SCIENCE AND MATH DIVISION MEETING MINUTES Nov. 4, 2008

PRESENT: Marsha Austin Bruce Bailey Kristy Bailey Daniel Benton Brenda Breeding Lisa Buckelew Paul Buckelew Tamara Carter Roger Choate Sharon Coffman Betty Coleman Courtney Dodd Dale Duke Ken Harrelson B.J. Higgins

Julian Hilliard Greg Holland Gary Houlette Virginia Hovda Fabiola JaniakSpens Steve Kamm Steve Kash Linda Knox Kim Kyker Gail Malmstrom Jay Malmstrom John McMurray Cassandra Meek Janet Mitchell Charles Nunley Chris Oehrlein Raul Ramirez Sherry Ray Frank Rexach Ron Scribner Steve Shore Max Simmons Tony Stancampiano Tad Thurston Mike Turegun David Wiggins Sonya Williams Changjiang Zhu Cheryl Wolfe(mins)

GUESTS:

Jay Ramanjulu Ed Williams

INFORMATION ITEMS

Program Assessment Reports were due last month. There are still a couple missing - please turn them in to Max as soon as possible.

Program Assessment Plans were due yesterday.

Faculty Development grants are due the first Friday in November. Contact Anita Rhea.

The Holiday Luncheon will be at the next Division meeting. Look for a sign-up sheet in the division office workroom.

The College Holiday Reception will be December 11.

SII timeline: There was a mistake on the original forms so look for SII packets between November 7 and December 6.

CEATE UPDATE

Construction is progressing. There was a problem locating the sewer line. Walls are up and painting, plumbing, flooring is continuing. Carpet and casework is scheduled for December 1.

FY 10

The new fiscal year budget building is starting NOW. Please talk to Department Directors and/or Max about ideas and needs for Fall 09/Spring 10. Personnel outlook is gloomy. One time projects can be discussed. A possibility for movement back to OCCC campus for HR and Purchasing is that the Child Development Center would be moved to John Glenn Elementary school if it is purchased and HR and Purchasing would move into the old Child Development Center. Paul announced that money from the last 3 months was put into the wrong school account if you have money with TIAA Cref. He urged faculty to please check their accounts.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Gen. Ed: They will be talking about recommendations which need to be made next month. Gail reported she has not heard about any changes. Kristy reported on outcomes to General Education. They gave suggestions and have some assignments in Chemistry and Biology.

Benefits: Brenda Breeding reported they will be soliciting other companies for bids. If faculty have any concerns, see Brenda.

Institutional Policies and Procedures: Steve Kash stated they will be discussing tobacco use in the college and ground. They are striving for campus wide tobacco free grounds. It was reported that nursing students are smoking outside the new entry in the engineering area and leaving butts on the ground.

Achieving the Dream: Online teachers will be contacted to be on focus groups.

OTHER

The textbook order form book is going around. The bookstore left the old forms from fall in the book and didn't update. Sonya urged faculty to look at and initial pages.

The Clinical Research curriculum program is on track.

The Geology field trip is a week from Saturday.

Max is working on getting approval to purchase 15 passenger vans.

A week ago Saturday, the college foundation purchased a rock collection for \$2500

Meeting adjourned.