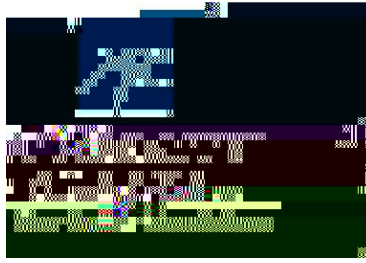


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Dear VPASA Layer,

In an email communication dated March 7, 2018 from you to the UA E-Learning Subgroup, each campus was asked to identify one program that might be a candidate for outsourcing and discuss the pros and cons of pursuing this track. The Faculty Alliance (FA) was informed of this directive and reminded that the majority of UA faculty do not support outsourcing of *any* academic programs. In a subsequent email communication from you to me (March 19, 2018), a distinction between academic and other “programs” thus I am writing this letter to reiterate the majority opinion of the UA faculty through a statement from the FA.

The Faculty Alliance is strongly opposed to outsourcing of any academic program to any entity not under the control of the facult-

Learning group
(<http://alaska.edu/files/pathways/1.2-eLearning-Report.pdf>) it would appear that this task has already been accomplished and the results clearly skewed against outsourcing of programs. If cost-savings are a factor in driving the continued consideration of this unpopular direction, then I would cite UA administrators stating during public meetings that outsourcing is *always* more expensive. Furthermore, the charge to the SP PhII E-Learning group included instructions to

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decentralization, are all published at the addr

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