

Faculty Senate Election Committee Report February 5, 2001

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The faculty senate election committee has been made aware that they are to run an election for the Faculty Regent position. Merita Thompson was filling Mary Fleming's position and therefore only had two years on the Board. Many of us had assumed that Dr. Thompson had another year. The election is now under time constraints and the time line proposed in the Faculty Senate Internal Procedures Manual is no longer appropriate. The election committee has proposed a new schedule which you will find below.

Timetable for the Faculty Regent Election

March 5	-	Nomination petitions due
March 8	-	*8:00 am check petitions to be sure signatures are by voting faculty
Week of March 19-	-	*Have forums either Mon. & Tues., Tues. & Wed., or Wed. & Thurs. depending on the candidates schedules
March 23	-	Ballots get mailed (earlier in week if forums are earlier)
April 6	-	Ballots returned
April 10	-	8:00-11:00 am ballots checked and counted
April 13	-	Second ballot goes out if necessary
April 27	-	Second ballot due back
May 1	-	*Second ballot checked and counted

A notice was sent out on Friday to all faculty asking for nominations for the Regent position. Nomination forms will be available at the February Faculty Senate meeting for anyone interested.