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FROM: Ethan Durham, M.P.A, Manager of Policy and Board Operations

DATE: May 27, 2026

RE: Notice of Comment Period: 11.2.1ADR, Acceptable Use of Information Technology Resources

MEMORANDUM

Substantive revisions to Administrative Regulation 11.2.1ADR, Acceptable Use of Information Technology Resources, have been drafted and are being posted for the required ten-business-day public comment period in accordance with [University Policy 1.1.1, Policy on Policies and Regulations](#). Copies of the proposed draft, the existing regulation, and the public comment form are available on the [EKU Policy Website](#). The comment period will begin Wednesday, March 27, 2026, and will remain open until the close of business Tuesday, June 9, 2026.

Revisions were worked on by the Office of Information Technology, including Byron Sims, Executive Director of Infrastructure, Security, & Systems; Jeffrey Whitaker, Chief Information Officer; and Carrie Ernest, Chief Innovation and Optimization Officer.

The proposed update removes the provision allowing retiring employees to transition to and retain an eku.edu email address after separation from the University.

In accordance with Policy 1.1.1, these proposed revisions are submitted to the University community for review during the public comment period. As required, the President's Cabinet, Provost's Cabinet, Staff Council, and Executive Committee of the Faculty Senate are being notified of this posting. All comments received will be routed to the appropriate stakeholders for consideration prior to finalization.

Comments should be submitted directly through the public comment form on the [EKU Policy Website](#). If you have any questions, please reach out to the Office of University Counsel at university.counsel@eku.edu