



**MURRAY STATE**  
UNIVERSITY

**Faculty Senate**

**2025**

## **FACULTY REGENT ELECTION PROCEDURES**

An election of a faculty representative on the Murray State University Board of Regents for the term beginning July 1, 2025, and ending June 30, 2028, will begin April 21, 2025. The Faculty Regent will be elected by all full-time faculty holding the rank of instructor, assistant, associate, or full professor.

Nomination petitions are available from the Faculty Senate webpage and Academic Affairs (333 Wells Hall) and require fifteen (15) signatures of eligible faculty. Eligible signatories are members of the instructional/research staff holding the rank of instructor, assistant, associate, or full professor whose regular assignment is instruction of students including those with release time for research and other professional personnel holding faculty appointment. Petitions will be accepted until Friday, March 28, 2025, by Academic Affairs (333 Wells Hall) and the Rules, Elections, and Bylaws Committee of the Faculty Senate.

Candidates for Faculty Regent must be members of the instructional/research staff holding the rank of assistant, associate, or full professor whose regular assignment is instruction of students. Ranked faculty holding interim or permanent appointments to administrative positions are eligible; however, if they are chosen as faculty regent, they must resign their administrative position. If the Faculty Regent should accept appointment to an administrative position, he/she must resign the position of Faculty Regent.

Deans, directors of administrative units, assistant deans, departmental chairs, or their equivalents will be considered administrative positions. No nominee will become an official candidate until his/her eligibility for office and willingness to serve has been confirmed, and he/she pledges to abide by the restrictions stated herein.

The Rules, Elections, & Bylaws Committee shall serve as the authority to resolve questions or problems with the elections.

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