Florida Two Year College Mathematics Association Summary of Business/Articulation Meeting March 1, 2002

The Florida Two Year College Mathematics Association (FTYCMA) held its annual meeting at Santa Fe Community College in conjunction with the Florida Section of the Mathematical Association of America.

Mike Mears, President of FTYCMA, chaired the business/articulation session.

The following represents a summary of that meeting.

- 1. FTYCMA Teaching Excellence Award This award is given by the organization on evennumbered years. Two recipients were selected this year: Martha Goshaw of SCC, and Gil French of MCC. Mike presented Martha a plaque and a check for \$100 (to help defray travel expenses to the conference).
- 2. FTYCMA Goals for 2000-2002. Mike reviewed the goals set two years earlier (these have been on the FTYCMA website) and gave a report that showed the majority of the goals have been achieved.
- 3. Math Olympics Scott Hochwald of UNF told the members how much the support of FTYCMA has been appreciated. The organization has voted to send \$600 each year to support this event, which is being held April 6th this year.
- 4. Election of Officers for 2002-2004. Cliff Morris, who will become President of FTYCMA immediately following the meeting, submitted the following slate of officers for 2002-2004:

President: Cliff Morris

President-elect: Martha Goshaw

Vice-President for Programs: Debbie Garrison

Secretary: Nancy Johnson Treasurer: Norma Agras Newsletter Editor: (Open)

The membership confirmed this list unanimously, and Cliff will work to fill the Newsletter Editor

position.

5. AMATYC Updates - Rob Kimball, the Southeast Vice President of AMATYC, brought greetings from AMATYC, as well as providing updates on a number of topics. These included: The National Conference in Phoenix November 14-17; Summer Institutes (on the AMATYC website); Student Math League; 2 NSF Grants (Technical Math and Teacher Preparation); Crossroads Revision project. Rob has created a distribution list of AMATYC members in the region as a means to help keep everyone well versed on the issues occurring at the national level.

6. Other Issues - Several miscellaneous issues were discussed, including: FCAT versus CPT and the differences between the tests; having FTYCMA offer stand-alone meetings; College Algebra requirement for future teachers.

Respectfully submitted,

Mike Mears