Faculty Benefits Committee Report University Council October 4, 2006

This committee met on August 31st and September 22nd.

We are currently working on several issues:

- 1. ORP draft resolution
- 2. Sabbaticals/Research leave: The committee is still gathering information about sabbatical/research leave programs around the country and within UGA. We hope to develop a proposal to implement a university-wide program.
- 3. Child Care: We are still studying the option of expanding on-campus child care for UGA employees. The subcommittee will look at other universities and their child care services.
- 4. Stop-the-tenure-clock policy: We have joined forces with the Faculty Affairs committee to develop an appeals process for faculty who request to stop the clock due to a "family medical leave" event.
- 5. Gender equity: The Committee will monitor the annual study on gender equity.