

The first ballot of the winter/spring 2019 semester -- an entirely at-large ballot -- is now closed. The JCU faculty voted on six motions: five faculty handbook amendments requiring a majority of the faculty eligible to vote in order to pass (89 of 177); and one motion requiring a majority of those faculty actually voting. The faculty passed all six motions.

An issue-by-issue summary of the vote follows. Canvas won't let me paste a screenshot in this space so I will send it out as an email.

**Issue one**: Motion to approve a faculty handbook amendment to revise the threshold to approve amendments to the faculty handbook.

Votes in favor: 104

Votes opposed: 55

Percentage of eligible faculty voting in favor: 59%

Percentage of votes cast in favor: 63%

**Issue two:** Motion to approve a faculty handbook amendment to revise the voting policy for faculty on leave.

Votes in favor: 143 Votes opposed: 14

Percentage of eligible faculty voting in favor: 81%

Percentage of votes cast in favor: 86%

**Issue three:** Motion to approve a faculty handbook amendment to revise the process of submitting and considering amendments to the faculty handbook.

Votes in favor: 119 Votes opposed: 36

Percentage of eligible faculty voting in favor: 67%

Percentage of votes cast in favor: 72%

Issue four: Motion to approve a faculty handbook amendment to revise the procedures for

distributing amendments to the faculty.
Votes in favor: 141 Votes opposed: 8 Percentage of eligible faculty voting in favor: 80% Percentage of votes cast in favor: 85%
<b>Issue five:</b> Motion to approve a faculty handbook amendment to declare the electronic version of the handbook the official version.
Votes in favor: 150 Votes opposed: 10 Percentage of eligible faculty voting in favor: 85% Percentage of votes cast in favor: 90%
Issue Six: Motion to approve a new policy on incomplete grades.
Votes in favor: 121 Votes opposed: 34 Abstentions: 8 Percentage of votes cast in favor: 73%  This announcement is closed for comments
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