

Approval of Revisions to Regents' Policy 10.02.040

CURRENT LANGUAGE WITH TRACK CHANGES for PROPOSED LANGUAGE CHANGES

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- B. Campuses, schools, colleges, and designated research institutes and academic units with systemwide responsibilities may not be created or eliminated without board approval. Academic units at lower levels, **if they employ or are intended to employ tenured or tenure track faculty, or if they deliver or are intended to deliver certificate or degree programs, such as part of a college, school, or research institute, or centers,** may be created or eliminated by the president at the request of a chancellor with notification to the board, or at the discretion of the president, by the board. The president will determine when a revision to an academic unit is sufficiently major to require approval by the board. Elimination or major revision of a unit at any level, **if the unit employs tenured or tenure track faculty or delivers degree or certificate programs,** will require a program review as specified in P10.06.010 and university regulation. **[The existing policy is too cumbersome; research units, in particular, have been created and eliminated mainly due to federal funding decisions.]**
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UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA ANCHORAGE

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**~~Kachemak Bay Branch~~**

Kodiak College

Matanuska-Susitna College

Prince William Sound Community College

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Alaska State Climate Center (AS 14.10.085)

College of Business and Public Policy  
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College of Health  
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School of Nursing  
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School of Social Work  
WWAMI School of Medical Education

College of Education

School of Engineering

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~~Chugiak/Eagle River Campus~~  
~~University Center Campus~~  
University Honors College

UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA FAIRBANKS

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Cooperative Extension Service

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School of Fisheries and Ocean Sciences  
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~~Kodiak Center for Seafood and Marine Science~~  
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Geophysical Institute  
Alaska Earthquake Information Center (AS 14.40.075)  
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UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA SOUTHEAST

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