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Louisiana Board of Regents  
(225) 342-4253**HBCU Advisory Council November Meeting**

**Who:** HBCU Advisory Council  
**What:** HBCU Advisory Council November Meeting  
**When:** Thursday, November 12, 2020  
**Where:** Meeting held via Video Conference;  
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*Kim Hunter Reed, Chair*  
*James Ammons*  
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*Joseph Bouie*  
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*Preston Castille*  
*Ava Dejeie*  
*Rodney Ellis*  
*Randal Gaines*  
*Richard Gallot, Jr.*  
*Jimmy Harris*  
*James Henderson*  
*Jason Hughes*



*Walter Kimbrough*  
*Mandi Mitchell*  
*Orlando McMeans*  
*John Pierre*  
*Edward Price*  
*Larissa Littleton-Stelb*  
*Toya Barnes-Teamer*  
*Brianna Thomas*  
*Reynold Verret*  
*Arlanda Williams*  
*Stephanie Willis*

**HBCU ADVISORY COUNCIL AGENDA**  
**Thursday, November 12**  
**10:00 am – 12:00 pm**

10:00 a.m. – 10:03 a.m.	<b>Call to Order/ Roll Call</b> <i>Dr. Kim Hunter Reed, Commissioner of Higher Education</i>
10:03 a.m. – 10:05 a.m.	<b>Approval of the August Minutes</b>
10:05 a.m. -10:15 a.m.	<b>Male Teacher Initiative</b> <i>Dr. Cade Brumley, Louisiana State Superintendent of Education</i>
10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	<b>Horizon Discussion</b> <i>Dr. Walter Kimbrough, Dillard University</i>
10:30 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	<b>COVID Related Updates:</b> <i>Erasing the Digital Divide</i> <i>Dr. Ray Belton, Southern University</i>  <i>COVID Vaccine Trials</i> <i>Dr. Reynold Verret, Xavier University</i>  <i>Student Health Ambassadors</i> <i>Dr. Walter Kimbrough, Dillard University</i>  <i>COVID Ag Outreach/Mobile Labs</i> <i>Dr. Orlando McMeans, Southern University Ag Center</i>
11:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	<b>2021 Council Goals Discussion</b> <i>Dr. Kim Hunter Reed, Commissioner of Higher Education</i>
11:30 a.m. – 11:45a.m.	<b>LED FastStart</b> <i>Mandi Mitchell, Louisiana Economic Development</i>
11:45 a.m. – 11:55 a.m.	<b>Potential Legislation</b> <i>Rep. Jason Hughes, La. Legislative Black Caucus</i>
11:55 a.m.	<b>Closing Remarks ~ Next Steps, Future Meetings</b>
12:00 p.m.	<b>Adjourn</b>

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