Recommendation of the University Committee to amend Chapter 6.25(1), Organization of Faculty Standing Committees, UWM Policies and Procedures.

6.25 Organization of Faculty Standing Committees

(1) After receiving notice that any necessary appointments have been made, the faculty candidate receiving the highest number of votes in an election shall call an organizational meeting of the committee, during the first four weeks of the academic year.

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(1) When all faculty appointments to the committee have been made, the Secretary of the University shall designate a faculty member of the committee as the person responsible for calling an organizational meeting of the committee during the first four weeks of the academic year.

RATIONALE: The present method of calling the first meeting of the committee guarantees that the person responsible for calling the meeting is a newly-elected member of the committee and hence, in all likelihood a person unfamiliar with the business and procedures of the committee and a stranger to the continuing members. Having a continuing member of the committee call the first meeting would facilitate the annual job of getting started.

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