Agenda
University Diversity Committee
Monday, April 25, 10:30 pm – 12:00 pm
Osborne 107

A. Introductions
   Christine Curtis

B. Selection of Co-Chairs
   Christine Curtis

C. Membership Rotation
   Christine Curtis

D. 10:45 AM Discussion of Equal Opportunity Programs by Bobby Gist

E. 11:30 AM Conversation about diversity with President Pastides

F. Definition of Diversity written by the Quality of Life in the University Community
   “The University of South Carolina is committed to creating a campus environment that fosters
diversity in its many forms. In a globalized world, inclusion of a wide range of perspectives
brings into play a fuller spectrum of ideas, knowledge, wisdom and opinion that can advance
understanding, innovation, and creativity. To that end, the University welcomes faculty, staff,
and students of all races, creeds, and cultures, and encourages intellectual work both within and
across disciplines.”

Plans for future meetings: information and presentations requested
1. Conversation about Diversity with Provost Amiridis
2. Demographics faculty, staff and standards and for the system campuses – Phil Moore
3. Census population trends and business data for the state of South Carolina – ???
4. Update on recruiting practices and enrollment – Scott Verzyl
5. Retention of faculty and professional staff – Gloria Boutte
6. Leadership and administrative development of faculty and staff – Christine Curtis and
   Chris Byrd
7. Exit interview – Stacie Williams – Chris Byrd
8. Equal Opportunity Programs briefing – Bobby Gist
10. Trios program briefing – Paul Beasley
12. Global impact and international studies – Tim Doupnik
13. How to advertise – need help with building the pool, recruiting and hiring minority
   faculty and professional staff – ???
14. Growing our own – Johnnie McFadden
15. Chief Diversity Officer
   - Range of power to effect change
   - Influence
   - Armed with case studies