

Staff Senate Meeting Minutes
September 21, 2023
12:00 p.m.

North End Center, Room 2420 and via Zoom: virginiatech.zoom.us/j/89618402157

Present: LaTawnya Burleson (presiding), Saadia Ali, Callan Bartel, Robin Cooley, Kristen Cox, Denise Crawford, Pat Donovan, Kari Evans, Nikki Gland-Turpin, Amanda Hill, Amy Ingram, Frank Kerr, Petie Martin, Jamie McElfresh, Lida Mitchell, Steve Nagle, Eric Newton, Sarah Owen, Tasia Persson, Amber Robinson, Sally Shupe, Tamarah Smith, Becki Smith, Mary Sullivan, Judy Taylor, Eric Tysor, Chris Whitlock, Christina Winkeler, and Marty Wyatt.

Absent with Notice: Hannah Menefee and Serena Young.

Absent: Lisa Bishop, Zai Cook, Amy Linkous, Katrina Lockhart-Elfeky, Ron Mecham, Dennie Munson, Janet Murphy, Amy Pendleton, and Jennifer Pike.

Guests: Darraie Brown, Dartel Brown, Becky Burns, Debbie Cash, Leslie Cherry-Marshall, Sonja Crockett, Kayla Dean, Douglas Epps, Annabelle Fuselier, Laura Gazda, Gwen Ghee, Andrea Gobourne, Joseph Goodman, Andrea Green, Kindred Grey, Alexander Harlow, Sherry Hollandsworth, Robena Hughes, Allison Jones, Tracy Jones, Danielle Kauffman, Lynda King, Monique Logan, Carrie Mayer, Daniella Miller, Vicky Moore, April Myers, Amanda Pester, Erin Olson, Heather Parrish, Jasmine Phillips, Alicia Pierce, Tracy Price, Elvis Rosario, Katherine Santos, Alyssia Schwenke, Carol Slusser, Heather Snidow, Demetria Somervell, Himadri Sunam, Tammy Wolf, Chenaye Woods, and Marsha Wright.

President Burleson called the meeting to order at 12:05 p.m. A quorum was present.

1. Adoption of Agenda

The agenda was adopted.

2. Announcement of approval and posting of minutes of July 20 and August 17, 2023

President Burleson noted that these minutes have been voted on electronically and can be publicly accessed on the Governance Information System on the web (<http://www.governance.vt.edu>).

3. Presentation

Ms. Amy Sebring, Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, gave the Senate an overview of her portfolio and answered questions after the presentation. The presentation is attached and a recording of the meeting is posted on the Staff Senate's website.

4. Announcements

- The October Staff Senate meeting will begin at 11:00 a.m.

5. Adjournment

There being no further business, President Burleson adjourned the meeting at 1:00 p.m.

Chief of Staff
Brennan Shepard



**Executive Vice President and
Chief Operating Officer (EVPCOO)**

Amy S. Sebring



**Executive Assistant
to the EVPCOO**
Teresa Wright



EVPCOO Leadership Team

**Vice President
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Chris Kiwus



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Resources**
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**Vice President
for Information Tech
nology and
Chief Information
Officer**
*David Raymond
(interim)*



**Vice President for
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Governance**
Kim O'Rourke



**Vice President for
Audit, Risk, and
Compliance and
Chief Risk Officer**
Sharon Kurek



**Associate Vice
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and Accessibility**
Kelly Oaks



**Associate Vice
President for Public
Safety**
*Mike Mulhare
(interim)*



University Operations Leadership

**Executive Director of
Business and
Management Systems**
Al Cooper



**Senior Human Resources
Business Partner**
Steve Filipiak



**Senior Director of Finance
and Business Operations**
Debbie Greer



**IT Transformation
Program Director**
Zo Qazi



**Senior Director of
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Stephanie Overton

