# Staff Council Standing Committee Minutes

**Committee Name:** Rewards and Recognition  
**Meeting Date and Place:** June 9th, 2015, 11:00 am, Faculty-Staff Club  
**Members Present:** Kathy McKinstry, Daniel Weems, Kitty Hays, Natalie Brigance, Carla Sakiestewa, Celeste Cole, and David Brockington  
**Members Excused:** Mary Jane Lueras  
**Guests Present:** Jodi Perry  
**Minutes submitted by:** Carla Sakiestewa

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| 2 | PAWS | Selected June winner is Marlena Bermel  
Review of Scoring Ethics:  
Jodi Perry contributed her experience and knowledge. Committee discussed how scoring should be conducted going forward.  
Scoring: scoring will not be based on outside sources including supervisor information and should absolutely not use any HR information. | |
| 3 | Staff Luncheon | Staff Appreciation Luncheon held 5/28/2015.  
Received wonderful comments: The picnic on campus was a hit! Almost 2000 in attendance. Quite a few HSC staff attended. A majority of people came early between 11:00-12:00 PM. Food lines ran smoothly.  
- Issues with vegetarian burgers, these items were not out on the food line and had to be requested from the kitchen.  
- Should have counted out 2000 tickets before hand to know if we were going to go over.  
- Committee will review having the Staff Picnic on campus again next year. | |
| 4 | Jim Davis; Gerald May Award and By-Law Amendment | Kathy read the By Law revision to be presented at the next Staff Council Meeting  
The Gerald May event budget proposal will need to be initiated soon and to include all expenses. Need to include as much as possible based on last year’s successful event. | |
| 7 | Committee Charge | The Rewards and Recognition Committee plans, coordinates and executes awards and activities that strengthen staff commitment to the University by funding methods of rewarding and recognizing staff as a vital part of the UNM community. | |
| 8 | Miscellaneous | Carla Sakiestewa resigned from the R & R Committee and will step down as minute taker but will continue to score PAWS, Jim Davis, and Gerald May for the committee. | |
| 9 | Adjourned | Meeting adjourned at 12:00 noon | |
| **Next Meeting** | | The next meeting will be Tuesday, July 14th, 2015, 11:00am -12:00 noon at the Faculty/Staff Club | |