

SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF REGENTS

Planning and Resource Development

AGENDA ITEM: 4 - F

DATE: May 11-12, 2016

SUBJECT: Regental Civil Service Advisory Council Update

Each academic year, the Regental Civil Service Advisory Council (RCSAC) meets in October and April. The council is composed of Civil Service Act (CSA) employees from each institution who are elected by their institutional councils to be the state council representative. Per BOR Policy 1:7:5, a report is to be taken to the Board after each meeting.

The RCSAC met on April 21 – 22, 2016 at the University of South Dakota (USD) and the South Dakota School for the Deaf (SDSD). Kayla Bastian, the Executive Director’s delegate, met with the council to discuss the following items:

1. 2016 legislative update;
2. ACES Performance Management System;
3. FY17 health insurance changes;
4. Implementation of new benefit deductions;
5. South Dakota Retirement System new plan design for FY18.

The campuses each shared updates from their institutional CSA councils, and officer elections were held. In addition, the council was given a tour of the USD nursing simulation lab. The elected officers for 2016 – 2017 are:

- President – Robert Van Wagner, NSU
- Vice President – Lisa Behrends, SDSD
- Secretary – Bradley O’Brien, SDSMT

On April 22, 2016 the council had a presentation from Kim Wadsworth, SDSD Director of Outreach, and a tour of the SD School for the Deaf facility in Sioux Falls, SD. The next meeting was scheduled for October 7, 2016 in Pierre, SD.

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