



Epsilon Sigma Phi- Alpha Sigma Wisconsin Chapter 2009-2010 Resource Development and Management Committee Report

Respectfully Submitted by Thomas Parslow, 2009-10 Committee Chair

Members and Terms:

Peg Reedy, Tom Parslow, Mike Perkl (terms end 2010)

Keith Vander Velde, Ellen Fitzsimmons, Gloria Green (terms end 2011)

Don Last, Annie Jones, Gloria Fauerbach (Terms end 2012)

Paul Roback (Board Liaison)



Endowment Fund:

Like many personal investments the ESP Endowment Funds declined these last two fiscal years. On October 1, 2009 our investments at UW Foundation and UW Trust was \$404,954. This compares to \$425,920 on October 1, 2008 and \$499,935 on October 1, 2007. Our investment began to turn around last year reversing the downward trend. However, earnings have stayed relatively stable over the last few years. This past year the earnings totaled \$20,800 for funding grants to Extension Professionals. This is down about \$2,000 from last year.

This year we will exhaust the funds invested through UW-Trust. Future grants will come from UW Foundation investment earnings.

Committee Accomplishments:

1. Revamped and updated ESP Professional Development Fund website
2. Developed a more informational website
3. Developed new brochure
4. Recognized major contributors at 2009 ESP Banquet
5. Updated the ESP "Evergreens" at Pyle Center