## Research Council Minutes Thursday, November 10, 2011 2:00-3:00 p.m. 114 Sherrick Hall

✓ McCoy, Tom	✓ Johnson, Cheryl	✓ Shaw, Joe
✓ Black, Laura	✓ Jutila, Mark	✓ Stewart, Phil
✓ Cloninger, Mary	✓ Kuntz, Sandy	✓ Whitlock, Cathy
Erickson, Joanne-unavailable	✓ Lawrence, Martin	Potvin, Martha – unavailable
✓ Gee, Regina	Marley, Robert-unavailable	Fox, Carl - unavailable
Hays, Rick-technical difficulty	✓ Pascual, David	Yarnell, Allen-technical difficulty

- I. Call to Order: 2:00 p.m. by Dr. McCoy
- II. Approval of Minutes of November 3, 2011 meeting approved

## III. Information/Announcements

- Nursing had technical difficulties and we were unable to use call-in or videoconferencing capabilities
- > Welcome to Phil Stewart, new member representing Center Directors
- President Cruzado is asking Councils to provide her with plan for membership elections
- > Update on Enhancement of Graduate Education Request for Proposals
  - I. The Provost and the VPResearch will fund two programs
    - i) \$100,000: Meritorious Fellowships to 20 graduate students @ \$5,000 each
    - ii) \$50,000: Graduate student recruitment

## IV. Topics for Discussion

- Updates from Subcommittees and discussion by RC
  - o Input to strategic planning process regarding research
    - Chair Marley unavailable to attend tabled to future meeting
  - o Facilitating Interdisciplinary Research
    - Laura Black will draft a one-pager focusing on joint appointments and expectations/distributions of F&A monies
- Update on SBE Initiative tabled to future meeting
- V. Adjourn: 3:08 p.m. by Dr. McCoy

Next Meeting: Thursday, December 15, 2011, from 2:00-3:00 p.m. in 114 Sherrick Hall