## Faculty Senate Committee Reporting Instructions

## Adopted by VSU Faculty Senate, 2/16/2017

- 1. Each Standing Committee chair will submit an annual report to the Senate Executive Committee two weeks prior to the final Senate meeting of the academic year. Sub-committee reports will be included as part of its Standing Committee Report.
- 2. The Standing Committee annual report will include a completed Reporting Form. The Reporting Form will summarize all activities undertaken by the Committee and its Sub-committee(s) during the academic year. If no activities were undertaken, the chair must submit the report and record "No activities" in the Issue/Topics column and a recommendation to maintain or dissolve the committee in the Committee Recommendation column. Recommendation should include a supporting reason.

## **Faculty Senate Committee Reporting Form**

 Committee:
 Committee on Committees

 Academic Year:
 2018-2019

Committee Members: Catherine Bowers C, Peggy Moch CE, Jesse Cook, Debbie Paine, Beatriz Potter, Andy Ostapski, Laura Carter

| Issue/Topic <sup>1, 2</sup>  | Committee Recommendation <sup>3</sup>   | Action Taken   | Senate Decision<br>(if applicable) |
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| Assigned committee seats to new senators and faculty elected by their units. | Some discussion about<br>timelines in each college,<br>as well as procedures, and<br>whether these need to be<br>unified. | None   |                                    |
| Bylaws and statutes.   | Reviewed bylaws, agreed CoCO<br>membership needs to update bylaws to<br>reflect revised colleges and units.               | Clarification was needed<br>when seeking chair for<br>Grievance committee.<br>Statutes were consulted.<br>To be revisited in 2019-<br>2020 |                                    |
| 2019-2020 Committee vacancies  | Colleges should fill their vacancies as their unit prescribes.  | Many colleges have<br>already filled their<br>vacancies.   |                                    |

| Outlook lists. Currently, the lists are convenient to  | This item needs further investigation. |  |
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| use but a lot of labor to maintain and edit as needed. |  |  |
| There has been an ongoing discussion about how to      |  |  |
| maintain them most efficiently and equitably, with no  |  |  |
| clear answer.  |  |  |

<sup>1</sup> Indicate whether the Issue/Topic was remanded by the Senate or Committee generated.
 <sup>2</sup> If a Sub-committee indicates "No Activity," the Standing Committee must recommend to maintain or dissolve the Sub-committee.
 <sup>3</sup> If the committee is not ready to make a recommendation, indicate "In progress" and discuss the stage of review.