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Date: June 5, 2013
To: Peter Courtney, President, Oregon State Senate
Tina Kotek, Speaker, Oregon House of Representatives
From: DeAnna L. Timmermann, Eastern Oregon University Faculty Senate President
Re: EOU Senate Resolution

President Courtney and Speaker Kotek:

At our final Faculty Senate meeting yesterday, we unanimously passed the following resolution:

The Eastern Oregon University Faculty Senate strongly supports the right of faculty to serve as voting members on institutional governing boards. Allowing faculty members full voting rights on institutional governing boards is reflective of the long established practice of faculty serving on the Oregon State Board of Higher Education. A review of State Board proceedings indicates the indelible contribution faculty members such as Dalton Miller-Jones of Portland State and Rosemary Powers of Eastern Oregon have made to the learned consideration of a wide range of issues affecting higher education. The Eastern Oregon Faculty Senate respectfully requests members of the Oregon State Legislature to consider the inclusion of faculty members with full voting privileges on institutional governing boards of Oregon Public University.

Best regards,

DeAnna Timmermann
Faculty Senate President
Eastern Oregon University