The UAF Faculty Senate passed the following at Meeting #172 on February 7, 2011:

MOTION:

The UAF Faculty Senate moves to amend Section 3 (Article V: Committees, Permanent) of the Faculty Senate Bylaws by adding the Research Advisory Committee.

EFFECTIVE:

Immediately.

RATIONALE: UAF is a nationally ranked research university, and its faculty should have a voice in setting research policy and a vehicle to guide administrators in the needs of the research enterprise. The committee will serve as a conduit of communication both for faculty at large to address issues and needs as well as a sounding board for administration to get a response from faculty on research matters. The committee can also work with and advise other senate committees with regard to research.

President, UAF Faculty Senate

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Sect. 3 (ART V: Committees)

PERMANENT

8. THE RESEARCH ADVISORY COMMITTEE CONSISTS OF UP TO TEN VOTING MEMBERS, A CHAIR AND CO-CHAIR, ALONG WITH AT LEAST ONE EX OFFICIO MEMBER WHO IS THE VICE CHANCELLOR FOR RESEARCH. THE COMMITTEE EXISTS TO REVIEW ISSUES OF RESEARCHERS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA FAIRBANKS AND TO PROVIDE REPORTS, RECOMMENDATIONS, AND RESOLUTIONS TO THE UAF FACULTY SENATE ON BEHALF OF THE UAF RESEARCH COMMUNITY. THE RESEARCH ADVISORY COMMITTEE WILL PROVIDE A CONNECTION BETWEEN THE FACULTY AND THE UAF VICE CHANCELLOR FOR RESEARCH, AND ADVISE THE VCR ON DEVELOPING PRODUCTIVE RELATIONSHIPS WITH THE DIFFERENT RESEARCH FACILITIES ACROSS UAF.