UAM ASSEMBLY MINUTES

"Electronic Assembly Meeting"

April 13, April 28, May 1, and May 3, 2000

Chair Kate Stewart called an electronic Assembly meeting where the voting members do it via e-mail. An announcement of Assembly By-Laws and the proposed amendment was distributed to all members via e-mail on April 13, 2000. The e-mail allowed the Assembly to vote on a proposed amendment regarding the change in membership of the Teacher Education Committee. The information regarding the proposed amendment was available for ten school days before a vote was taken. The votes were not accepted or counted regarding the amendment before Friday, April 28, 2000. The voting officially closed at 11:59 p.m. on that day. All procedural rules and the quorum count applied to this vote.

On May 1, 2000, only 54 members of the Assembly voted on the proposed amendment. This number was significantly short of the two-thirds vote needed for passage. Chair Stewart exercised her authority to extend the voting period on the amendment until 4:30 p.m., Tuesday, May 2, 2000.

On May 3, 2000, only 91 members of the Assembly voted on the proposed amendment. This number was short of the necessary two-thirds vote needed for passage.