MEMORANDUM

DATE: September 4, 2003

TO: Academic Senate Members

FROM: Keith Edgerton, Chair

Academic Senate

RE: MEETING DATE, PLACE, AND AGENDA

The first meeting of the Academic Senate will be held on <u>Thursday, September 11, 2003</u>, at 3:30 p.m., in the Chancellor's Conference Room (McM 209).

I. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

May 1, 2003

June 25, 2003

June 30, 2003 (electronic vote)

August 19, 2003 (retreat)

II. ITEMS FOR INFORMATION

- Item 1 Committee Report Faculty Development Council: RACE/IPD 2003
- **Item 2** Committee Report Academic Standards and Scholastic Standing Committee 2002-2003.

Item 3 Committee Roster 2003-2004

III. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- A. Possible Senate Initiatives:
 - 1. Enhancing Academic Quality
 - 2. Hidden Cost of New Academic Programs
- B. Shared Governance:
 - 1. Flagship Programs
 - 2. Long Range Hiring Plans
 - 3. Short-term hiring plans
- C. General Education
- D. Weekly Campus-Wide Meeting Time
- E. Senate Representation: CPSLL, and the new CAHP
- F. Re-Thinking Student Evaluations