

The following motion was passed at Faculty Senate meeting #226 on October 9, 2017

MOTION:

The UAF Faculty Senate moves to amend Faculty Senate Constitution and Bylaws.

Effective: Immediately

Rationale: Replacement of Senate Alternates is not defined in the case that an elected alternate cannot represent the unit for the duration of the elected term.

[[]] = Deletions **Bold = Additions**

UAF Faculty Senate Bylaws, Sect. 1 (ART III: Membership)

D. Vacancies

- 1. In the case of death, resignation, transfer, or other reason why an elected representative can no longer represent the unit, an alternate shall immediately become the representative. The president of the Senate will appoint a replacement from among the unit's elected alternates, with the concurrence of the affected constituency and the consent of the Administrative Committee.
- 2. If no alternate is available to replace the departing senator, the affected unit may hold a special election to replace that senator. This special election must be held within 30 days of the last day the departing senator served. All policies and procedures governing regular senate elections apply to these special elections.
- 3. In the case of death, resignation, transfer, or other reason why an elected alternate can no longer represent the unit, the affected unit may replace that alternate by holding a special election. This special election must be held within 30 days of the last day the departing alternate served. All policies and procedures governing regular senate elections apply to these special elections.

President, UAF Faculty Senate