to order at 3:01.

Quorum was not established

## Senators Present:

Andrew Waggoner, Stacey Sauer, Jamie Huff, Chris Houston, Farrah Lokey, Duane Pruitt, Amanda Ritchie, Chris Houston, Steve Mahaffey

## Senators Excused:

Jennifer Barrientos, Ashley Baccus, Chris Steele, Judy Polunsky

## Alternates who Signed-In:

## Guests Signed-In:

Lori Chandler, Angela Howell

# RamStar Awards

None presented at this meeting.

# Approval of Previous Meeting’s Minutes

Previous meeting were not approved.

# Guests

## Andrea Robledo – David L. Hirschfeld Department of Engineering

STEM HSI Success Programs is offering a staff development opportunity with Escala on Working with Equity in Mind: Cultivating Student Assets in our Hispanic Serving Institution. The training is on Monday, October 15,2018 from 9am-4pm. They are mainly targeting Admissions, Advisors, and Financial Aid, but all are welcome. FMI: 325-486-5503

## Sammye Sharbutt – Lubbock Area United Way

Ms. Sharbutt is the Greater West Texas Local Campaign Manager for the State Employee Charitable Campaign. She shared campaign goals for the Greater West Texas and explained the purpose behind the campaign. FMI: Lori Chandler, HR Specialist - 325-942-2168

# Treasurer’s Report

## Staff Excellence Awards

$445.41

## Staff Senate Account

$1.85

# Committee Reports

## Staff Relations

### The committee would like to have an off location happy hour. The Parrot Head Tavern are ASU Alumni and have offered their location. Farrah will meet with Dr. May to get approval.

### The Homecoming Spirit Rally is Thursday, October 11 and they are looking to see if two sets of game tickets could be donated.

#### Steve said that should not be a problem.

### They are also looking into ways to bring back the true meaning of True Blue Fridays. One idea was to host a school spirit contest among the departments on social media. Lorina will check with Chartwells to see about a donation for the winner.

# Unfinished Business

# New Business

## State Employee Charitable Campaign

Lori Chandler with Human Resources will distribute the Payroll Deduction forms through departmental mail soon. Angelo State’s goal is to reach $20,000.

# Miscellaneous (comments, announcements, roundtable)

# Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 4:55.