Raid,

Thanks for bringing this to the Senate’s attention.

I am by way of a copy of this email charging the Academic Council of the Faculty Senate, chaired by Dr. Jossy Uvah, to review and make recommendations regarding the rule you outline below, which involves students being able to switch from AUDIT to A/F without instructor’s approval if done by the deadline (same as withdrawing).

Best regards,

Jay
It has come to my attention that such a rule actually allows students the choice to sign up for a course as AUDIT, and then wait after the first exam or later and then request a change from AUDIT to a letter grade. I called Ann Dziadon, UWF Registrar, to get clarifications on this issue, and she informed me today that such a rule was established at UWF before she became Registrar.

If this rule is spread among students, we may find one day a majority of students signing up as AUDIT students, testing the waters for quite some time, and then switching to a letter grade. It does not make for a good rule.

Thanks in advance for having the Senate take a second look at this rule.

Raid