**The Council of University System Faculty**

**Report from 11/08/22 Virtual Meeting**

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* **General Observation.** This was a pretty dysfunctional meeting. The chair showed little to no ability to control the meeting agenda. Probably a third of the meeting was wasted discussing whether not the meeting could be videotaped. In general, not much was accomplished.
* **Faculty Representation on the Board of Regents**. There was much discussion about the feasibility on having a CUFU Representative on the USM Board of Regents. One member indicated that there was student representation but no faculty representation on the Board. During the discussion, it was pointed out that there was a provision in Maryland State Law to included student representation, but no such provision existed for faculty.
* **Hidden Agendas.** It appeared that several representatives had hidden agendas and made comments solely to disrupt the proceedings.
* **Faculty Concerns.** The much discussion about whether or not the chair was following the proper protocol for presenting several faculty concern issues for a vote prior to those issues being addressed by the appropriate CUFU subcommittee.