# ACADEMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Friday, June 24, 2022 Southern University at Shreveport Jesse Stone Lecture Hall Shreveport, LA 71107 9:00 AM

### **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Swearing-In of the New Student Board Member
- 4. Roll Call
- 5. Adoption of the Agenda
- 6. Public Comments
- 7. Action Item(s)
  - a. Request Approval to Establish the Insurance Law and Policy Institute at the Southern University Law Center (SULC)
    - Approval of this institute establishes a pipeline for creating academic and workforce opportunities with the La Department of Insurance.
  - b. Articulation Agreement between Washtenaw Community College (WCC) and Southern University at New Orleans in the following areas (SUNO)
    - 1. Biology
    - 2. Child Development and Family Studies
    - 3. HBCU Partnership
    - 4. Criminal Justice

Approval of this agreement solidifies a partnership between SUNO and Washtenaw Community College for the purpose of recruitment.

- 8. Other Business
- 9. Adjournment

### **MEMBERS**

Mr. Sam Gilliam- Chairman, Dr. Leon Tarver-Vice-Chair, Ms. Arlanda Williams, Mrs. Ann Smith, Mr. Myron Lawson, Mrs. Christy Reeves Atty. Edwin Shorty - Ex Officio

# **ATHLETICS COMMITTEE**

Friday, June 24, 2022 (Following the Academic Affairs Committee) Southern University at Shreveport Jesse Stone Lecture Hall Shreveport, LA 71107 9:00 AM

### **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Adoption of the Agenda
- 4. Public Comments
- 5. Action Items

A. Request Approval of Contract Extension for Head Baseball Coach Chris Crenshaw

Approval of this item extends the term by two-years to the existing contract. All other terms of the original contract remain the same.

- 6. Other Business
- 7. Adjournment

## **MEMBERS**

Atty. Domoine Rutledge- Chairman, Dr. Rani Whitfield – Vice-Chairman, Mr. Myron Lawson, M. Richard Hillard. Raymond Fondel Atty. Jody Amedee, III Atty. Edwin Shorty – Ex Officio

## FACILITIES AND PROPERTY COMMITTEE

(Following the Athletics Committee)
Friday, June 24, 2022
Southern University at Shreveport
Jesse Stone Lecture Hall
Shreveport, LA 71107

#### **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Adoption of the Agenda
- 4. Public Comments
- 5. Action Items
  - A. Request Approval to Submit Act 959 Projects. (SUS)

    Act 959 of 2003 permits higher education institutions to initiate certain capital
    projects not exceeding \$5M that are funded with self-generated revenues, auxiliary
    income, grants, donations, local, or federal funds. Approval of this agenda item
    will all SUS to submit the following projects to the Louisiana Board of Regents, the
    Division of Administration, and the Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget for
    final approval:
    - (1) Global Innovation and Welcome Center This project involves the construction of a 12,000sf building to house the Office of Sponsored Research and the Office for International Students while also serving as a Welcome Center for campus visitors. The building will have a large auditorium that can also be used as a social distancing compliant classroom as well as meeting/lecture rooms and conference rooms. The estimated project cost is \$5M which will be funded through a combination of Title III grant funds and HEERF funds.
    - (2) T.H. Harris Learning Lobby This project involves enclosing the walkways and a portion of the courtyard adjacent to T.H. Harris Hall and conditioning this enclosed space to provide an area for individual and collaborative student activities. The estimate for this project is \$1.5M which will be funded with Title III grant funds and HEERF funds.
    - (3) Outdoor Classroom/Amphitheatre This project involves the construction of a 1500 seat outdoor classroom and lecture space. The estimated project cost is \$2M which will be funded with HEERF funds.
    - (4) New Public Safety Building This project involves the construction of a new campus police station to relocate campus police operations in preparation for the construction of the new School of Business and Professional Accountancy

building. The estimated project cost is \$500,000 which will be funded with HEERF funds.

# 6. Informational Item(s)

## A. Project Updates

### Southern University Agricultural and Research Extension Center

- A.O. Williams Hall Renovations (\$5,600,400) –East under construction. Estimated construction completion Spring 2023
- Mega Disaster Relief Shelter (\$23,375,000) Design continues. Estimated construction completion TBD

## Southern University - Baton Rouge Campus

- School of Business/Professional Accountancy (\$45,500,000) Programming meetings being held with designer and the University
- New STEM Complex Building (\$68,500,000) Design continues. Programming meetings being held with designer and the University
- Stewart Hall Wall Mounted HVAC Units 1st, 2nd and 3rd Floors (\$1,800,000) Design phase continues
- Honors Dormitory Project (\$36,000,000) Preliminary Programming Underway. Anticipated designer selection in August 2022.
- New Student Life Center/Union (\$45,000,000) Preliminary Programming Underway. Anticipated designer selection in August 2022.
- DOTD Ravine Erosion Control & Road Improvements (TBD) Additional \$35M from USDA committed for project
- J.W. Fisher Renovations Phase 1 Classroom & Labs, Mechanical, Electrical, Window Systems, Interior Finishes Upgrades (\$8,500,000) Currently in Progress
- Demolition of Jesse Owens Hall, Dairy Barn (\$388,202) Demolition in progress
- Global Innovation Center (\$5,000,000) Preliminary programming in progress. Will proceed as a self-funded Act 959 project. Anticipated Joint Legislative Committee on the Budget approval of Act 959 project in August 2022. Anticipated designer selection in September 2022.
- Administration Building Waterproofing (\$635,000) Design phase continues
- Southern University Museum of Art/National Historic District Building (\$5,625,876) Construction in Progress
- Modify or Replace Lift Station #2 (\$1,398,962) Ready to bid
- J.K. Haynes Hall School of Nursing Renovation and Addition (\$38,500,000) \$10M in Priority 5 General Obligation bond funding added to Capital Outlay bill by Senate floor amendment. Project is underfunded with no cash and cannot proceed in FY23.

## Southern University Law Center

Renovations and Addition to Existing Law Library (\$11,400,000) – Fusion Architects, APC + Williams & Williams Architecture, LLC - A Joint Venture Partnership selected as designer. Pre-design conference pending.

## Southern University - New Orleans Campus

- ADA Compliant Restroom and Public Accommodations. (\$1,650,000) –In design phase. FY23 progress will depend on lines of credit granted for the project.
- Campus Exterior Lighting Upgrades (\$1,000,000) New Project preliminary programming needed. Designer selection cannot proceed until Priority 2 cash line of credit is granted (most likely October 2022 or later).
- University Cafeteria (\$7,000,000) 2022 Capital Outlay Act appropriates \$1.5M less than requested. Preliminary programming needed. Will possibly need to scale down the project to proceed with design in FY23.

## Southern University - Shreveport Campus

- Louis Collier Hall Science Building Renovation (\$4,200,000) Existing funding is approximately \$10M less than required for the major renovation project desired. The Office of Facility Planning and Control (FPC) will not proceed with the design of \$14M project without supplemental funding for the project and has suggested that we proceed with the smaller renovation while seeking additional funds. The System Office of Facilities Planning recommends requesting that FPC place this project "on hold" pending additional funding in FY24.
- Health & Physical Education Building Demolition (\$510,000) Designer direct appointed Newman Marchive Inc. Scheduling Pre-Design Conference.
- New Workforce Training and Technology Center (\$19,200,000) Priority 2 cash line of credit is needed to complete planning and design. OFP will request FPC to complete design phases as funding becomes available and proceed with designer selection in August 2022. Therefore, preliminary programming is needed. Existing funding will allow FPC to contract designer for the Program Completion and Design Development phases of planning and design.
- Restoration of Atrium Glass Dome and Associated Roof Repairs and Waterproofing, Metro Building (\$635,000) Design phase continues.
- Gym Complex (\$9,000,000) Preliminary programming needed. Anticipated designer selection in August 2022.
- 7. Other Business
- 8. Adjournment

### **MEMBERS**

Mr. Sam Gilliam- Chairman, Dr. Rani Whitfield-Vice-Chair, Mr. Richard Hilliard, Mr. John Barthelemy, Dr. Leon Tarver, Mr. Myron Lawson Atty. Edwin Shorty - Ex Officio

# FINANCE COMMITTEE

(Following Facilities and Property Committee)
Friday, June 24, 2022
Southern University at Shreveport
Jesse Stone Lecture Hall
Shreveport, LA 71107

#### **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Adoption of the Agenda
- 4. Public Comments
- 5. Action Items
  - A. Request Approval of Ratification of Fiscal Year 2021-2022 Budget Adjustment (BA-7) for the Southern University System:
    - 1. Southern University Board of Supervisors
    - 2. Southern University Baton Rouge (SUBR)
    - 3. Southern University Law Center (SULC)
    - 4. Southern University New Orleans (SUNO)
    - 5. Southern University Shreveport (SUSLA)
    - 6. Southern University Agricultural Extension and Research Center (SUAREC)
  - B. Request Approval of Academic Program Fee Adjustments (SUSLA)

Approval of this item will allow for a fee increase for various academic programs in the area of Allied Health and Nursing programs.

- 6. Informational Item
  - A. Interim Financial Reports
- 7. Other Business
- 8. Adjournment

### **MEMBERS**

Mrs. Arlanda Williams- Chairman, Mr. Myron Lawson-Vice-Chair, Dr. Leon Tarver, Mrs. Christy Reeves, Atty. Domoine Rutledge, Mr. Sam Gilliam Atty. Edwin Shorty - Ex Officio

# **GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE**

(Following Finance Committee)
Friday, June 24, 2022
Southern University at Shreveport
Jesse Stone Lecture Hall
Shreveport, LA 71107

#### **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Adoption of the Agenda
- 4. Public Comments
- 5. Action Item
  - A. Request Approval of the Following Items to Ensure Compliance with SACSCOC Approval of this agenda item will ensure continued compliance with SACSCOC Standards for the 2021-2022 Annual Review Cycle
    - 1. Mission Review (Standard 4.2a)
      - a. SUBR
      - b. SUNO
      - c. SUSLA
      - d. SULC
      - e. SUAREC
    - 2. Board Conflict of Interest (Standard 4.2d)
    - 3. Board Self-Evaluation (Standard 4.2g)
- 6. Other Business
- 7. Adjournment

## **MEMBERS**

Mr. Myron Lawson- Chairman, Dr. Leon Tarver, II, -Vice-Chair, Dr. Leroy Davis, Ms. Christy O. Reeves, Mr. Kevin Taylor-Jarrell, II Atty. Edwin Shorty- Ex Officio

# PERSONNEL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

(Following Governance Committee)
Friday, June 24, 2022
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Jesse Stone Lecture Hall
Shreveport, LA 71107

### **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Adoption of the Agenda
- 4. Public Comments
- 5. Action Items
  - A. Request Approval to Implement Equitable Salary and Wage Adjustments for Faculty, as Aligned by SREB benchmarks (SUBR)

Rank	SREB	SUBR	Percentage	Projected	Allocation	Percentage
	Average	Current	Increase	Salary		to SREB
		Salary		Adjustment		Average
Instructor	\$48,578	\$46,518	\$1200	\$47,718	\$67,200	98%
Assistant	\$65,971	\$65,204	3%	\$67,160	\$213,217	100%
Professor						
Associate	\$73,930	\$74,181	3%	\$76,406	\$106,820	100%
Professor						
Professor	\$90,951	\$82,506	6%	\$87,456	\$237,617	96%

B. Request Approval to Implement Equitable Salary and Wage Adjustments for Faculty, as Aligned by SREB benchmarks (SUNO)

			SUNO Current		Increase		Increase Allocation		Increase		Total		Percentage to
Rank	SREB A	Average	Average Salary		Allocation 5%		80% of SREB		Allocation <\$70k		Allocation		SREB Average
Instructor	\$	51,244	\$	36,333	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	0%
Assistant Professor	\$	61,031	\$	55,292	\$	110,585	\$	-	\$		\$	143,152	99%
Associate Professor	\$	70,756	\$	55,626	\$	68,401	\$	52,092	\$	-	\$	155,978	90%
Professor	\$	82,216	\$	72,663	\$	76,297	\$	93,156	\$	15,921	\$	239,965	99%

C. Request Approval to Implement Equitable Salary and Wage Adjustments for Faculty, as Aligned by SREB benchmarks (SUSLA)

Rank	SREB Average by Rank	SUSLA Average Current Salary	Average Amount to attain SREB Avg. by Rank	Average Projected Salary Adjustment	Allocation	Percentage to SREB Average by Rank
Instructor	\$49,690	\$41,592	\$8,098	\$49,690	\$177,637	100%

Assistant Professor	\$55,014	\$44,436	\$10,578	\$55,014	\$173,945	100%	
Associate Professor	\$60,773	\$45,258	\$15,515	\$60,773	\$109,733	100%	
Professor	\$68,230	\$57,675	\$10,515	\$68,230	\$19,355	100%	
				Total allocation	\$480,670		

- D. Request Approval to Implement Across the Board 5% Salary and Wage Increases to Eligible Full-time and Part-Time Employees at the Southern University Law Center (SULC)
- E. Request Approval to Implement Across the Board 5% Salary and Wage Adjustments to Eligible Full-Time and Part-Time Employees at the Southern University Agricultural Research and Extension Center (SUAREC)
- F. Request Approval of Proposed Civil-Service Employee Retirement Incentive Plan (SUSLA)
- G. Request Approval of Interim Administrative Positions at Southern University at Shreveport (SUSLA)

Name	Position/Campus	Salary	Funding Source
1. Saundra Bigham	Interim Assistant Dean of Workforce Development Interim Appointment (SUSLA)	\$62,712.00	State
2. Calvin Lester	Interim Assistant Vice-Chancellor for Student Affairs Interim Appointment (SUSLA)	\$62,712.00	State
3. Lonnie McCray	Interim Vice-Chancellor for Academic Affairs & Workforce Development Interim Appointment (SUSLA)	\$108,576.00	State
4. Sharmain Talbert	Interim Director of Enrollment Management and Recruitment Interim Appointment (SUSLA)	\$62,712.00	State
5. Vanessa White	Interim Dean of Business, Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (B-STEM) Interim Appointment (SUSLA)	\$66,272.40	State
6. Frank Williams	Interim Chief of Staff / Executive Director of the SUSF Interim Appointment (SUSLA)	\$82,600.20	State
7. Dameoyn Woodley	Interim Registrar Interim Appointment (SUSLA)	\$62,935.20	State

H. Request Approval of Personnel Action on Positions equal to or greater than \$60,000

Name	Position/Campus	Salary	Funding Source
1. Brunetta Adams	Assessment/Accountability Coordinator New Appointment (SUBR)	\$64,271.00	State
2. Christopher Crenshaw	Head Baseball Coach Salary Adjustment (SUBR)	\$110,000.00	State
3. Brian Frye	Visiting Professor New Appointment (SULC)		State
4. Nadia Gadson	Assistant Dean and Associate Professor International Affairs, Service Learning and University Outreach Salary Adjustment (SUBR)	\$78,557.00	State
5. Cary Hollins	Associate Comptroller for Finance New Appointment (SUBR)	\$77,983.00	State
6. Carl Johnson	Interim Dean College of Arts and Science Interim Appointment (SUNO)	\$90,000.00	State
7. Candis Joseph	Chief Budget Officer New Appointment (SUBR)	\$82,482.00	State
8. Rodney Kirschner	Asst. to Director of Athletics/ SID Director Salary Adjustment (SUBR)	\$88,585.00	State
9. Peter Kochenburger Visiting Professor (9-month) New Appointment (SULC)		\$117,000.00	State
10. Alisa Ross	Director of Data Assessment and QEP Additional Duties/Salary Adjustment (SUBR)	\$70,000.00	Federal
11. Felicia Roussel	Assistant Director of Facilities  New Appointment  (SULC)	\$72,000.00	State
12. Lashonda Stirgus	CFO/SWA for Athletics Salary Adjustment (SUBR)	\$94,700.00	State
13. Kelly Smith	Chair of BSN Program/Assoc Prof Nursing New Appointment (SUNO)	\$125,000.00	State
14. Michael Taylor  Asst. Vice Chancellor for Enrollment Management and Student Success Additional Responsibilities (SUBR)		\$98,600.00	Federal
15. Sonia Wilson	TANF Program Manager and Business Consultant Additional Duties/Salary Adjustment (SUBR)	\$80,000.00	State
16. Melva Williams	Chief of Staff New Appointment (SUS)	\$150,000.00	State

I. Request Approval of Leave/Sabbatical for Southern University Law Center Faculty Members:

- 1. Adam Crepelle
- 2. Katherine Macfarlane
- 3. Kenya Smith
- 6. Other Business
- 7. Adjournment

# **MEMBERS**

Dr. Leon Tarver - Chairman, Mrs. Christy Reeves–Vice-Chair, Mr. Samuel Tolbert, Mr. Raymond Fondel, Ms. Arlanda Williams, Atty. Jody Amedee Atty. Edwin Shorty - Ex Officio

# SOUTHERN UNIVERSITY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

(Following Personnel Affairs Committee)
Friday, June 24, 2022
Southern University at Shreveport
Jesse Stone Lecture Hall
Shreveport, LA 71107

#### **AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Roll Call
- 3. Adoption of the Agenda
- 4. Public Comments
- 5. Special Presentations
  - A. Check Presentations (SUSLA)
  - B. Above and Beyond Awards
  - C. President-Chancellor Ray L. Belton
    - 1. Video Presentation
    - 2. Board Presentations
- 6. Action Items
  - A. Request Approval of Minutes of the May 20, 2022, SUS Board of Supervisors Meeting
  - B. Request Approval of Committee Reports and Recommendations
  - C. Request Approval of the Southern University System Sponsorship between Coca-Cola Bottling Company and the Southern University System (SUS) Approval of this sponsorship agreement will allow Coca-Cola to offer products for sale and/or sampling on the campuses, and to promote their consumption and sale.
  - D. Request Approval of the Cooperative Endeavor Agreement between the Southern University System Foundation and the Southern University System (SUS)
    - Approval of this item will authorize the removal and resurfacing a new track for A. W. Mumford Stadium (2022-2023 Track Season).
  - E. Request Approval of Resolution between Louisiana Energy Partners (LAEP) and Southern University and A&M College Baton Rouge Landmass (SUS) *This proposed resolution will lock-in funding to execute and agreement for thermal energy services.*
  - F. Request Approval to Establish the Ray L. Belton Endowed Scholarship Fund (SUSLA)

- G. Request Approval of Memorandum of Understanding between SULC and Zinpro (SULC)
- Approval of this item provides for additional programs and opportunities within the Heirs Property Initiative. Zinpro Corporation has committed to providing \$25,000 for legal services to individuals for wills and successions.
- H. Request approval of Contract Renewal between the Southern University Agricultural Research and Extension Center and Llera Holistic Healthcare (SUAREC)
- I. Request Approval to Dissolve the October 1,2022 Memorandum of Understanding between the SUNO Foundation and SUNO. Additionally, to Repeal Section 6-4 Southern University at New Orleans Foundation by the Bylaws and Regulations of the Board of Supervisors (SUNO) Approval of this item will dissolve SUNOs official relationship with the SUNO Foundation and allow it to be an unofficial, independent asset to SUNO's students.
- 7. Resolutions
- 8. Informational Item(s)
  - A. Legislative Updates
  - B. President's Report
  - C. Chancellor's Report
- 9. Other Business
- 10. Adjournment