

**BUDGET COMMITTEE CHARGES
SPRING 2019**

Senators:

The Constitution of the Faculty Senate describes the function of the Budget Committee in the following language:

from Article V, Section B.

Budget Committee: This committee shall consist of at least one senator from each school selected from the Faculty Senate, a representative from the Library, the Chair, Chair-Elect, and Past Chair. The function of this committee shall be to advise the University Vice Presidents and the President on general budgetary matters. Periodically, this committee will communicate with the faculty regarding the status of the budget and will attempt to establish a consensus on funding needs and priorities.

THE charges from Fall 2018 (reproduced below) are DISMISSED, with thanks, in light of the fact that Vice-President Bryon Clark conducted a university-wide survey on budget priorities in November, 2018, which was released in December, 2018.

As Chair of the Faculty Senate, I charge the Budget Committee with the specific items below:

1. To prepare and administer a survey of the general faculty on their budgetary priorities for the university as soon as practicable. The President has stated repeatedly that his two personal priorities are to improve faculty compensation and to address deferred maintenance on campus. A survey of the faculty at large should reveal to what degree the President's stated priorities align with those of the faculty
2. To report to the Faculty Senate the results of the faculty survey no later than the last scheduled Faculty Senate of the fall term, Wednesday, November 28.

Your charge for the remainder of the year is to comply with your constitutional charges and to provide a year-end report on April 24 at the last Faculty Senate meeting.

Daniel Althoff

Chair
Faculty Senate