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The University Faculty Council fully supports the EMU- AAUP in its representation of faculty in the current negotiations with the administration of Eastern Michigan University to obtain a fair and equitable labor agreement. The lack of progress toward reaching a resolution of the outstanding issues is unacceptable. Faculty need and deserve to have a new binding Master Agreement with Eastern Michigan University's administration. Therefore, the UFC strongly urges all parties to work in good faith and to use all available methods to reach an agreement as soon as possible.

The resolution passed unanimously with minimal discussion. Daryl Barton will distribute it to the Regents, Provost (who was present throughout this meeting), Deans, Department Heads, and post it on the website.

During the discussion on joint governance it became clear that there are mediators who specialize in higher education. Perhaps this is a route to explore.