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UNIVERSITY OF IOWA PRESIDENTIAL SEARCH UPDATE

Action Requested: Receive the report.

Executive Summary: The co-chairs of the University of Iowa Presidential Search Committee, Sandra Daack-Hirsch and John Keller, will present an update to the Board on the search for the next president at the University of Iowa. Their update will include the naming of the full 21-member search committee.

Background: At its October 5, 2020 meeting, the Board authorized the Executive Director, in consultation with Board leadership, to undertake actions regarding the search for the next president at the University of Iowa. These actions included establishing a search committee and establishing a timetable for the search. The co-chairs of the search committee, Sandy Daack-Hirsch and John Keller, were named on October 13, and have been involved in the composition of the committee and selection of committee members.

Below are the members of the search committee:

University of Iowa Presidential Search Committee

Sandy Daack-Hirsch, associate professor, and interim executive associate dean of the College of Nursing (co-chair)

John Keller, associate provost, and dean of the Graduate College (co-chair)

P. Sue Beckwith, alumna

Nancy Boettger, Board of Regents, State of Iowa

David Cunning, professor of philosophy and department chair, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

Anjali Deshpande, clinical associate professor of epidemiology, College of Public Health

Armando Duarte, professor of dance and director of the bachelor of fine arts program, College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

Richard Frauenholz, president, AFSCME Local 12

Cathy Glasson, president, SEIU Local 199

Mackensie Graham, president, graduate and professional student government

Nicole Grosland, professor of biomedical engineering, College of Engineering, and faculty athletics representative

Kay Hegarty, associate professor of practice in accounting, College of Business

Jim Lindenmayer, Board of Regents, State of Iowa

Teresa Marshall, professor and Michael W. Finkelstein Centennial Professor of Teaching, College of Dentistry, and vice president, faculty senate

Heather Mineart, president, staff council

John Piegors, president, graduate student senate and UE Local 896 COGS

Ali Salem, professor of pharmaceutical sciences and Lyle and Sharon Bighley Endowed Chair, College of Pharmacy

Liz Tovar, interim associate vice president for diversity, equity and inclusion

Doug Van Daele, professor of otolaryngology, executive director, UI physicians, and vice dean of clinical affairs, Carver College of Medicine

Connor Wooff, president, undergraduate student government

Joseph Yockey, professor and Michael and Brenda Sandler Faculty Fellow in Corporate Law, College of Law, and president, faculty senate