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The UAF Staff Council passed the following motion at Staff Council meeting #198, Tuesday, 12 May 2009.

MOTION (passed unanimously):

The UAF Staff Council moves to authorize the Administrative Committee to act on behalf of the Council on all matters within its purview, which may arise until the Council resumes deliberations in the fall of 2009. Representatives and Alternates will be kept informed of Administrative Committee meetings and will be encouraged to attend and participate in these meetings. The Administrative Committee reserves the right to convene emergency meetings of the entire UAF Staff Council during this period for action on issues it considers are more appropriately resolved by the entire body.

EFFECTIVE: Immediately upon Staff Council approval.

RATIONALE: The business of shared governance at UAF is not limited to an academic calendar, but rather is a year-round activity. The need to represent staff and be responsive to requests for staff input are as important during the summer months as they are during the academic year. In addition, a majority of the UAF Staff Council committees plan to conduct business from June to September 2009 and thus there is a need to support those activities and relay information to UAF staff at large.

Staff Council President

Date

5/12/09