

For Consideration at the April 23, 2013 Faculty Senate Executive Council

ARTICLE IV. Officers: Duties, Qualifications, and Resources.

Section 7. Tennessee University Faculty Senates Representative. The Faculty Senate President is the voting representative to the Tennessee University Faculty Senates (TUFS). There shall also be a representative of the campus faculties elected by the Faculty Senate Executive Council to serve a two-year term on the Tennessee University Faculty Senates. The representative's term of office begins on July 1 following his or her election. The representative will attend TUFS meetings and serve as a voting member for the campus if the Faculty Senate President is not able to attend a meeting. The TUFS representative will attend and report on activities of TUFS to the Faculty Senate Executive Council and the Faculty Senate as requested.

Bonnie Ownley will be serving as the TUFS President, but as a non-voting member. We will need to appoint someone for a two-year term as the TUFS representative from 2018-2020. We could initiate a call for nominations and fill the seat through an electronic vote by the Executive Council.

Section 8. COIA Representative. The Faculty Senate has two voting representatives to the Coalition on Intercollegiate Athletics (COIA), the Faculty Senate President and a second representative elected by the Faculty Senate Executive Council to serve a two-year term. The representative's term of office begins on July 1 following his or her election. The COIA representative will attend and report on activities of COIA to the Faculty Senate Executive Council and the Faculty Senate as requested.

Bonnie Ownley will be on the COIA Board. It would be appropriate to elect her for a two-year term as the second campus representative from 2018-2020.