



EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY

Faculty Senate  
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December 2, 1982

Chancellor John Howell  
Spilman  
East Carolina University

Dear John:

Motions/resolutions approved by the Faculty Senate November 16, 1982, are presented for your consideration:

- 82-65 Degree changes and courses approved by the University Curriculum Committee October 14 and 28, 1982 - attached.
- 82-66 Resolution from the Faculty Welfare Committee - attached.
- 82-69 Resolution from the University Research Committee - attached.
- 82-70 Resolution concerning recording of drops. This resolution was forwarded to you November 18, and you responded on November 19, 1982. As you can see, we have now assigned it a number.

These motions/resolutions are presented for your information; they do not require approval:

- 82-63 Motion to change title of University Research Committee to Research/Creative Activity.
- 82-64 Motion to recommit charging of committee titles to Committee on Committees.
- 82-67 Phrase "Be it resolved" changed to "The Faculty Senate requests" in the Faculty Affairs resolution.
- 82-68 Motion to recommit proposed Faculty Affairs resolution to committee.
- 82-71 Motion instructing Credits Committee to consult with SGA Student Welfare Committee concerning issue of recording course drops.
- 82-72 Motion which reads: "Be it resolved that the Faculty Senate instruct the Faculty ~~Governance~~ <sup>Affairs</sup> Committee to study the possibility of removing the restriction on non-tenure track positions which limits their length of appointment to six years.



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I appreciate your consideration of these motions/resolutions. A copy of the minutes of the November 16, 1982, meeting is enclosed.

Sincerely yours,

*Caroline*

Caroline L. Ayers  
Chairperson of the Faculty

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Enclosures

cc: Vice Chancellor Robert Maier  
Vice Chancellor William Laupus  
Vice Chancellor C.G. Moore  
Vice Chancellor Elmer Meyer  
Acting Director Doug Moore



RESOLUTION OF FACULTY WELFARE COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, the Committee on University Governance of the Board of Governors of the University of North Carolina adopted on January 8, 1982, the following policy: "With respect to any employee elected or appointed to membership in the General Assembly, the full period of office-holding shall be deemed to be a 'public office requiring full-time services,' and the Committee accordingly will not approve a request for a leave of absence without pay of less than the full period of General Assembly membership (i.e., usually two years), as an alternative to the requirement that the employee resign from University employment;" and

WHEREAS, membership in the North Carolina General Assembly is a part-time position paying about \$7,000 per year; and

WHEREAS, the General Assembly traditionally is in session from January through July on odd numbered years and during June and July on even numbered years; and

WHEREAS, the North Carolina public school, community college, and technical institute teachers who serve in the General Assembly are required to take leaves of absence only during the periods for which the General Assembly is in session; and

WHEREAS, few if any faculty of the sixteen institutions of the University of North Carolina are sufficiently solvent to take a two-year leave without pay, the above policy of the Governance Committee effectively prevents the faculty members from exercising their privilege as citizens of North Carolina to stand for membership in the North Carolina General Assembly; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the East Carolina University Faculty Senate requests President Friday to urge the Governance Committee of the University of North Carolina Board of Governors to rescind the above policy of January 8, 1982, and that University of North Carolina faculty who serve in the General Assembly be required to take a leave of absence without pay only during the time that the General Assembly is in session.



RESOLUTION OF UNIVERSITY RESEARCH COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, the University Research Committee wishes to explore all possible mechanisms for obtaining funds for support of faculty research, and

WHEREAS, the University Research Committee members have established with personal contributions an account for faculty research with the East Carolina University Foundation (Account number 1018), and

WHEREAS, the University Research Committee by establishing this account wishes to stimulate the growth of these funds by support from foundations, corporations, and individuals;

THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Committee requests its parent body, the Faculty Senate, to authorize the Committee to develop guidelines for the use of this account in support of faculty research, creative activity and development. Said guidelines to be developed in consideration of objectives that will encourage the growth and support for this account.