

UGA School of Law  
Staff Council meeting minutes  
January 15, 2015

Present: Marie Mize, Chair  
Robin Jennings, Cindy Wentworth, Deb Baker, Leslie Grove, Tiffany Sargent, Susan Hanson

Not Present: Tina Whitehair; Shawn Lanphere

Guest: Dean Bo Rutledge

We had several staff members attend in addition to our regular members.

Dean Rutledge attended our first meeting of the year and expressed his appreciation for the work performed by the law school and library staff.

Three issues were brought up by attendees that the staff would like to see addressed by the new dean. Those issues were continuing education for staff members; a budget for the staff council; and communication among the various departments within the law school. Much discussion was had on the limits that were placed on staff members posted to the various listservs. Dean Rutledge listened to the comments and was receptive to possibly making changes. Additionally, comments were made regarding calendar events and items and ways to make staff members more aware of events taking place within the law school. He also was receptive to a budget for the staff council but indicated he would have to look further into that matter. We thanked Dean Rutledge for his attendance and we concluded that portion of our meeting.

Other business: as two of our members were not present it was decided to elect a treasurer for our council during the February meeting.

Fun was had by all and the meeting was adjourned.