A brief midyear report of activities, functions, or recommendations of the committee include:

I The Diversity Committee was established by Dr. Johnston at the request of faculty and staff members

II The committee met and selected officers and established a set of measurable goals for the remainder of the academic year

III The committee wrote a draft catalog statement on diversity and submitted it to the Faculty Council. After discussing and adopting several of the council’s recommendations the draft statement was submitted to the Administrative Council which approved it without revisions. The final draft was then submitted to the V.P.A.A for inclusion into the college catalog

IV The committee has drafted a syllabus statement on diversity and has submitted it to the Faculty Council which is currently reviewing it

V The committee is currently developing two surveys; one general survey for students, faculty, and staff to assess the general perception of diversity education at Ozarka; the other is focused on demographic groups who have a particular interest in diversity. The committee hopes to administer the general survey before the end of the academic year.

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