

Faculty Senate Executive Committee Report
July 3, 2019

The Executive Committee met on June 19th. No meeting was held on June 26th.

- Ms. Ginger Brown reported from the Staff Senate that the number of RIFs is down considerably this year. The total of RIFs in 2017 was 116, in 2018 it was 83, and as of April 2019 it is 16.
- We discussed whether the 2% raise approved in the university budget was a pool, to be distributed on the basis of merit, or a flat across-the-board raise. The XC agreed that clarification was necessary on this.
- Keith Sherman presented on the underlying assumptions and justifications for the 2019 spend policy. He is preparing a short memo that clarifies this policy that will be ready by the Senate meeting in September.
- We received a report from David Schultz about the work of the Benefits Design Workgroup.

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