Minutes of Faculty Senate Meeting Thursday, February 20, 2014 Student Center 160, ULM Campus 12:30 – 2:00 p.m.

* indicates excused absence; Name/Name indicates Moved/Seconded

Senators Present: Anderson, Craighead, Dagley, Frye, Giles, Gissendanner, Niemla, Stockley, Cumming Strunk, Sylvester, Vangelisti, White

Senators Absent: Bray, Caldwell, Hill*, Jackson, Lasiter*, Wiedemeier*, Wilson*

Handouts circulated: Electronically circulated documents included the Agenda for FS February 20 meeting, the Revised Draft of FS Minutes for the November 14, 2013 meeting, the Draft of FS Minutes for the

New business

of 780. With an increase of 20%, our average SCH production will be 727. Since 2008, the highest SCH rate for ULM has been 631.

It was commented that in the corporate world, an increase of productivity by 3-4% is massive.

The administration hopes that moving the online courses to adjuncts will increase revenue. eULM will be staffing the online sections. VPAA Dr. Pani estimates that an increase in SCHs of 20% could increase the state funding by 20% which may increase our funding by \$5 million. The administration are also looking to increase face-to-face efficiencies and improving the passing rates.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:59 pm.

Respectfully submitted,