Dr Kim Barrett, technically the Past Chair of the Health Sciences Faculty Council (HSFC) called the meeting to order at 5:04 pm. Dr Barrett stated she will be handing the Chairmanship of the Council over to Dr Patrick Lyden, technically the Vice Char and Chair Elect of HSFC, effective January 1, 2007. This change is the result of Dr David Hoyt’s move from UCSD to UCI during his year as Vice Chair of the Council. Please click this link to see Dr Barrett’s PowerPoint presentation of Chair’s Announcements and Agenda of the meeting: Chair_Announce_OCT_12_06.

Dr Gabriel Haddad, Chair of UCSD Department of Pediatrics and Physician-in-Chief of the Rady Children’s Hospital of San Diego, provided his overview on “Pediatrics at UCSD and Rady Children’s in 2006 and beyond”. Please click this link to see Dr Haddad’s PowerPoint presentation: haddad.faculty.council.101206final.

Dr Rick Lieber, Chair of the UC/VA Interface Commission, presented a PowerPoint titled “The Cost of Your Retirement”. To view this presentation, please click this link: 415m Presentation to Faculty 10-12-06. There were many questions and comments about Dr Lieber’s presentation from the faculty members present and Dr Barrett suggested the discussion continue over the wine and refreshments in the lobby.

The meeting was adjourned at 6:25 pm.