Stephen F. Austin State University

SFASU Faculty Senate *DRAFT* Resolution on Class Scheduling Guidelines

WHEREAS, the Academic Affairs Council during the summer of 2002 created scheduling "guidelines" that will have campus-wide effect if implemented, and would become de facto University policy;

WHEREAS, the Academic Affairs Council created the guidelines when many affected parties were absent from campus and unable to contribute to the decision-making process;

WHEREAS, the reasoning behind the guidelines is not immediately apparent;

WHEREAS, the guidelines impose on department chairs restrictions that potentially increase significantly the difficulty of class scheduling;

WHEREAS, the Chairs' Forum has formally protested the manner in which the guidelines were promulgated, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, that the Faculty Senate strongly urges that implementation of the scheduling guidelines be cancelled, and that chairs and faculty be afforded ample opportunity to participate in any process that considers changes to scheduling policies.