Faculty Senate

August 13, 2021
Meeting Minutes
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ABSENT: Jessica Doll, Bong Jeong, Nilo Ramos, Menassie Ephrem, Clint Fuchs, Michael Murphy

NEW BUSINESS:

A. Faculty Senate Executive Committee

1. Motion to adopt a Resolution on Mask Mandates at Coastal Carolina University.

Faculty Senator Drew Kurlowski moved to substitute new text in the current resolution as a starting point for discussion. The motion passed by unanimous consent.

Faculty Senator Shari Orisich moved to add additional language to resolution 4: “until changes in CDC guidelines suggest it is no longer advisable” and “with the exception of private residence hall rooms, private workspaces, or while actively eating or drinking inside campus dining facilities”. Kurlowski seconded. The motion passed by unanimous consent.
Faculty Senator Arlise McKinney moved to have this amended resolution included on the General Faculty Meeting agenda for a general faculty vote. Kurlowski seconded. Faculty Senator Phillip Whalen objected to unanimous consent. After discussion, the motion passed (29 in favor, 22 not in favor).

Faculty Senator Kyle Holody moved to change the language in resolution 1: “Strongly supports the administration in defending” and “...students, staff, and faculty.” McKinney seconded. Faculty Senator Frederick Wood moved the previous question and the previous question moved by unanimous consent. The motion passed (29 in favor, 21 not in favor).

The final motion to adopt a Resolution on Mask Mandates at Coastal Carolina University passed (46 in favor, 5 not in favor).

With no further business, the meeting adjourned at 12:21 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Lydia Deeck, Faculty Senate Recorder

Approved by Brian Bunton, Faculty Senate Chair