

Faculty Regent Election Ballot Validation Meeting
Thursday, October 12
4:30 pm—Helm 108B

Meeting called to order 4:34 pm by Chair Eric Kondratieff

Attendance: Jen Hanley, Marilyn Gardiner (Colin Farrell), Elizabeth Gish, Barbara Burch, Matt Shake, Jerry Daday, Susann Davis, Joseph Shankweiler, Thad Crews, Kirk Atkinson, Kristin Wilson, Andi Dahmer, Janet Applin, Liz Sturgeon, Eric Kondratieff, Patti Minter, Jim Berger

New Business: Validate the Faculty Regent Election Ballot

Motion to Ratify the Ballot: Hanley 1st, Minter 2nd, Approved

Voting from 8 am to 4 pm.

- There was no clear winner so there will be a run-off election on Friday, October 20 from 8-4.
- As per statute, only the top two candidates whose combined votes totaled 50% or more, Claus Ernst and Mac McKerral, will be on the new ballot.
- According to Vice Chair Liz Sturgeon there was a 62% faculty turn out in the voting.
- **Atkinson**—will we need to have another faculty forum?
- **Minter**—first forum was archived so people who are interested in watching it still can, so we do not need to have another faculty forum
- **Sturgeon:** Let's sign the current results to certify that we have validated the ballot (*attached*)
- **Kondratieff:** We will re-convene at 4:30 on October 20 to finalize the election and validate the run-off ballot

Meeting Adjourned 4:47 pm

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TopNet Election Results
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Office	Candidate Name	Votes Count	% of Vote
Faculty Regent	Claus Ernst	177	37.11 %
	Mac McKerral	138	28.93 %
	Aaron Hughey	102	21.38 %
	Angie Jerome	60	12.58 %

Total Voters Casting Ballots in this Election 477

A collection of handwritten signatures in blue and black ink, arranged in two columns. The signatures are: Jennifer Hanley, [unclear], James Bey, El [unclear], BB [unclear], Matt Sklen, Janet Z, Susanna [unclear], [unclear], Ted [unclear], and Kirk [unclear].