

A Better Colgate

the independent voice of alumni

Petition to the Colgate University Board of Trustees

The undersigned hereby asks the Colgate University Board of Trustees to change the corporate bylaws to allow direct alumni elections of one-third of the members of the Board of Trustees in a free and fair election by a majority vote equal to or greater than 50 percent plus one of the alumni voting.

Once the change to the By-Laws is made allowing direct alumni elections for one-third of the members of the Board of Trustees, that governing body will be prohibited from changing either an election by alumni, or the composition of the Board, without a vote of the alumni approving such a change.

The undersigned agrees with these guiding principles for the Board of Trustees:

- 1) Reduce the cost to attend Colgate University;
- 2) Return Colgate to its core mission: the welfare and education of its students;
- 3) Broaden the participation of alumni in policy-making discussions about Colgate's future.

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