Committee Members:

Ray Simmons  Chair
Debbie Weigand  Vice Chair
Laura McDaniel
Sandy Frank

Purpose of the Constitution and By-laws Committee:

Reviews the constitution and by-laws of the Senate and proposes changes based on input from senate membership annually.

Summary of 2011-12 Activities:

After the original writing of the Administrative Senate Constitution and By-laws in 2009-10 and the full review in 2010-11, no significant actions were needed by the committee in 2011-12 until the completion of the senatorial elections in April.

At the direction of the chair of the Administrative Senate, the chair initiated research and writing of a proposal to break ties in senatorial elections and a procedure to amend Administrative Senate Constitution and By-Laws concerning internal operations by the Senate.

Both proposals will be brought to the July meeting of the 2012-13 Administrative Senate for discussion.