

Senate Document SD 26-2
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MEMORANDUM

TO: Fort Wayne Senate

FROM: Faculty Affairs Committee

DATE: 9/14/2026

SUBJ: Filling Faculty Affairs Committee Vacancy

WHEREAS, The Bylaws of the Senate provide (I.B.3.2.2.) that “Committees shall have the power to fill vacancies for the remainder of an academic year, subject to Senate approval at its next regular meeting and to the guidelines established in this document (see subsections 3.1.1 and 4.1)”;

and
WHEREAS, The Bylaws of the Senate provide (III.B.1.2) that the Faculty Affairs Committee shall consist of “seven (7) members of the Teaching Faculty, elected in such manner that at least five of the major units shall be represented”;

and
WHEREAS, There is one vacancy on the Faculty Affairs Committee;

and
WHEREAS, Aileen Tierney is a faculty member from the School of Education;

and
WHEREAS, Aileen Tierney is not currently serving on more than two standing committees;

and
WHEREAS, The Faculty Affairs Committee has voted for Aileen Tierney as the replacement member for the remainder of the 2026-27 academic year;

BE IT RESOLVED, That the Senate approve Aileen Tierney as the replacement member of the Faculty Affairs Committee for the remainder of the 2026-27 academic year.