Resolution 2011-1. On Amending the Faculty Code of University Government to Provide Voting Representation for Retired Faculty.

The General Faculty enacts that

§§ 1-4, 2-2, and 2-4 of the Faculty Code of University Government are amended as follows (deletions are crossed out, additions are underlined):

§ 1-4. Voting.

“(c) Retired faculty who do not fulfill the requirements of § 1-4(b) are eligible to vote in the elections for Faculty Council, as provided in §§ 2-2(i) and 2-4(d), but are otherwise not considered members of the voting faculty.”

§ 2-2. Members.

“(i) In addition to the electoral divisions established elsewhere in this article, there shall be a division for retired faculty which will elect two members of Faculty Council. These members shall not be considered in the apportionment described in § 2-2(g). Faculty are eligible for election to this division only if they satisfy the requirements for voting in that division, as stipulated in § 2-4(d).”

§ 2-4. Nomination and election.

“(c) Members representing the electoral divisions established in § 2-2(e) are chosen by members of the voting faculty whose primary appointments are in schools or departments assigned to that electoral division. Ballots containing the nominations are distributed to the appropriate division by the secretary of the faculty. Elections are determined by a plurality of the votes cast.

“(d) Retired faculty are eligible to vote pursuant to § 2-2(i) if they satisfy the following conditions:

1) they retired from the University on North Carolina at Chapel Hill as members of the voting faculty and do not currently fulfill the requirements of § 1-4(b); and

2) they are registered with the Office of Faculty Governance according to procedures set by the secretary of the faculty.

“(e) Ballots containing the nominations are distributed to the appropriate division by the secretary of the faculty. Elections are determined by a plurality of the votes cast. The secretary of the faculty decides tie votes by lot.”

In § 2-4, the current subsection (e) is re-lettered as (f).