Staff Council Meeting
Nov. 20, 2008

Roll Call
Attended:
Sarah Rutledge
Joanna Burnell
Tammy Satterly
Darnell Cunningham
Bruce McDonald
Tracy Dennis
Laquanda Miller
Larry Porter
Shannon Cruz
David Lynn
Kim York
Arlene Ross
Becky Critchfield

All approved Oct. 2008 meeting minutes.

Barbara Hoskins will reschedule pictures; she was out sick this day.

Website Updates
Bruce McDonald stated our site is consistent with other schools staff council sites. All staff council members need to email Bruce title, name, and extension as soon as possible. Email Bruce any related link that we want posted to our staff council site. Group will vote on which sites to post next meeting.

Motion was made and a unanimous vote to create and add a new position to the executive committee. The new position will be Correspondence Secretary. Laquanda Miller was voted in as the 08/09 Correspondence Secretary, effective immediately.

Dress Code response was confirmed. Staff Council will recommend that all inquires or concerns should be directed to the immediate supervisor or the president’s office.

Officers will try to meet before next meeting to discuss structure of future staff council meetings.

QEP Update- Becky Womack

Reading was the topic chosen by the QEP team. The idea is to improve all students’ learning. Topic Development Team reviewed all suggestions given from last fall breakout meeting. Reading/Writing received most votes. This topic had to be narrowed down, QEP team chose reading. Becky stressed the importance of everyone attending the next
faculty/ Staff meeting and giving all ideas and concerns to help improve student reading at BCTC.

**Dr. Julian Update**

Dr. Julian requested staff council to invite all staff to meetings or forums to talk about climate. APT team wants to know how the climate now compares to the climate from survey two years ago. Becky Critchfield will email everyone the results from last survey.

Next meeting we will discuss if we want to add a column to the Academic Voice and what information should we add, if we decide to add a column.