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Date: January 1, 2017
To: James Johnsen
President, University of Alaska
From: Lisa Hoferkamp
Chair, University of Alaska Faculty Alliance
Subject: Faculty representation on SW councils

On November 17, 2017 the Faculty Alliance (FA) sent a letter to you providing the names of faculty representatives to several statewide councils. On December 18, 2017 I sent an email to those faculty asking if they have since received confirmation of their appointment to the relative councils. Response to that December inquiry was negative in all cases. It was my understanding that your office would contact the faculty in question with notification of appointment on a schedule that would allow those faculty to discuss with their deans, any needed modifications to their spring 2018 workload. If I have misunderstood that process, please accept my apology and provide me with the correct procedure so that I can share that with the affected faculty. If, on the other hand, the appointment notifications are scheduled for the near future, could you please share that timeline with me?

Respectfully,

Lisa Hoferkamp
Chair, Faculty Alliance