

REQUEST FOR DECISION

Committee Name: Nominations Committee, University Council

Date: March 19, 2026

Presented by: Reza Fotouhi, Chair, Nominations Committee

Subject: Associate Vice-President Research Search Committee

MOTION

It is recommended by the Nominations Committee that Council approve the appointment of the following three GAA members to serve on the Search Committee for the Associate Vice-President Research, effective immediately.

CONTEXT AND BACKGROUND

The Procedures for Search and Review for Senior Administrators require that Associate Vice-Presidents search committees have “Three members of the GAA, selected by Council.”

The Governance Office launched a call for interest to all GAA members. The Nominations Committee is tasked with putting forward the names for consideration by Council. The Nominations Committee deliberated and is recommending the following members to serve on this committee:

- Lori Bradford, College of Engineering
- Josh Lawson, College of Medicine
- Nicole Webster, College of Arts and Science