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To: Connie Foster, Chancellor
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From: David Rainville, Chair
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RE: UW-RF Faculty Senate Motion 2008/2009/49

At the December 10, 2008 meeting of Wisconsin-River Falls Faculty senate, motion 2008-2009/49 was passed. This motion is forwarded for your action.

A motion from AP&P to approve the Proposed Process and Timeline for assessing Academic Programs and Units below. This process and timeline will be used in the program prioritization as described in OP 2.1 of the Strategic Plan.

Proposed Process and Timeline for Assessing Academic Programs and Units

Date	
November 12, 2008	Deans Council forwards proposal for assessing academic programs to AP&P
December 2008	AP&P forwards proposal for assessing academic programs to Faculty Senate for approval
January 21-22, 2009	Training for Faculty & Departments in Self Study process 1-3pm on Wednesday, January 21, 2009 and 9-11am on Friday, January 23, 2009
March 13, 2009	Departments forward self studies to Colleges for review
Early April 2009	Colleges forward self studies to Deans Council for rating. Academic programs will be placed in one of the following categories: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Enhance 2. Maintain 3. Maintain but monitor 4. Reduce 5. Eliminate
Late April 2009	Rating of academic programs forwarded to AP & P for approval
Early May	AP&P forwards rating of academic programs to Faculty Senate for approval. Faculty Senate senators will have a minimum of one week to review these documents
June 4, 2009	Provost presents academic plan to Board of Regents

X Approved

 Disapproved

Connie Foster
Connie Foster, Chancellor

1-26-09
Date