

Plenary Session

April 15, 2020 Zoom 3:00 pm

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Present:

- Alex Beebe
- Alison Henry
- Amanda Donaldson
- Ananthasekar Ponnambalam
- Beth Rugan Shepard
- Brenda Woodmansee
- Bret Webb
- Bob Sweeney
- Cathy Cooper
- Charlene Myers
- Charles Harmon
- Chimene Gecewicz
- Christina Lindeman
- Christopher Raczkowski
- Colleen Lynch
- David Turnipseed
- David Weber
- Dawn McKinney
- Delwar Hossain
- Diane Gibbs
- Donna Copeland
- Drew Lewis
- Edmund Spencer
- Elizabeth VandeWaa
- Ellen Broach
- Ellen Madden
- Jamie Adams
- Jason Rinehart
- Jeanette Manders
- John Cleary
- Jonathan Powell

if the FS President could be a permanent member, since there is an expectation of shared governance between faculty and administration.

- Committee Reports

- Evaluation (Nick Gossett) The Faculty Survey will be available in the next several weeks. Every faculty member will get the same survey, but it will be done by college. All faculty are included: fulltime, part-time, adjunct. The committee next term will take the results. The survey should be open 3-4 weeks. The 1 the Daily Digest but will come straight to your email.

- Academic and Mentoring For the past 2 years has worked with the Provost for a mentoring program for new faculty. The program has 2 mentors.

- Student Perceptions of Instruction

- Guest: Dr. Angela Coleman, Asso VP of Institutional Effectiveness and Accreditation

McCready:

- Faculty need to emphasize that there are technology gaps that are exacerbating inequalities in our students.

McCready asked for a motion be made to accept the changes: MMSA, so the motion carried. She said the document would remain in Google Docs for making comments, but not editing. McCready then thanked everyone for their work during the year: caucus leaders, ExComm, in particular. She felt the Senate accomplished much this year in terms of shared governance and transparency.

- Election of Officers, Committee Chairs

Cleary proposed a slate of officers. He encouraged nominations from the floor. None were made. McCready asked for a motion to a MMSA. The Slate passed.