

March 30, 2023

TO: Faculty Senate Steering Committee
FROM: Matt Hudelson, Executive Secretary
RE: Proposed Amendment to Faculty Senate Constitution, Article II Section 4:
Apportionment (Paragraphs 3 and 4)

The following amendment is proposed for the Faculty Senate Constitution, Article II Section 4: Apportionment (Paragraphs 3 and 4) as follows, with the intention to put tenure track and career track representation for non-Pullman campuses on equal footing. Also, the apportionment formulas are simplified, resulting in representation directly proportional to the number of faculty in each track above the guaranteed one seat for each track on each campus.

Red-Line Version

Four tenure track seats in the Faculty Senate are designated for representation by the faculty from each of the campuses of Everett, Vancouver, Tri-Cities, and Spokane; **one seat is allotted to each campus**. Additional tenure track representation for **the each** non-Pullman campuses shall be determined by the following formula: ~~¶~~The number of eligible faculty (tenure track) divided by 50, with fractional positions at 0.5 and above rounded up to the next highest integer, and below 0.5 rounded down to the next lowest integer.

Four career track seats in the Faculty Senate are designated for representation by the faculty from each of the campuses of Everett, Vancouver, Tri-Cities, and Spokane; one seat is allotted to each campus. Additional career track representation (~~Section 5, Part D~~) for **the each** non-Pullman campuses shall be determined by the following formula: ~~¶~~The number of eligible faculty (career track, Section 5, Part D) divided by 50, with fractional positions at 0.5 and above rounded up to the next highest integer, and below 0.5 rounded down to the next lowest integer.

Clean Version

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Respectfully submitted,



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