NWFSC Foundation Development Committee Alumni Working Group February 27, 2018, 8:00 a.m. Arpke Room (315), SSC, Niceville Campus

Members Present:

Chad Hamilton Tom Rice
Michelle McGee Ken Wampler
Venita Morell Steve Wills

Staff Present:

Jason Masters Annie Young

Carla Reinlie

Absent:

Serena Brown, Bethany Burke, Paige Floyd-Hart, Cristie Kedroski, Alan Wood

Call to Order:

Mr. Hamilton called the meeting to order at 8:03 a.m.

2018 Alumni Awards:

Mr. Hamilton presented a packet of all the nominations to the committee. Ms. Reinlie went over the 4 award category definitions and touched upon the requirements necessary for a nominee to qualify for the awards. She also noted that the committee is not pressured to choose a nominee if none of them are deemed to be worthy and then presented a document of past LeRoy Collins awardees to give as examples. After outlining the ground rules for the selection process, they discussed the nominees. The committee came to agreement with the winner of the Against the Odds Category being Sean Dietrich, the winner of the Distinguished Alumni category being Jeffrey "Mark" Glass, the winner of the Hometown Hero category being Lowell C. Larson and the winners of the Rising Star category being Ryan Bullard and Nakara Niala Beliveau. Ms. Reinlie noted that the state-wide Leroy Collins award is scheduled to take place in one year, and that sometime next year the alumni working group will decide whether or not to submit any of the alumni award winners of the past two years for consideration.

Other Business:

Ms. Reinlie gave a brief update on the current fundraising efforts for the Raider Practice Facility.

Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:47 a.m.

Carla Reinlie, Associate Director

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