Advocacy Committee Meeting Report
October 6, 2009

**Staff Tours:** The first staff tour of the year went well, despite the late announcement send out on the staff list-serve. The proposed calendar for the year is as follows:

- **September:** UAF Walking Tour (Sept 15th and 17th)
- **October:** LARS
- **November:** Cold Climate Research Center
- **December:** Museum
- **January:** Discovery Lab
- **February:** SRC & Patty Center
- **March:** Hutchison Career Center
- **April:** Tanana Valley Campus
- **May:** Greenhouses (as part of Staff Appreciation Day?)

Back-up or summer plans would include the professional kitchens and library at CES. Transportation for most of these will be an issue. We will ask for shuttles from Transportation Services.

**Staff Appreciation Day** is May 19, 2010. We will start discussing plans and activities after the October 19th follow-up with the Chancellor.

The committee would like to research the **activities from previous years**. Most of the committee is new to Staff Council or to Advocacy. Nichole will help by looking at past reports.

**Regular meeting times** have been set. We will meet the first Thursday of every month at 9am with the exception of November. Our next meeting will be October 29th at 9am in the Kayak Room.