ACADEMIC SENATE November 30, 2004

PRESENT: Terry Blosser, Wane Boysun, Brian Gilmartin, Cheri Jimeno, Lisa

O'Neil, Roger Stone, Larry Strizich, Janet Trethewey, Tom Welch,

Lanny Wilke

ABSENT: Kevin Carlson

GUEST: Gregg Hester, Bob Johnke, Steve Jamruszka, Will Rawn, Darlene

Sellers, Curtis Smeby

President Trethewey called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m. in CH 105. The minutes of November 23, 2004 were approved as amended.

OLD BUSINESS:

GENERAL EDUCATION PROPOSAL - Because of Wane's motion to adopt current BOR standards for placement into MATH 110 and MATH 112 at the November 23, 2004 meeting, it was determined that input was needed from math faculty.

Bob Johnke was present to answer questions regarding math placement and competencies in relation to the new general education package. Bob distributed a handout on mathematics proficiency admission standards to four-year campuses of the Montana University System.

Answers were given related to SAT/ACT scores and class placement; completion of MATH 095 and placement based on the Compass Test; and the impact of the BOR policy about math competencies from high school and success in college math. Also given, was guidance on measurable outcomes.

Roger **MOVED** the senate meet December 7 to continue the math discussion. Brian **SECONDED. MOTION CARRIED.**

Meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted, Joanna Kurtz