Regarding financial aid, Mrs. Bates reported that the amount offered in financial aid should

Committee members were provided with a draft of President Strategic Action Agenda, entitled *Academic Community*. The President asked for feedback on the draft. The following comments were noted:

The document talks about campus climate but not what will be done. The agenda items will be critical and - from the campus community, particularly students; Good quotes from the first-year selected reading, *The Other Wes Moore*; Emphasis on community is appreciated;

Provide venues for the document to be discussed, including opportunities to speak with the President personally about his thinking; Suggestions include an SGA senate meeting early in the semester, faculty meeting "com" and opportunities for faculty and students to discuss it together.

Regarding the suggestions noted above, Dean Calhoun announced two gatherings on campus which she and her colleagues will pilot this semester:

A monthly breakfast co-hosted by SGA, Student Life, and Academic Affairs; An offering of free weekly coffee in the Spa at a set time for additional informal conversations.

Dean Calhoun also noted discussions taking place to possibly reinstitute an event similar to the regarding such an event and will bring a proposal to IPPC at a later date.

Following comments on the draft preface, President Glotzbach noted that he will be re-working parts of the document to have a clearer vision and a more inspirational message. He will provide the committee with a revised draft for further review at the September 6 meeting.

*Please notify the President's Office of any changes to these minutes.*