Below are note-worthy actions taken and motions passed by the Senate in Spring 2017. Click here to view all motions and minutes on the Faculty Governance Website.

- Discussion with DACA students on Emory as a sanctuary campus
- Statement re: the January 27, 2017 Presidential Executive Order "Protecting the Nation from Foreign Terrorist Entry into the United States" (Motion 28-2017)
- Support of Teach-In on Intellectual Responsibility (Motion 29-2017)
- In response to a motion passed by the Senate last spring (Motion 12-2016), the Faculty Council of the University Senate formed a working group on Title IX interpretation. The Senate was updated regularly on the work of this group.
- Discussion with Mr. John Morgan, Chair of Board of Trustees
- The Senate heard reports from the following ad hoc committees/working groups: Administrative Infrastructure ad hoc committee, Pedagogy and Curriculum ad hoc committee, Teaching Evaluation working group, Student Academic Engagement working group
- Discussion on College Strategic Plan with Michael Elliott
- Regular updates from ex-officio Senate representatives from the Faculty Council of the University Senate and Executive Council of the Laney Graduate School
- Discussion of work being done to build and improve on undergraduate research initiatives

Stay tuned for the Senate and Faculty Meeting dates for Fall 2017. A quorum (25% of College faculty not on leave) is needed in order to hold a vote at Faculty meetings.

Please mark your calendars and plan to attend.

Below are potential issues to be addressed in the coming year:

- Continued revision of the nominations and election procedures
- Further development of guidelines for teaching evaluation
- Continued development and implementation of the College’s strategic plan

To view all committee documents, schedules and members, visit the Faculty Governance Website: https://secure.web.emory.edu/college/governance/