

PROPOSED REVISIONS with TRACK CHANGES

P05.10.080. Tuition and Fee Waivers.

- A. The president or designee may waive tuition or student fees when such action is determined by the president to be in the best interest of the university.
- B. Regular tuition shall be waived for Alaska residents who are otherwise age eligible to receive full social security retirement benefits, who register on a space available basis; that is, when courses can accommodate such students in addition to other enrolled students. Individuals who were eligible for senior citizen tuition waivers on September 21, 2005 under the previous regents' policy shall continue to be eligible for the waiver.
- C. Consistent with AS 14.43.085 and as provided herein, undergraduate ~~Regular~~ tuition and fees for for-credit courses, mandatory student fees (see D.2., below), ~~and, nonresident tuition surcharges, and for credit course fees~~ will be waived for an eligible ~~dependent~~ child ~~under age 24~~ or spouse of ~~a peace officer, fire fighter, or member of the armed services as described in AS 14.43.085 who was killed or died of injuries sustained in the line of duty, or is listed as missing in action or a prisoner of war. The deceased or missing person, at the time of the injury or incident, must have been an Alaska resident and:~~
 - 1. a member of the Alaska National Guard, Alaska Naval Militia, or the armed services of the United States ~~who died in the line of duty or who died as a result of injuries sustained while in the line of duty or who was listed by the United States Department of Defense as a prisoner of war or missing in action. The member must either: reside in this state for at least one year prior to service and list this state as the "home of record" for purposes of military records; or have been a legal resident of this state for one year at the time of death or listing as missing or prisoner of war; or~~
 - 2. ~~a firefighter~~ employed by a federal, state, or municipal fire department ~~located in this state~~, or performing duties for a regularly organized volunteer fire department registered with the state fire marshal, ~~who died from an act arising out of and in the course of employment or duties as a volunteer firefighter; or~~
 - 3. a state trooper, municipal police officer, village ~~or regional~~ public safety officer, U.S. marshal or deputy marshal, corrections officer, or ~~other~~ officer whose duty is to enforce and preserve public peace ~~in this state, who died from an act arising out of and in the course of employment.~~
- D. ~~A To be eligible, a recipient under C. of this section must have been a spouse, natural or adopted child, stepchild, acknowledged illegitimate child, or dependent child under "loco parentis" for at least three years of the subject party or the~~

~~deceased at the time of death. The recipient must also be and remain in good academic, financial aid, and student code of conduct standing in accordance with institutional standards of the campus attended.:~~

1. establish eligibility for the waiver prior to tuition payment deadlines.
Waivers do not cover tuition or fees for non-credit courses, fees that are voluntarily incurred by the student (e.g., fines, late fees, housing, parking, insurance), fees imposed by student government, or fees unrelated to student status.
2. be enrolled as a student in good academic, financial aid, and student code of conduct standing in accordance with institutional standards of the campus attended; and
3. have been the spouse or financially interdependent partner of the officer or member of a fire department or the armed services at the time of the officer or member's death or listing as a prisoner of war or listing as missing in action; or
4. have been a dependent child at the time of the officer or member's death or listing as a prisoner of war or listing as missing in action. For purpose of this provision, "child" includes a natural or adopted child, stepchild, acknowledged illegitimate child, or child to whom the officer or member stood "in loco parentis" for at least three years before the officer or member's death or listing as a prisoner of war or listing as missing in action.

PROPOSED FINAL LANGUAGE

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- B. Regular tuition shall be waived for Alaska residents who are otherwise age eligible to receive full social security retirement benefits, who register on a space available basis; that is, when courses can accommodate such students in addition to other enrolled students. Individuals who were eligible for senior citizen tuition waivers on September 21, 2005 under the previous regents' policy shall continue to be eligible for the waiver.
- C. Consistent with AS 14.43.085 and as provided herein, undergraduate tuition and fees for for-credit courses, mandatory student fees (see D.1., below), and nonresident tuition surcharges will be waived for an eligible child or spouse of:

1. a member of the Alaska National Guard, Alaska Naval Militia, or the armed services of the United States who died in the line of duty or who died as a result of injuries sustained while in the line of duty or who was listed by the United States Department of Defense as a prisoner of war or missing in action. The member must either: reside in this state for at least one year prior to service and list this state as the “home of record” for purposes of military records; or have been a legal resident of this state for one year at the time of death or listing as missing or prisoner of war; or
2. a firefighter employed by a federal, state, or municipal fire department located in this state, or performing duties for a regularly organized volunteer fire department registered with the state fire marshal, who died from an act arising out of and in the course of employment or duties as a volunteer firefighter; or
3. a state trooper, municipal police officer, village or regional public safety officer, U.S. marshal or deputy marshal, corrections officer, or other officer whose duty is to enforce and preserve public peace in this state, who died from an act arising out of and in the course of employment.

D. To be eligible, a recipient under C. of this section must:

1. establish eligibility for the waiver prior to tuition payment deadlines. *Waivers do not cover tuition or fees for non-credit courses, fees that are voluntarily incurred by the student (e.g., fines, late fees, housing, parking, insurance), fees imposed by student government, or fees unrelated to student status;*
2. be enrolled as a student in good academic, financial aid, and student code of conduct standing in accordance with institutional standards of the campus attended; and
3. have been the spouse or financially interdependent partner of the officer or member of a fire department or the armed services at the time of the officer or member’s death or listing as a prisoner of war or listing as missing in action; or
4. have been a dependent child at the time of the officer or member’s death or listing as a prisoner of war or listing as missing in action. For purposes of this provision, “child” includes a natural or adopted child, stepchild, acknowledged illegitimate child, or child to whom the officer or member stood “in loco parentis” for at least three years before the officer or member’s death or listing as a prisoner of war or listing as missing in action.