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Did you read <u>The Hattiesburg American</u> report that the USM Faculty Senate has come out in support of Jeff Hammond? <u>Two women</u> have filed EEOC <u>complaints</u> against Mr. Hammond claiming harassment. Don't you think the Faculty Senate should have at least waited until the EEOC completed its report especially given their professed ignorance about what happened? If Hammond truly bullied and intimidated staff members, can the Faculty Senate truly believe he should be Athletic Director, let alone have a continuing relationship with the University?

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