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Faculty Alliance

Resolution 2020-04

Resolution in support of the Recommendation of the UA Restructuring Committee for the Arts, Humanities, and Natural and Social Sciences

Whereas, the Academic Structure Change Management Working Group for the Arts, Humanities, and Natural and Social Sciences of the University of Alaska met to discuss elements of any potential reorganization of the University of Alaska system; and

Whereas, the members of the group are subject matter experts and widely respected in their field; and

Whereas, the members of the group represent faculty, administrators, and staff from the three separately accredited universities; and

Whereas, many members of the team came together outside the scheduled meetings and worked collaboratively to ensure quality input to the decision makers; and

Whereas, the team produced a high quality summary resulting from a thoughtful analysis of elements specific to any path forward for the University of Alaska system.

Now therefore, be it resolved that the University of Alaska Faculty Alliance:

1. Commends the Academic Structure Change Management Working Group for the Arts, Humanities, and Natural and Social Sciences of the University of Alaska for their efforts above and beyond the charge for members of the team; and
2. Endorses the consensus Recommendation of the UA Restructuring Committee for the Arts, Humanities, and Natural and Social Sciences produced by the team as a model for consideration of how best to meet the mission of the University of Alaska system.

Adopted by a vote of 6 in favor, 2 abstaining, and 1 absent by the Faculty Alliance on the 20th day of September 2019.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Maria Williams".

Maria Williams, Chair