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#### MEMORANDUM

TO:

LAW FACULTY

FROM:

LEO M. ROMERO, DEAN

DATE:

October 8, 1993

SUBJECT:

FACULTY MEETING AGENDA

# Faculty Meeting October 11, 1993 Dean's Conference Room 4:00 p.m.

1. Approval of Minutes of September 27, 1993

2. Dean's Report

√3. Retreat Update

√ 4. Faculty Appointments Committee Report - Robert Desiderio

√ 5. Report on Southwest Indian Clinic - Jose' Martinez

6. Natural Resources Center - Lee Brown, Michelle Minnis

7. Report on Public Administration Affiliation with the Law School - Bruce Perlman

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PRESENT: Anspach, Browde, Burr, Desiderio, Ellis, W., Flickinger, Fort, Gill, Hall,

Hart, Kovnat, Martinez, A., Martinez, J., Montoya, Norwood, Price,

Romero, Scheible, Schwartz, Taylor and Winograd.

Student Representatives: Alanis, Leavengood, Varela

The meeting was called to order by Dean Leo Romero.

After proper motion and second, the minutes of the September 27, 1993 faculty meeting were approved.

Introduction of student representatives to faculty.

# Dean's Report:

\*Various deanships, faculty positions and one librarian position are available around the country. The folder with announcements and other information is located in the Dean's Office.

\*1992 Class Reunion - Saturday, October 23, 1993, 5 to 8 pm at Time Out, Central Avenue SW, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

## Report on Southwest Indian Clinic:

Professor Jose' Martinez presented the following:

- 1. Committee recommends that the dean make a Visiting Associate Professor of Law offer to Christine Zuni conditional upon:
  - a) Faculty Approval
  - b) Provost Approval
  - c) Equal Employment Opportunity Approval

Christine Zuni can join us on October 25, 1993. Course will now be planned so that activities of Indian Law Clinic to integrate program and coordinate with other clinical programs.

2. Information on Clinic will be disseminated to entire student body in November.

## Report on Public Administration Affiliation with the Law School:

Bruce Perlman, Director of Public Administration School and Lee Brown, former Director of Public Administration addressed the faculty to explore the possibility of affiliating with the School of Law. They are exploring affiliation with three existing units: Law, Anderson and Architecture and Planning. Affiliation can range from very loose association to direct reporting. Some associations with the Law School already exist, like the Hatch Professorship. The faculty discussed background of requirement to examine affiliation and targets of opportunity. Major issue is extent to which schools can cooperate. Dean Romero proposed to raise question at another faculty meeting to discuss joint-faculty committee to discuss relations.

Report of National Resource Center: Lee Brown reported on Natural Resources Center as part of Law School and gave a general report and touched on ideas and search for ideas as to next five year plan. Focus: Interdisciplinary teaching, research and service; MWRA, Rio Grande Consortium and State Water Planning. Major problem of center is space. It operates in three different locations. This makes doing interdisciplinary work difficult.

Faculty Recruitment Committee Report: Bob Desiderio reported on available position. So far, 425 applications have been submitted for one full-time position. This number does not include AALS registry (about 1000 names) or Stanford, Yale or Temple registries. At this point we are scheduled to go to AALS Convention where we plan to contact those who have applied to us. About 10 percent of the applicants are faculty at other schools. Visiting pool has 19-20 pure visitors.

## **Faculty Retreat Update:**

#### Curriculum:

Saturday morning: Future Directions of the Curriculum include clinic, property and Summer School Program.

Saturday afternoon: Achievement of Excellence, use of teaching materials other than exams; pedagogy. The goal is too discuss how we teach. Class attendance and participation by students, grading issues, outside work and class ranking will also be discussed.

Sunday morning's discussion centers on maintaining lively and productive faculty: Post tenure reviews, faculty responsibilities and how to create and encourage scholarship will be discussed.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:25 pm.

Ruth Kovnat
Garrett Flickinger
(In absence of Faculty Secretary)

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