University of Alaska Fairbanks
Staff Council
Motion 2015-261-3
Approved

UAF Staff Council unanimously approved the following motion at Staff Council Meeting #261, on May 4, 2015. The motion was approved by roll-call vote with representatives voting as follows:

For:
Mercedes Anderson
Jesse Atencio
Jeff Baxter
Chris Brooks
Nate Bauer
Susie Carson
Aly Englert
Stacey Howdeshell
Melody Hughes
Connie Huizenga
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Jessica MacCallum
Brandi Marrero
Jenell Merrifield
Sue Mitchell
Chad Oleson
Samara Taber
Lesli Walls
Jami Warrick

Motion 2015-261-3:
Motion to Amend UAF Staff Council Bylaws 'Section 3. Membership'

MOTION

UAF Staff Council moves to amend its Bylaws, 'Section 3. Membership,' as indicated below.

EFFECTIVE: Immediately

RATIONALE: Language in 'Section 3,' for is amended for clarity, consistency, and correctness.

The title of ‘Section 3,’ is changed to clarify the section’s main topic. A bylaw citation in Article A., Subsection V., is corrected. Language in Article A., Subsection VII., is updated to reflect prior change to 'At-Large Representatives.' Language in Article D. Subsection I., regarding term limits, is clarified. Finally, a reference to the Staff Council 'Administrative Committee' is changed to 'Executive Board' to reflect current committee structure.

Chris Bekis, President, UAF Staff Council
5/14/15
Section 3. [[Membership]] STAFF COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP

A. Representation

V. A petition to change unit designations, including adding or dropping units, shall:

b. Include language that addresses each of the criteria that define a unit, as set forth in Section [[2]] 3, Article A, Subsection II of the University of Alaska Fairbanks Staff Council Bylaws.

VII. There shall be five At-Large Representative seats on Staff Council. There is no unit or geographical designation to these five At-Large members; however, no one unit may occupy more than two At-Large seats during any term [[(this will be effective for the 2015 term)]]. At-Large Representatives shall be elected by all eligible voting members.

D. Length of Terms

I. Elected and At-Large Representatives shall serve two-year terms beginning January 1 and ending December 31.

a. [[[There are no term limits for Representative or At-Large seats.]] THERE IS NO LIMIT TO THE NUMBER OF TERMS A REPRESENTATIVE MAY SERVE.]

F. Special Appointments

IV. Will report to the President, and Staff Council [[Administrative Committee]] EXECUTIVE BOARD; and