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## Resolution to Amend the Membership of the Special Committee on Honorary Degrees for May and December General Commencement

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**Whereas** the current make-up of the Special Committee on Honorary Degrees for May and December Commencement proposed by Dr. Jerome A. Gilbert, President of Marshall University consists of the following five members:

- One representative of the Faculty Senate Executive Committee
- One representative of the Graduate Council
- One representative of the Dean's Council
- One representative of the Council of Chairs
- The Marshall University Provost, (currently Dr. Jaime Taylor)

**Whereas** the purpose of this committee is to ensure transparency of the process of selection of the recipients of Honorary Degrees, the process will remain confidential during the whole procedure up to the possible recommendation by the Faculty Senate;

**Whereas** Administrators, Faculty, Chairs, and Deans have representation in the committee, students, both undergraduates and graduate, do not currently have representatives;

**Be it resolved**, that the Faculty Senate Executive Committee of Marshall University suggests that a representative for each the Undergraduates students, and the Graduate students be nominated respectively by the Student Body Cabinet and by the Graduate Student Association. This would ensure students participation in the process of selecting potential recipients of Marshall University Honorary Degrees.

We so resolve.

#### FACULTY SENATE CHAIR:

APPROVED BY THE FACULTY SENATE:	DATE:	5/2/19
DISAPPROVED BY THE FACULTY SENATE:	DATE:	

## **UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT:**

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