

MEMORANDUM

December 17, 2013

From: Edward Volchok, Chair of the Committee on Committees

To: The Steering Committee of the Academic Senate - Dr. Philip Pecorino, Dr. Emily Tai, and Dr. Joel Kuszai

Resolution to Expand the Number of Members on Senate Committees

I am sending this note to express my support for the Steering Committee's resolution to increase the number of members on standing committees of the Academic Senate.

I support this resolution for the following reasons:

1. **Increasing Committee Membership:** The demand for seats on standing committees of the Academic Senate outstrips supply. Passing this resolution will provide faculty and instructional staff more opportunities for service to our college.
2. **Term Rotation:** The second part of this resolution will provide continuity on the standing committees by having one-third of the committee members' terms expire each year.



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