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Rationale

When the number of council members was increased to twenty (20) as stated in 2.2.a., the number of positions permitted to expire in any given year was not changed to accommodate the increased number expiring terms. This change will ensure that no matter how many council members positions are established, no more than one third of the members can be replaced in any one year. Thus providing continuity in the leadership of NIFA.