

FACULTY SENATE

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Chairperson Ronald M. Zaccari Vice Chairperson Louis Levy Executive Secretary Mike Meacham

Parliamentarian John Samaras

Agenda October 21, 2004

The Faculty Senate will meet Thursday, October 21, 2004 in the Magnolia Room of the University Center at 3:30 p.m.

Items in **bold print** are items that require action by the Faculty Senate. Other items are for information only.

Special Request: At the request of the University President and Chairperson of the Senate, any actions from the Senate sent to the Chairperson for approval after the Senate votes should be accompanied by a written document with the rationale and purpose of the decision.

1. Call to Order

For the benefit of record keeping, senators and visitors will identify themselves when speaking to an issue during the meeting. Please use the microphones to assist with accurate recording. <u>All senators must initial the roster in order to be counted present</u>.

- 2. Approval of the <u>minutes of the September 23, 2004</u>, meeting of the Faculty Senate. These may be retrieved at: http://www.valdosta.edu/vsu/facsen/Minutes/040923min.pdf
- **3.** New business
 - a. Discussion on sexual orientation bill Dr. Zaccari
 - b. Report from the Academic Committee Louis Levy

(The Academic Committee will have no report. Dr. Levy is out of town)

- c. Report from the Committee on Committees Lyle Indergaard
- d. Report from the Institutional Planning Committee Michael Noll

- e. Report from the Faculty Affairs Committee Cecelia Barnbaum
- f. Report from the Faculty Grievance Committee Mike Savoie
- g. Report from the Senate Executive Secretary Mike Meacham
- 3. Old Business
 - 1. (Item #05-001- Report from Academic Scheduling Committee on bill to change final examination schedule)
- 4. General Discussion
- 5. Adjournment