Whereas 11.4 of the Faculty Guide states that “Changes in the internal academic organization of a college, including the number of departments/divisions therein, are determined by majority vote of the full-time college faculty holding tenured or probationary appointments, and approved by the dean;”

Whereas the restructuring of schools and colleges has a direct impact on the creation and delivery of programs and curricula, areas of primary faculty responsibility;

Whereas the restructuring of schools and colleges has a direct impact on shared governance;

Whereas the Provost has repeatedly stated her commitment to shared governance;

Therefore, we respectfully call on the Provost to provide the Faculty Senate with a copy of all reports on University Structure presented to the Board at its August 27, 2021 meeting.