

**MOTION TO ADD DISTRICTS
TO THE FACULTY SENATE**

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The Faculty Senate Executive Committee is presenting a motion to add districts to the Faculty Senate. Currently there are 59 districts all associated with specific academic units. A request was made last year by Professor Hoyt, Sociology, to provide faculty members in Centers who are not currently included in any existing district with representation on the Faculty Senate. After researching how many applicable faculty members are in the Centers (they must have an FTE of .50 or greater and three successive years of employment at UNL if they are non-tenure track faculty members), and whether they already have representation through a department represented in the Senate, it was determined that three Centers qualify for having their own district. The Executive Committee also recommends that a fourth district, an at-large district be established, for faculty members within Centers that have no association with a represented department.

Therefore, the Faculty Senate Executive Committee moves to add the following districts to the Faculty Senate:

- Center for Children, Families and the Law (5 faculty = 1 representative)
- Nebraska Center on Research for Children, Youth, Families and School (6 faculty = 1 representative)
- English as a Second Language (23 faculty members = 1 representative)
- At-large district for non-tenure track faculty members in Centers (13 faculty members = 1 representative)