Resolution for Faculty Senate Meeting of September 3, 2002
Submitted by Bame and Read, Senators of the School of Biological Sciences

"Discussions between the Chancellor and Provost and the faculty of the School of Biological Sciences (SBS) to clarify the charges entailed in Provost Ballard’s letter of May 24 and the Chancellor’s email to the whole of UMKC (June 17), have not been fruitful, since, as the Chancellor has stated, the positions of the UMKC administration and the SBS faculty are as far apart as the "Grand Canyon". In order to move forward, a mediated meeting between the Chancellor and Provost and the SBS faculty should be arranged. Members of the UM central administration, the AAUP, and possibly, distinguished scientists from outside Missouri (as deemed suitable to both parties) should mediate the meeting."