Faculty Alliance

Resolution 2020-05

Resolution in support of UNAC’s request for detailed budget analysis and to follow University specific program review procedures

Whereas, the UA Faculty Alliance has addressed the need for having access to a cost benefit analysis of a single accredited university; and

Whereas, each separately accredited university has specific program review criteria and procedures that should be adhered to; and

Whereas, the voices of the faculty, staff and students are vital to providing direction to the president and UA Board of Regents, yet are not getting the detailed expenditure information on Statewide, and the three universities as the president is moving towards a consolidated restructure and single accredited model; and

Whereas, without having financial and structural data, it is impossible to make responsible decisions on restructure of the University system and the three universities.

Now therefore, be it resolved that the UA Faculty Alliance:

1. Supports the August 28, 2019, UNAC Executive Board recommendation for detailed budgetary information on the new proposed structure(s) of the university, i.e. cost-benefit analysis; and

2. Requests that the university specific program review protocols and procedures are followed to avoid violating accreditation guidelines.

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

Maria Williams, Chair