University of Maine Surveying Engineering Technology Industrial Advisory Committee Meeting 100 AMC Friday, April 9, 2010

Meeting Convened at approximately 3:45 PM EDT Meeting Adjourned at approximately 5:10 PM EDT

IAC Members Present

David Brandt
Carlton Brown
David Cook
Knud Hermansen

Ray Hintz Claire Kiedrowski Scott McDonald Joe McNichols Louis Morin Shep Sheppard R. Michael White

The Surveying Engineering Technology Industrial Advisory Committee (IAC) convened its meeting in 100 AMC following the Spring awards ceremony and a presentation by Director Scott Dunning and Dean Dana Humphrey on proposed budget cuts.

Discussion at the SVT IAC meeting began on the proposed budget cuts to the College of Engineering. The loss of six faculty positions are projected for the School of Engineering Technology. One faculty position may be lost in SVT.

Ray will send a letter to alumni and friends of SVT with some bullets of interest. Alumni and friends of SVT will be encouraged to write to the President of the University of Maine with information supporting the SVT program. IAC members had considerable discussion regarding the critical information to communicate and who to contact.

The remainder of the meeting focused on the state of equipment and the need for a laser scanner and robotic total station.

Respectfully submitted,

Knud E. Hermansen