

**3335-13-06 and University IP Policy
Non-Substantive/Technical Changes to IP Policy**

Synopsis: Amends process for approving non-substantive changes to the university Intellectual Property Policy.

WHEREAS the university has an interest in maintaining a valid and accurate Intellectual Property (IP) policy; and

WHEREAS non-substantive portions of the IP policy, such as management hierarchy, weblink addresses, and university titles, often need updating; and

WHEREAS the current rule around intellectual policy requires that any changes to the university IP policy be voted on by both Faculty Council and the University Senate; and

WHEREAS it is important to retain Faculty Council and University Senate oversight of substantive changes to the IP policy; and

WHEREAS a streamlined process for non-substantive changes to the IP policy facilitates quick changes and updates to keep the IP policy current while still providing faculty and senate oversight via the intellectual property and patents committee; and

WHEREAS Faculty Council approved the proposed policy change on March 2, 2023 and the Rules Committee unanimously approved the proposed rule change on March 3, 2023;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that a revision to rule 3335-13-06 and university intellectual property policy be approved by the University Senate and respectfully request concurrence of the Board of Trustees effective upon approval by the Board of Trustees.