SALISBURY UNIVERSITY FACULTY SENATE MOTION
Submit this form to the Faculty Senate President

SUBJECT: Faculty Committees Review Proposed Curriculum Approval Guide (CAG)

SENATOR PROPOSING MOTION: Anita Brown

SENATOR SECONDING MOTION:

MOTION (this section alone will be recorded in the minutes):

The Faculty Senate President will notify the Graduate Curriculum Committee (GCC) and each Unit curriculum committee (the CHHS, Fulton, Henson, Perdue, and Seidel College/School Curriculum Committees (C/SCC)) that the Faculty Senate (FS) is reviewing the proposed Curriculum Approval Guide that was submitted to FS by the UCC in 2025. In the notification, the FS President will provide a link to the proposed CAG. The FS President will offer the opportunity for these committees to send feedback to the FS President by 21 April. The FS President will distribute any feedback received to the senators of the FS. Then on 28 April, the FS will address a motion to approve the CAG. The approval of the CAG could occur after the CAG is amended by the FS.

JUSTIFICATION:

Faculty Senators have heard from some faculty committees that must adhere to the Curriculum Approval Guide (CAG) that those committees would like an opportunity to review and make suggestions about the CAG. While the proposed CAG has been available to all faculty for quite a while, it seems it was not publicized to these groups. Given that these committees have their processes included in the CAG, and that the curriculum is central to the mission of the University, it seems the FS should hear from these groups before releasing an approved CAG that all curriculum committees must follow. Most College/School Curriculum Committees meet approximately bi-weekly. Hence these committees should be given at least two weeks after this motion has passed to submit feedback. In addition, the feedback should be received ahead of when the CAG will be considered on the FS floor to give senators some time to informally discuss the feedback and consider possible amendments to the CAG.

     Note: This is a recommendation to the FS
Is this a recommendation to the Provost? Yes____   No__X__
Is this a recommendation to someone else? No____   Yes, to _____

VOTE: Number of Senators Present: Motion Passes or Fails: