Call to Order
Brought by President Hillary Anne Edwards

Attendees
Voting Members: Amanda Azuma, Steven Boggs, Kiscia Cannon, Mikki Coleman, Hillary Anne Edwards, Susan Holt, Carl Jackson, Nicole Miskimon, Janet Nance-Richardson, Jessica Rowe, Kaya Smith, Yan Sun, Lois Warner, Kevin Watson
Alternate Members: Mary Beth Gallico, Bill Crockett
Absent Members: Colette Beaulieu, Kent Buckingham, Sharese Essien, Malinda Hughes, Riham Keryakos, Danielle Ward, Angela Hall, Monica Martinez

Welcome Guests
- Liz Bowery
- Brian Sturdivant, Coordinator of Community Affairs
- Ashley Valis, Executive Director of UMB’s Office of Community Engagement

Approval of Minutes
- No edits
- Motion to approve by Susan Holt and 2nd by Lois Warner

New Business
Elections Committee (Susan)
- All Paperwork has been completed
- Accepting nominees

BOR (Janet)
- Process of applications has been closed
- Announcement of winners is normally made in June

Policy (Nicole)
- Legislative session will end in April
- Next report will be available next Monday. It will include budget information
- Suggestion to build relationships with legislators and may need to work with Dr. Perman to form relationships
- Kevin Kelly and his group arranges meetings and help with bills that may need testimonies. Local, state, and federal level.
- CUSS was well represented on Advocacy day
- Reviewed bylaws with executive committee and there will be revisions. They will be sent out in a couple of weeks for senate to review and vote.
- Carl Jackson is running for state delegate district 8

Community (Lois) **** Need more info****
- Earth day is coming up and it would be good to do a litter pick up around the community
- April 19th James McHenry needs volunteers to clean up around the school
- April 11th STEM Program sponsored by Karen
- Cuddling with infants in the UMMC

Office of Community Engagement (Ashley Dawson and Brian Sturdivant)
- Kudos to Lois for constantly sharing and liking our page
- Works with communities right outside the campus
- Order food from local vendors there is a link on the OCE website
- List of schools that are included
- Hiring of people in the community
- There are numerous volunteer programs that need volunteers umaryland.edu/ce
- May 5th Neighborhood Spring Festival, Needs volunteers

Community Outreach (Lois)
- Looking for ideas doe spring outreach projects. Contact Lois with ideas for the committee

University Life (Kaya)
- Working on creating a report for Dr. Perman on the Staff Senate Survey
- Thanks to Amanda and Hillary for helping facility funding I heart UMB day so that Staff Senate can participate
- The group has reviewed the committee’s goals for the year have completed 3 out of four
  o Completed
    ▪ Anonymous Survey
    ▪ Establish an event partnership
  o In Works
    ▪ Plan best idea contest
  o Not Completed
    ▪ New or improving a kudos program

Adjournment
- A motion to adjourn the meeting by Mikki Coleman, seconded by Kevin Watson

Minutes submitted by: Kaya Smith, Secretary