

Proposition: 13-20/21

Title: Revisions to the Faculty Senate Constitution

Date Submitted: January 25, 2021

Sponsor(s): Masters (DACC), Sharp-Hoskins (A&S)

Proposed Committee: TBD, but not the LRP

Assigned Committee:

Prior Approvals: None

Proposal Type (please check one):

- ☐ Memorial
- ☐ Proposition to change policy (please include ARP/RPM reference(s) from <https://arp.nmsu.edu/>)
- ☐ Proposition for curriculum addition/change (please include all curriculum change forms and signature pages as outlined here: <https://provost.nmsu.edu/forms/>)
- ☒ Other (please describe below)

This is an internal Senate matter. The proposed changes in the Faculty Senate Constitution will be sent to all faculty for a vote after it is approved by the Senate. A second proposition will detail proposed changes to the Faculty Senate Bylaws.

Proposal:

To implement the proposed revisions to the Faculty Senate Constitution as provided in the attached document.

Rationale:

The existing constitution did not include updated election process and meeting practices. While processes and practices will be more fully explicated in revised bylaws, the proposed changes to the constitutional lay the groundwork for such.