

**Arkansas Political Science Association (ArkPSA)**  
**Executive Board Meeting Minutes**  
**Little Rock, Arkansas**  
**Friday, March 4, 2011**

1. Meeting was called to order at 11:30am. Members of the Executive Board present - Kim Hoffman, John Passe-Smith, Joe Giammo, Mark Mullenbach, Donald Gooch, Michael Rogers, William McLean, Andrew Bagley, and Janine Parry.

2. Motions to adopt the Agenda for the current meeting and the Minutes from the previous meeting were unanimously approved.

3. Michael Rogers gave the President's report. The following nominations were submitted for officers and at-large seats on the Executive Board:

**William McLean** (ASU) – President (2011-2012)

**Joe Giammo** (UALR) – Vice-President (2011-2012)

**Mark Mullenbach** (UCA) – Secretary/Treasurer (2011-2012)

**John Passe-Smith** (UCA) – Editor of the *MPSR*

**Kevin Brennan** (OBU) - At-Large seat on the Executive Board for a one-year term (2011-2012).

**Steven Breezeel** (Harding University) and **Natasha Washington** (NWACC) for At-Large seats on the Executive Board for two-year terms (2011-2013).

The submitted nominations were unanimously approved.

4. The Board unanimously approved the proposal of Kim Hoffman (UCA) to host and serve as Program Chair (and member of the Executive Board) for the 2012 ArkPSA Conference. The Board discussed possible upcoming conferences in 2013 (OBU) and 2014 (Harding University).

5. Mark Mullenbach gave the Secretary/Treasurer's report, including the financial report for 2010. He also discussed the status of the association's application for tax exempt status with the IRS.

6. Joe Giammo gave the Program Chair's report.

7. John Passe-Smith gave a report of the association's journal, *MPSR*.

8. The Executive discussed and unanimously approved a "Conflict of Interest" Policy for the ArkPSA.

9. The Executive Board adjourned at 12:45pm.