

**May 2011 Staff Council Officer Report**

**Union Update:**

ASEA (for non-supervisors, non-confidential)

Staff members are encouraged to go to <http://www.alaska.edu/labor/union-organizing/> to view union correspondence between ASEA and UA. Links include the April 25, 2011

correspondence from Jim Duncan of ASEA in response to the April 14, 2011 email sent out to

Staff/Student Court court will be awarded by President Gamble at the June Board of

usage, can be found at [www.uaf.edu/marketing/standards/graphic/logo/](http://www.uaf.edu/marketing/standards/graphic/logo/). For more information on the proper use of the UAF logo, please contact Jan Stitt at [fylogo@uaf.edu](mailto:fylogo@uaf.edu).



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## Staff Alliance

### SA Motion #2011-6

#### MOTION Relating to UA Health Care Plan Change Process

"The Staff Alliance moves to endorse the SHCC motion that the University must begin the process of considering potential plan changes at the beginning of the fiscal year preceding the year in which the changes would be implanted. This action is effective April 12, 2011."

*Amended.*

Rationale for Motion: To improve the process of considering potential plan changes.

Distribution: President Gamble, Joint Health Care Committee and Staff Health Care Committee

Signed: *Wanda Ross*  
Chair, Staff Alliance

*5/11/11*  
(Date)

\_\_\_\_ Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
President, University of Alaska

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Date

~~X~~ Disapproved: *PK Gamble*  
President, University of Alaska

*12/11/11*  
Date

#### Rationale for Disapproval:

*In the case of severe and unexpected budget cuts such as those recently witnessed in the lower 48 it could be necessary to take immediate and harsh action to comply with legislative direction. This motion would not stand up to the action required in that case.*

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## SA Motion #2011-7

**MOTION Relating to UA Health Care Plan Change Process**

"The Staff Alliance moves to endorse the SACC motion that open forums on

proposed health care plan changes should be held on campuses in early November to allow input while changes can be made, followed by spring forums to discuss the final changes. This action is effective April 12, 2011."

**Rationale:** To improve the process of considering potential plan changes.

**Distribution:** President Gamble and Mike Humphrey

Signed: Ulaqa P. 2011  
Chair, Staff Alliance

5/11/11  
(Date)

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### SA Motion #2011-8

MOTION Relating to proposed tuition waiver

the employee tuition waiver benefit until a participative process involving staff ~~governance~~ and other affected parties has had the opportunity for input