

**RESOLUTION REGARDING THE FINAL REPORT OF THE
SCHEDULE 25 AD-HOC COMMITTEE
(#09-00/01-EX)**

- WHEREAS, An ad hoc committee was formed at Humboldt State University to review the scheduling of lecture spaces and the use of Schedule 25 software in effecting such scheduling; and
- WHEREAS, The Schedule 25 Ad-Hoc Committee prepared a comprehensive report, including recommendations and a Classroom Priority Scheduling Policy, that the Academic Senate of Humboldt State University discussed at its March 27 and April 10, 2001 meetings; and
- WHEREAS, The manner in which lecture spaces are assigned and the policies that apply to their scheduling have pedagogical and curricular implications; and
- WHEREAS, The Academic Senate of Humboldt State University has no means of assessing the effectiveness of the recommendations and policy contained in the Schedule 25 Ad-Hoc Committee's Final Report without hard data; therefore, be it
- RESOLVED: That the Academic Senate of Humboldt State University commend and extend its sincere appreciation to the members of the Schedule 25 Ad-Hoc Committee for their detailed consideration of the issues and the thoroughness of their report; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the Academic Senate of Humboldt State University recommend that the Classroom Priority Scheduling Policy contained in the Final Report of the Schedule 25 Ad-Hoc Committee be implemented on a trial basis beginning with registration in Fall 2001 for the Spring 2002 term, and that the Classroom Priority Scheduling Committee as defined in the Final Report be formed and undertake its duties in the Spring 2001 term; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the Academic Senate of Humboldt State University recommend that after two registration cycles (in Fall 2002) a committee consisting of faculty, staff and administrators be convened to evaluate the effectiveness of the Classroom Priority Scheduling Policy, this evaluation to include a survey of department chairs and support staff responsible for class scheduling to ascertain their views, experiences, concerns and suggestions regarding the manner in which lecture rooms are scheduled on this campus; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the Academic Senate recommend that the findings of said evaluation committee be forwarded to the Academic Senate for review and comment.

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- WHEREAS, It became apparent during the discussion of the Schedule 25 Ad-Hoc Committee's final report at the Academic Senate's March 27, 2001, meeting that a number of the issues contained in the ad hoc committee's final report are controversial and some faculty hold strong opinions regarding the manner in which they should be addressed; and
- WHEREAS, The Academic Senate of Humboldt State University currently has insufficient information regarding a consensus of faculty opinion on the recommendations contained in the Schedule 25 Ad-Hoc Committee's Final Report to offer a representative recommendation; therefore, be it
- RESOLVED: That the Academic Senate of Humboldt State University commend and extend its sincere appreciation to the members of the Schedule 25 Ad-Hoc Committee for their detailed consideration of the issues and the thoroughness of their report; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the Academic Senate of Humboldt State University recommend to the General Faculty President that a vote of the general faculty be conducted as soon as practical during Spring 2001 to ascertain the opinion of faculty regarding the recommendations of the Schedule 25 Ad-Hoc Committee, including additional space on each ballot for individual comment; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the Academic Senate of Humboldt State University recommend that a copy of the complete Final Report of the Schedule 25 Ad-Hoc Committee be delivered with the ballots to each academic department, that said report be posted to the Academic Senate web site, and that each faculty member be provided an executive summary of the content of the report, referencing the location of the complete document; and be it further
- RESOLVED: That the Academic Senate of Humboldt State University report the results of said ~~election~~ to the members of the General Faculty and to the appropriate administrators.

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