LaFSA Board Meeting DRAFT MINUTES 10/28/2020

- 1. Call to Order: 1:03 pm.
- 2. Quorum Call
 - All board members present.
- 3. Approval of minutes from 10/13/2020
 - Cristina started the motion to approve the minutes. Luis seconded the motion. Minutes approved unanimously.
- 4. Reports from Officers
 - a. President: Sergio Espinosa
 - Update on Faculty Senate and need to recruit LaFSA members.
 - b. Vice President: Cecilia Garcia-Blizzard
 - Nothing to report.
 - c. Secretary: Julian Rodriguez
 - Trying to update the website, but the system is not working. Opened ticket with OIT.
 - Ask for a logo design.
 - Seek and develop a standard for the use of terms Hispanic, Latino, and Latinx.
 d. Parliamentarian: Cristina Salinas
 - Provided an update on UT Austin's DEI report.
 - e. At-Large: Marcela Nava
 - Will look into basic DEI stats and share these with Cecilia. Cecilia will develop an infographic and Julian will post online.
 - f. Treasurer: Luis Rosado
 - Completed process to have access to the bank account online. Will have access in four business days.
- 5. Old Business
 - 1. Determining areas for data collection/research in view of the UT-Austin report
 - 2. UTA Faculty Campaign to increase minority faculty
 - LaFSA will send out a letter inviting/reminding LaFSA members to help with the search of 15 UTA faculty positions.
 - 3. Membership campaign?
 - Website should be ready and membership campaign should begin on Wednesday, November 11, 2020.
- 6. New Business
 - 1. Beginning publicity campaign
- 7. Announcements
 - Advertisement for VP for DEI is already out.
- 8. Adjournment: 2:07 pm

by Julian R odriguez, Secretary