## Minutes of the Committee on Public Affairs UNC Board of Governors September 7, 2006

The following Board of Governors members were present:

Leroy Lail, Chair Peter Hans Bunny Sanders, Vice Chair Charles Hayes

Peter Keber, Secretary Governor Holshouser Brent Barringer Charles Norwood

Ed Broadwell Fred Mills

Laura Buffaloe Gladys Robinson
John Davis Al Roseman

Phil Dixon

The following staff, and others were present:

Jeff Davies Rob Nelson
Andy Willis Robyn Render
Leslie Winner Alfred Mays
Erin Schuettpelz Chancellor Bardo

Laura Foxx Interim Chancellor Gilchrist

Alan Mabe Sam Metzler Kimrey Rhinehardt Seth Dearmin

Leslie Boney Brenda Killingsworth

Miles Lackey

## Chairman Lail called the meeting to order.

- 1. The minutes were approved on a motion from Mr. Keber, and seconded by Mr. Barringer.
- 2. Erin Schuettpelz introduced Miles Lackey, Director of Federal Relations to the committee. Miles joins General Administration from Sen. Dole's office.
- 3. The committee heard an advancement update from Associate Vice President Laura Foxx. In Fiscal Year 2005, UNC institutions raised over \$426 million in private dollars. Five year growth trends are on track and overall the campuses are doing a great job with their advancement efforts.
- 4. Mr. Hayes provided a summary of the Economic Development subcommittee. The subcommittee met via conference call and reviewed the Board of Governors report on the "Role of the University in Economic and Community Development." The subcommittee will work with Associate Vice President Boney to identify benchmarks for the report. Mr. Boney then provided the committee with an update of the Kauffman Foundation.

- 5. Mr. Barringer provided a summary of the Legislative Affairs subcommittee. The subcommittee has not met yet, but Mr. Barringer introduced Andy Willis who will be assuming the role of Vice President for Government Relations on October 1, 2006. Mr. Willis spoke to the committee and provided an update of current state legislative activities.
- 6. Ms. Robinson provided a summary of the Public Service Subcommittee. The subcommittee met via conference call. The subcommittee plans to look at the issue of tenure and promotion as a way to emphasis public service with faculty. They will also examine other incentives for faculty, staff and students.

There being no further business, the committee adjourned.