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Minutes
College of Arts and Sciences Faculty Meeting
November 3, 2005

The meeting of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences at Kansas State University was called to order by Associate Dean Larry Rodgers, acting in place of Dean White, at 4:03 PM. (Dean White was out of town, attending the College Council of Arts and Sciences Deans in Vancouver, B.C.)

Anne Phillips moved and Michael Donnelly seconded approval of the minutes of the meeting of October 6th. Motion passed.

Elizabeth Cauble moved and Greg Eiselein seconded approval of the proposed Course and Curriculum changes, the main agenda item of the day. There was no discussion. The proposed changes passed by acclamation.

Greg Eiselein announced the talk by National Poet Laureate Ted Kooser scheduled for Friday, November 4th, in the Union Little Theater.

Elizabeth Cauble asked whether A & S Faculty meetings like this one could not be conducted on-line. Larry Rodgers explained that curriculum issues can involve questions about overlap in areas of professional competence or challenges to disciplinary hegemony (i.e., turf battles) which sometimes may become animated exercises in argument and persuasion, or on the other hand, program changes may raise questions about possible disadvantages to our students, so that it remains essential to handle these matters *viva voce*, in direct personal engagement.

Motion to adjourn came at 4:06:30 PM, and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael L. Donnelly
Secretary of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences