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MINUTES

Council of Academic Deans Meeting
September 27, 1977

The Council of Academic Deans met at 10:30 a.m. on September 27, 1977, in the Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs with the following members present: Davis, Sandefur, Cravens, Oppitz, Hardin, Mounce, Sutton, Chelf, Gray, Russell, Hourigan and Corts.

The minutes of the September 20 meeting were approved as distributed.

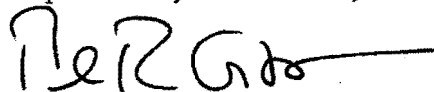
The Deans engaged in extended discussion concerning the faculty evaluation form and the recommendation which had been developed by the Staff Deans Committee. Dr. Mounce elaborated on the procedure which Potter College intended to use for 1977-78. The deans discussed aspects of the proposed form which were considered undesirable. Following extended discussion, it was agreed that the deans would engage in further sharing of information and this item would receive additional consideration.

Dr. Davis opened discussion on the routing procedure for academic proposals and the recommendations which had been made by the Staff Deans Committee. The Deans voiced numerous opinions concerning the procedures which should be followed as relates to specific program or course changes or developments. Dr. Corts indicated that the Staff Deans were interested in developing much more detailed procedures once a sense of direction had been identified by the Council of Academic Deans and they requested that the Deans identify the general approach which they wished to see taken so that the Staff Deans could develop very specific procedures. After considerable discussion, the Deans requested an opportunity to give this matter further consideration at a later date.

Dr. Hardin indicated that he was involved with writing an annual report for 1976-77 to be published by the Council on Higher Education. Dr. Hardin requested that the Deans provide him with any new developments in academic improvements within their colleges so that he could include this in his report.

The meeting adjourned at 12:04 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Paul R. Corts