

FACULTY AGENDA ITEM

Date: April 13, 2020

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SUBJECT: Faculty Senate Summer 2020 Transition

Description:

FS Constitution Section III B states that elections will occur in April of each year. Section IV A states that the FS will meet within two weeks of elections. Elections of new officers occurs at that meeting. The Faculty Senate Executive Committee elected at the May 4, 2020 meeting will commence service as mandated by the Constitution. Given the extraordinary circumstances caused by Covid-19, the out-going 2019-2020 Faculty Senate Executive Committee may continue to serve in an advisory capacity until the official first day of class of the fall 2020 semester.

Rationale: The remarkable extenuating circumstances created by Covid-19 require continuity in faculty leadership in summer 2020.

Financial Implications: None.

Proposed Effective Date: May 4, 2020

Request for Action: *Approval by AAC / FAC /FS / Gen Fac, etc*

Approved by: AAC on 4/13/2020
FAC on date
Faculty Senate on date **4/20/2020**

Attachments Yes No