Reading Meeting

Date: February 12, 2016

Subject: Reading Community of Practice

Present: Melanie LeMaster, Wanda Day, Karen Maguire

The topics discussed were:

* Gen Ed adjustments to course objectives:

Karen completed our submission of the worksheet input for Section IV of the REA 0019 Syllabus. We used both communication skills and critical thinking skills. We agreed that it was ready for submission to our associate dean, and will be submitting that shortly.

* Reading in the Content Areas: Business

The group discussed putting together a course mainly dedicated to reading comprehension in the area of business and business vocabulary as we discussed a year ago. It is agreed that this is a work in progress, and we are continuing to look at resources. McGraw Hill has several new developmental reading books that focus on contextualized learning. We will be looking at those and other sources as we continue to build this course.

* Summer Schedule:

We discussed the reading summer classes.

* Reading Community of Practice meetings:

March’s meeting is during Spring Break Week, so we won’t meet.

April’s meeting will be Apr 8 at noon at a place TBD.