

Senior Staff Meeting
March 23, 2009
Meeting Notes

Attending: Theresa Aragon, Don Bantz, Art Costantino, John Hurley, Les Purce, Todd Sprague, Julie Suchanek, Allen Toothaker, Steve Trotter
Absent: John Carmichael, Lee Hoemann, Steve Hunter

Minutes

The notes from the previous meetings were approved.

Announcements

- Allen Toothaker said that contract negotiations with the WFSE have re-started.

Legislative Update

Julie Suchanek said that legislative budgets are expected within the next week. The revenue forecast added \$500 million to the budget shortfall. It is likely that the federal stimulus money will not be included in the budget proposals released this week. The House plans a work session on accountability and interim planning. Trustees Kessler and Heck had confirmation hearings.

Council of Presidents Update

Les Purce said that the presidents are discussing common messages.

Management Breakfast

John Carmichael suggested that the scheduled Management Breakfast go forward, even though there isn't much new information about budgets. The group discussed the agenda for the breakfast.