



**FACCC Advocacy & Leadership Committee  
Meeting Notes  
December 19, 2025  
Via Zoom**

**Attending:** Nicole Barta, April Bracamontes, Gwen Earle, Caleb Fowler, Stephanie Goldman, Geoffrey Hagopian, Erin Wall, Lily Xu

**I. Meeting Notes from November were accepted.**

**II. New Business:**

- a. **Meeting Date for January:** The meeting has been moved to January 23<sup>rd</sup> because Kim will be traveling.
- b. **Meeting time/day for Spring:** The committee will discuss the day and time for Spring meetings at the January meeting.
- c. **Town Hall:** Kim & Caleb shared an update with the group on the town hall they have been planning for February 2<sup>nd</sup>.
  - i. Lily and Erin will be asking their presidents if they will join the panel.
  - ii. Kim talked with Ginny May to see if someone at the Chancellor's office might be willing to join.
  - iii. The committee will finalize questions for the panel in January.

**III. Old Business:**

- a. 2<sup>nd</sup> read of the Elections Manual: The committee accepted all changes to the elections manual and forwarded their recommendations to the Executive Committee. The committee, in addition to carefully considering

the proposed changes, needs to be mindful of any bylaw changes that need to be included.

**b. Breakout Groups**

- i. **Leadership:** Kim gave a brief update that she is working on a training about political acumen.
- ii. **Advocacy:** The committee will discuss plans for Spring 2026 in January.
  - 1. The committee would like a follow up podcast to the town hall where they can further unpack questions that arise from the town hall.
  - 2. The committee would like to plan some on campus meetings for the spring.

**Next Meetings: Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup>**

## **FACCC Advocacy & Leadership**

### **Meeting Minutes**

**November 21, 2025**

**In attendance: April Bracamontes, Dolores Davison, Gwendolyn Earle, Caleb Fowler, Stephanie Goldman, Geoffrey Hagopian, Kim Perigo, Erin Wall, Lily Xu**

**I. Meeting Minutes from October were accepted.**

**II. New Business:**

- a. **First Read: FACCC Elections Manual:** The committee reviewed proposed changes to the elections manual. The committee will bring it back for a final discussion and vote in December and recommendations will be sent to the Executive Committee

**III. Old Business:**

- a. **Kim shared with the group that they will be doing a general session at the A&P conference on how to construct basic arguments and build policy positions.**

**b. Breakout Groups: The team moved into break out groups:**

- i. **Leadership:** Kim & Dolores discussed areas they might explore for a leadership institute. They discussed various attributes that make up political acumen and are investigating this and other areas where FACCC can develop leaders such as improvement of communication skills.
- ii. **Advocacy:** The rest of the team met to talk about advocacy. Caleb discussed the concerns from ACCJC about what it will mean with the dismantling of the Department of Education. The committee discussed hosting a town hall and reaching out to the communication committee to see if it is possible to also put together a podcast on the topic.
- iii. **Gwen talked about building a regional structure.** The committee talked about how to start with one region and working from there.

**Next Meetings: Dec. 19<sup>th</sup>, Jan. 16<sup>th</sup>**

## **Draft Town Hall Description (Wendy Brill-Wynkoop)**

### **Title:**

Navigating the Perfect Storm: Federal Policy Changes, Accreditation Battles, and the Future of California's Community Colleges

### **Description:**

Over the past year, the federal higher education landscape has undergone a seismic shift, with wide-ranging policy changes that threaten the comprehensive mission of California's community colleges. From the dismantling of the Department of Education to the restructuring of student financial aid and the assault on diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) efforts, these developments pose significant challenges to access, equity, and institutional autonomy. Accreditation has emerged as a key battleground, with the federal government increasingly using the accreditation process to push ideological agendas, and the rise of state-level accreditation further complicating the compliance environment.

Join FACCC for an urgent conversation on the impact of these changes and strategies for preserving our core values and advancing student success. Our expert panel will begin by providing an overview of the major federal policy shifts, and then dive deeper into the implications for accreditation and institutional effectiveness. Panelists will discuss potential state and local responses to navigate this perfect storm.

### **Panelists will address critical questions such as:**

- What are the most significant federal policy changes impacting CCCs, and how do they threaten our comprehensive mission and commitment to equity?
- How will the contraction of federal aid and the elimination of programs like Grad PLUS impact enrollment and completion, particularly in equity-focused fields?
- What are the risks and opportunities presented by the changing accreditation landscape, including the politicization of the federal recognition process and the rise of state-level accreditation?
- How can colleges navigate the competing pressures of state equity mandates, federal prohibitions on DEI efforts, and evolving accreditation standards?
- What state investments and policy supports are needed to sustain our core values and advance student success in this challenging environment?
- How can FACCC organize to respond to the threats to our institutions?

### **Panelist suggestions:**

- **[Higher Education Policy Expert - CCCCCO?]** will provide a high-level overview of the major federal policy changes impacting CCCs, including the dismantling of the Department of Education, changes to financial aid programs like Grad PLUS, and the assault on DEI efforts. They will analyze the implications of these shifts for access, equity, and institutional

effectiveness.

- **[Mac Powell, President of ACCJC]** will dive deeper into the changing accreditation landscape, discussing the politicization of the federal recognition process, the rise of state-level accreditation, and the impact on ACCJC's standards and processes. They will share strategies for maintaining a focus on educational quality and student success in this environment.
- **[College admin]** will discuss their college's experiences navigating the intersection of federal policy shifts, accreditation pressures, and state mandates. They will share strategies for maintaining access, equity, and institutional effectiveness in the face of these challenges.
- **[FACCC President or Executive Director]** will analyze the impact of these changes on faculty working conditions, shared governance, and academic freedom. They will discuss FACCC's advocacy efforts and legislative priorities to support CCCs and their students.



## **2025 ELECTIONS MANUAL**

### **FACCC Mission**

To inform, educate, empower, and advocate for faculty in service to students and the communities of California.

### **FACCC Vision**

An educational environment that is equitable, accessible, and appropriately funded led by a diverse and empowered faculty.

Every faculty member, every member an advocate, every advocate informed.

### **FACCC Values**

We value the expertise, experience, and professionalism of all faculty, full-time and part-time, as the primary force for advancing the mission of California Community Colleges.

We value students and the significance of the student-faculty relationship and the opportunity to foster mutual growth and success.

We value diverse voices, perspectives, and cultures of both students and faculty in the quest for social justice and equity.

We value community colleges as a driving force for economic growth, social cohesion, and opportunities for personal advancement for all Californians.

We value collegiality and a working environment that recognizes the importance of all organizational and personal voices in serving students.

We value the growth and development of all faculty members as professionals in service of their communities, their institutions, and their students.

### **Who We Are**

Since 1953, FACCC has provided focused representation for the community college faculty to promote funding, academic freedom, and retirement benefits. With members across every campus in California, FACCC continues to strengthen the position of faculty in the State Capitol, the State Chancellor's Office, and the State Teachers' Retirement System.

FACCC is faculty driven and professionally managed. Its board of seasoned faculty professionals is dedicated to working cooperatively with your unions and academic senates to ensure that faculty voices are heard in the halls of government and across the state.

### **What We Do**

FACCC is dedicated to representing your interests in state and federal government. Its professional staff and volunteer leaders testify at hearings, meet with legislators, and organize policy forums to promote the message of community college faculty.

FACCC communicates with its members through print, electronic, and social media.

FACCC's sister corporation, FACCC Education Institute (FACCC EI), organizes workshops and conferences for faculty across California. FACCC EI also provides policymakers with research materials on community college issues.

FACCC and FACCC EI are governed by a 22-member board which receives guidance from 10 standing committees. Your participation and input are needed.

### **Introduction**

The purpose of the FACCC Elections Manual is to define the FACCC election process, procedures, and policies for all concerned parties. Copies of this manual will be distributed to all Faculty Association of California Community Colleges (FACCC) Board of Governor members, and all declared candidates. It will also be available to any FACCC member upon request and will be posted on the FACCC website. FACCC Associate Members are ineligible to participate in the election as candidates or voters.

Please direct questions about the election procedures to the FACCC staff at [Info@faccc.org](mailto:Info@faccc.org) or 916.447.8555.

The following seats will be open for nominations in **even-year** FACCC elections:

- President – four or six-year commitment
- Vice President – two-year term
- Governor-at-Large – two-year term (three open seats)
- Regional Governor – two-year term (Regions B, C, D)
- Governor for Part-Time – two-year term (Northern Region)
- Governor for Retired Faculty – two-year term

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- Treasurer – two-year term
- Secretary – two-year term
- Part-Time Officer – two-year term
- Governor-at-Large – two-year term (three open seats)
- Regional Governor – two-year term (Regions A, E, F)
- Governor for Part-Time – two-year term (Southern Region)

| Small Colleges         |            | Medium Colleges |            | Large Colleges    |            |
|------------------------|------------|-----------------|------------|-------------------|------------|
| College                | Total FTES | College         | Total FTES | College           | Total FTES |
| Lassen                 | 1,366.16   | Reedley College | 6,100.43   | Foothill          | 10,006.06  |
| Copper Mountain        | 1,728.88   | West LA         | 6,147.20   | MiraCosta         | 10,092.02  |
| Columbia               | 1,810.94   | Shasta          | 6,210.41   | San Diego Miramar | 10,108.77  |
| Feather River          | 1,875.24   | Cabrillo        | 6,375.57   | Irvine            | 10,112.50  |
| West Hills<br>Coalinga | 2,009.37   | Laney           | 6,415.34   | San Bernardino    | 10,347.78  |
| Siskiyou               | 2,020.13   | West Valley     | 6,426.77   | Sequoias          | 10,579.42  |
| Palo Verde             | 2,044.90   | Folsom Lake     | 6,471.83   | Merced            | 10,657.57  |
| Taft                   | 2,065.94   | LA Mission      | 6,518.49   | LA Valley         | 10,804.32  |
| Lake Tahoe             | 2,399.20   | Solano          | 6,837.95   | Cypress           | 11,114.99  |
| Woodland               | 2,405.22   | Moreno Valley   | 7,258.73   | Moorpark          | 11,384.66  |
| Mendocino              | 2,905.81   | Ohlone          | 7,281.96   | Santiago Canyon   | 11,491.33  |
| West Hills<br>Lemoore  | 2,952.27   | Los Medanos     | 7,344.00   | LA Pierce         | 11,753.82  |
| Alameda                | 2,986.78   | Norco College   | 7,450.10   | Sacramento City   | 12,590.99  |
| Barstow                | 2,995.52   | Hartnell        | 7,470.63   | Victor Valley     | 12,679.56  |
| Napa                   | 3,176.22   | Cuesta          | 7,576.35   | Glendale          | 12,701.39  |
| LA Swest               | 3,197.11   | San Diego City  | 8,052.84   | Santa Barbara     | 12,731.65  |
| Cerro Coso             | 3,202.42   | Grossmont       | 8,277.18   | Rio Hondo         | 13,050.62  |
| Madera                 | 3,281.93   | San Mateo       | 8,359.36   | Mt. San Jacinto   | 13,442.32  |
| Porterville            | 3,358.38   | Golden West     | 8,360.33   | Sierra            | 13,786.80  |
| Marin                  | 3,529.36   | Desert          | 8,367.17   | Modesto           | 13,906.69  |
| Compton                | 3,636.43   | Skyline         | 8,657.42   | Diablo Valley     | 14,238.40  |
| Redwoods               | 3,705.26   | Chabot Hayward  | 8,808.68   | Orange Coast      | 14,528.38  |
| Berkeley City          | 3,979.31   | Imperial        | 8,830.06   | Canyons           | 14,615.60  |
| North Orange<br>Adult  | 3,997.11   | Allan Hancock   | 8,993.90   | Fullerton         | 14,756.83  |
| Merritt                | 4,121.66   | Ventura         | 9,487.36   | San Diego Mesa    | 14,827.51  |
| Crafton Hills          | 4,273.93   | LA Trade        | 9,681.86   | Deanza            | 14,993.93  |
| Yuba                   | 4,351.01   | Citrus          | 9,724.22   | Palomar           | 15,069.34  |
| Canada                 | 4,374.95   | Butte           | 9,739.22   | Santa Rosa        | 15,432.86  |
| Cuyamaca               | 4,533.53   | LA City         | 9,757.05   | Southwestern      | 15,803.21  |
| Contra Costa           | 4,717.18   | Cosumnes River  | 9,808.65   | Chaffey           | 15,843.47  |
| Coastline              | 4,865.04   | Antelope Valley | 9,872.22   | San Francisco     | 16,358.20  |
| CalBright              | 4,990.98   | San Diego Adult | 9,929.57   | Cerritos          | 16,421.39  |
| Oxnard                 | 5,142.89   |                 |            | Saddleback        | 16,441.16  |
| Gavilan                | 5,151.26   |                 |            | Riverside         | 16,794.64  |

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| Mission          | 5,196.91 |  |  |  | San Joaquin Delta | 17,412.54 |
| San Jose City    | 5,412.59 |  |  |  | Fresno City       | 18,331.10 |
| LA Harbor        | 5,440.14 |  |  |  | East LA           | 20,218.71 |
| Monterey         | 5,706.98 |  |  |  | Santa Monica      | 20,223.71 |
| Clovis           | 5,937.07 |  |  |  | American River    | 20,485.76 |
| Las Positas      | 5,955.68 |  |  |  | Long Beach        | 20,945.71 |
| Evergreen Valley | 5,983.58 |  |  |  | Bakersfield       | 21,059.56 |
|                  |          |  |  |  | El Camino         | 21,077.52 |
|                  |          |  |  |  | Pasadena          | 23,910.36 |
|                  |          |  |  |  | Santa Ana         | 24,360.68 |
|                  |          |  |  |  | Mt San Antonio    | 34,810.29 |

**Colleges by FACCC Region**

| <b>North College</b>          |  | <b>South Colleges</b>       |
|-------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| Allan Hancock College         |  | Antelope Valley College     |
| American River College        |  | Barstow College             |
| Bakersfield College           |  | Chaffey College             |
| Barstow College               |  | Citrus College              |
| Berkeley City College         |  | Coastline College           |
| Butte College                 |  | College of the Canyons      |
| Cabrillo College              |  | College of the Desert       |
| Canada College                |  | College of the Sequoias     |
| Cerro Coso College            |  | Columbia College            |
| Chabot College                |  | Compton College             |
| City College of San Francisco |  | Continuing Education, SDCCD |
| College of Alameda            |  | Copper Mountain College     |
| College of Marin              |  | Crafton Hills College       |
| College of San Mateo          |  | Cuyamaca College            |
| College of the Redwoods       |  | Cypress College             |
| College of the Sequoias       |  | East Los Angeles College    |
| College of the Siskiyous      |  | El Camino College           |
| Contra Costa College          |  | Fullerton College           |
| Cosumnes River College        |  | Glendale Community College  |
| Cuesta College                |  | Golden West College         |
| De Anza College               |  | Grossmont College           |
| Diablo Valley College         |  | Imperial Valley College     |
| Evergreen Valley College      |  | Irvine Valley College       |
| Feather River College         |  | Long Beach City College     |
| Foothill College              |  | Los Angeles City College    |
| Folsom Lake College           |  | Los Angeles Harbor College  |

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| Fresno City College          |  | Los Angeles Mission College         |
| Gavilan College              |  | Los Angeles Pierce College          |
| Hartnell College             |  | Los Angeles Southwest College       |
| Lake Tahoe Community College |  | Los Angeles Trade-Technical College |
| Laney College                |  | Los Angeles Valley College          |
| Lassen College               |  | MiraCosta College                   |
| Las Positas College          |  | Moreno Valley College               |
| Los Medanos College          |  | Mt. San Antonio College             |
| Mendocino College            |  | Mt. San Jacinto College             |
| Merced College               |  | Norco College                       |
| Merritt College              |  | Orange Coast College                |
| Mission College              |  | Oxnard College                      |
| Modesto Junior College       |  | Palomar College                     |
| Napa Valley College          |  | Pasadena City College               |
| Ohlone College               |  | Rio Hondo College                   |
| Palo Verde College           |  | Riverside City College              |
| Porterville College          |  | Saddleback College                  |
| Reedley College              |  | San Bernardino Valley College       |
| San Jose City College        |  | San Diego City College              |
| Santa Barbara City College   |  | San Diego Mesa College              |
| Santa Rosa Junior College    |  | San Diego Miramar College           |
| Shasta College               |  | Santa Ana College                   |
| Sierra College               |  | Santa Monica College                |
| Skyline College              |  | Santiago Canyon College             |
| Solano Community College     |  | Southwestern College                |
| Taft College                 |  | Victor Valley College               |
| Ventura College              |  | West Los Angeles College            |
| West Hills College           |  |                                     |
| West Valley Mission College  |  |                                     |
| Woodland Community College   |  |                                     |
| Yuba College                 |  |                                     |

### **Policy Statement**

The FACCC Board of Governors does not endorse any specific candidate. Any individual endorsement serves only to convey a personal opinion and not that of the Association.

### **Candidate Qualification**

All candidates and their nominees must be FACCC members in good standing. All candidates must meet the qualifications as stated in the FACCC Bylaws.

### **Nomination Form**

Only candidates whose completed nomination forms have been transmitted to the FACCC office by the deadline set forth in the FACCC Elections Calendar will appear on the ballot. Forms may be mailed, faxed, or submitted electronically.

### **Candidate Statements and Photos**

Candidates may submit statements and provide “head shot” photos to support their election. These statements are limited to 500 words and will be printed or posted as submitted. FACCC will NOT edit, spell-check, or otherwise modify submitted statements. References to website URLs and hyperlinks are prohibited. Statements may be submitted via email to [Info@faccc.org](mailto:Info@faccc.org).

Whenever candidate statements appear in FACCC publications, the following line will be added, “Publication of statement and language by the candidate(s) represents only the private positions and/or opinions of those candidate(s), and does not imply endorsement or approval by FACCC.”

Candidates will have the option to include their contact information in their candidate statements.

### **Ballot Tabulation**

Ballots will be counted electronically by software developed and maintained by an independent, third-party service. The vote tally will be reported by the third-party service directly to the FACCC Executive Director who will forward the results to the Membership and Leadership Committee Chair unless they are a candidate in a competitive election. In this circumstance, only the FACCC Executive Director or a designee will hold the results.

### **Reporting Election Results**

The Chair of the Advocacy and Leadership Committee, FACCC Executive Director, or a designee will, as expeditiously as possible, report the results of the election to the candidates followed by FACCC Board of Governors notification and posting on the FACCC webpage and in FACCC publications.

### **Data Information Policy**

FACCC gathers and maintains a database of information about its members, both personal and non-personal\*. Personal data gathered from members is considered private and confidential.

FACCC does not sell or forward personal data to other companies, organizations, and the like.

The FACCC Education Institute and FACCC Political Action Committee have full access to the FACCC data information.

FACCC may facilitate the mailing of materials to its membership for the following purposes:

- To promote FACCC member benefits
- To publicize FACCC-sponsored events
- To provide other information of direct benefit to the members
- To publicize other events or opportunities
- Other reasons as approved by the FACCC Board of Governors

In cases where FACCC facilitates activities such as phone banking for legislative advocacy, FACCC members who participate in phone banks will have one-time access to phone numbers, email addresses, or other pertinent contact information of other FACCC members.

### **Use of the database for campaign purposes is strictly prohibited**

Under some circumstances, FACCC may share non-personal information\* (that which is available from college catalogs and similar sources) with other organizations with the written approval of the President and the Executive Director.

The President and/or Executive Committee must approve any requests for lists of information containing personal data from the FACCC database.

\*Non-personal data may include the name, college, discipline, FACCC membership status, date of hire, date joined, and professional positions held (e.g. Academic Senate President). All other information is considered personal information.

### **Election Requirement**

All candidates for FACCC elections are required to communicate with the Chair of the Advocacy and Leadership Committee or the FACCC Staff as indicated below:

The Chair of the Advocacy and Leadership Committee or a member of the FACCC staff will organize up to three conference calls to review election rules among which the candidate must participate in at least one by the date indicated in the current FACCC Election Calendar. If the scheduled times do not work, it is the candidate's responsibility to contact the Chair of the Advocacy and Leadership Committee or FACCC staff to arrange a viable time. Should the candidate fail to participate in a conference call or arrange for an alternative means to complete this communication with the Advocacy and Leadership Chair or FACCC staff before the date indicated in the current FACCC Election Calendar, he or she will be disqualified from the election.

### **Election Data Distribution**

On the opening day of the election, FACCC will post a link to candidate statements on the FACCC website. Candidates are responsible for sending appropriate material to FACCC staff as indicated in the current FACCC Election Calendar.

To ensure the security of the process, on the first day of the election period, a random access password and an identification number will be distributed to each member eligible to vote in the current election. At least one additional notification will be sent approximately two weeks prior to the close of the election containing a second copy of the password and identification number.

Paper ballots, forms, and other information are available upon request.

### **Expectation of Service**

While fundraising is not a necessary condition for board membership, FACCC Board of Governors are expected to participate in grassroots activity, advocacy, membership recruitment, and elections as well as fulfill the responsibilities of the FACCC Board of Governors specified in the FACCC Bylaws.

### **FACCC Committees**

FACCC Governors are expected to serve on at least one of the association's 10 committees: Legislation & Budget, Advocacy & Leadership, FACCC Political Action, Part-Time Faculty, Policy, Professional Development, Communications, Black, Indigenous, and People of Color, Retirement, and Counselors. In addition, Regional Governors are expected to serve on the Advocacy & Leadership Committee.

### **Attendances at Board Meetings**

Board meetings occur six times each year in various locations throughout California or virtually. The association reimburses necessary travel costs on board meeting dates. Governors are expected to attend each meeting.

### **Membership Recruitment**

FACCC Board members are expected to support FACCC's membership recruitment activities. This includes encouraging colleagues at their campus and nearby colleges to join FACCC. The FACCC Membership Committee, which includes FACCC's Regional Governors, will play a key role in membership recruitment; however, all FACCC board members will be expected to support this work.

### **Bylaw sections regarding ligibility for At-Large, Regional, Part-Time and Retired Governor Candidates**

# Faculty Association of California Community Colleges

## 2025 Nomination Form

*Nominations must be received no later than midnight March 14 by the FACCC office via fax 916.447.0726, standard mail, or as an email attachment to [Info@faccc.org](mailto:Info@faccc.org).*

I hereby submit \_\_\_\_\_ as a candidate for  
\_\_\_\_\_ in FACCC's 2025 Board of Governors Elections.

I have confirmed that this individual knows of this nomination, is interested in running, and desires to serve in the capacity of the office for which they are running.

Name of Nominator (Self Nominations Acceptable): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# Faculty Association of California Community Colleges

## **2025 Candidate Statement**

*Candidates must submit their statements and headshot photos no later than March 21. Statements and photos can be sent via email to [Info@faccc.org](mailto:Info@faccc.org).*

*Alternatively, candidate statements and head shot photos can be entered and uploaded directly online. A link to the form for this purpose will be provided after the nomination is received.*

*To assist you in preparing your statement, the FACCC Advocacy and Leadership Committee has prepared the following template.*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone & Email: \_\_\_\_\_

College: \_\_\_\_\_ Dept./Disc.: \_\_\_\_\_

*Limit word count to a 500 maximum. Your name, college, discipline, and contact information is excluded from the 500-word count. You may wish to include local and statewide experience, education, and reasons for seeking a position on the FACCC Board.*

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# Faculty Association of California Community Colleges

## Policy Acknowledgement

By participating in an elections procedure conference call or Zoom meeting (or by communicating directly with the chair or FACCC staff) I acknowledge that I have read and understand the FACCC Elections Manual and policies regarding elections rules, candidacy, campaigning, and the prohibition against use of confidential membership information relating to running for any position on the FACCC Board of Governors.

## FACCC 2025 Election Calendar

|                         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| February 3–<br>March 14 | Nominations open for FACCC elections. Advocacy and Leadership Committee and other FACCC leaders will contact prospects to ask them to consider running for office and recommend candidates for office.                                                                            |
| March 14                | Nominations end at and must be received by midnight.                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
| March 21                | Deadline for candidates to submit ballot statements, photos, and certification that they have read and will abide by the elections manual. Between March 24 and 28, candidates will communicate with the Advocacy and Leadership Committee Chair or FACCC staff to discuss rules. |
| March 28                | All candidates must have contacted the Advocacy and Leadership Chair or FACCC staff on election procedures by 5:00 PM.                                                                                                                                                            |
| April 1                 | Elections open with online voting and random passwords distributed to the membership for voting online.                                                                                                                                                                           |
| April 30                | Online voting ends at midnight.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| May 1                   | Independent auditor completes tabulation and reports to FACCC office. FACCC staff forwards this information to the Advocacy and Leadership Chair or designee.                                                                                                                     |
| May 2 - 9               | Candidates informed of results by the Advocacy and Leadership Chair, FACCC staff, or designee.                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| May 12                  | Election results posted to FACCC website.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| June 15                 | New terms begin for elected officers.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |

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