UNIVERSITY COUNCIL
NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE
REQUEST FOR DECISION

PRESENTED BY: Paul Jones, Chair, Nominations Committee of Council

DATE OF MEETING: May 20, 2021

SUBJECT: Appointment of GAA members to the Associate Vice Presidents, Research Search Committee

DECISION REQUESTED:
It is recommended that the following three GAA members nominated be appointed to the Deputy Provost search committee. Candidates are:

- Stephan Milosavljevic, Physical Therapy
- Curtis Pozniak, Crop Development Centre
- Debbie Pushor, Curriculum Studies

DISCUSSION SUMMARY:
The Board-approved Search and Review Procedures specify that Council will appoint three Council representatives to any associate vice-president search committee. It has been agreed with the Faculty Association, the Vice-President Research, and the Vice-Provost Faculty Relations that one search committee can be constituted to recruit two positions.

The Nominations Committee recommends these individuals:

- Stephan Milosavljevic, Physical Therapy
- Curtis Pozniak, Crop Development Centre
- Debbie Pushor, Curriculum Studies

The Nominations Committee met on April 22, 2021 to consider candidates for this search committee and voted to recommend these nominees to Council. A slate of potential nominees was determined through the consideration of previous volunteers to Council and Collective Agreement committees and ensuring a diversity of representation of disciplines from across campus. Other factors considered included faculty members’ research foci, workloads (e.g., membership on other administrative committees, faculty rank), and the University’s principles of equity, diversity, and inclusion.

REFERENCES:
The Search and Review Procedures for Senior Administrators are available here: https://leadership.usask.ca/provost/searches-reviews.php.