Board of Governors of the Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education

Meeting Minutes

192nd Meeting Monday, July 8, 2013 Boardroom, First Floor Administration Building 2986 North Second Street Harrisburg, PA 17110-1201

1:30 p.m.

ATTENDING

Board of Governors:

Senator Richard L. Alloway, II

Representative Matthew E. Baker

Ms. Jennifer G. Branstetter (designee for Governor Thomas W. Corbett)

Ms. Marie Conley

Ms. Sara J. Dickson

Ms. Laura E. Ellsworth

Representative Michael K. Hanna

William E. Harner (Acting Secretary of Education)

Mr. Ronald G. Henry

Mr. Joseph F. McGinn

Mr. Guido M. Pichini (Chair)

Mr. Harold C. Shields

Mr. Aaron A. Walton

Mr. David F. Wolfe

Senator John T. Yudichak

Ms. Bonnie L. Keener, Mr. Jonathan B. Mack, and Mr. Robert S. Taylor were absent.

Office of the Chancellor:

Dr. Peter H. Garland (Acting Chancellor)

Ms. Karen S. Ball

Mr. Gary K. Dent

Mr. James S. Dillon

Dr. James D. Moran

Mr. Andrew C. Lehman

In attendance from the Office of the Chancellor: Ginger S. Coleman, Steven R. Dupes, Audrey J. Guistwhite, Kathleen M. Howley, Lois M. Johnson, Kenneth D. Marshall, Cathleen A. McCormack, Georgia K. Prell, George W. Reid, Dean A. Weber, and Eric J. Zeglen.

University Presidents in attendance: John M. Anderson, F. Javier Cevallos, Michael A. Driscoll, Michael Fiorentino, Jr., Interim President George F. "Jody" Harpster, Francis L. Hendricks, Michelle R. Howard-Vital, Interim President Geraldine M. Jones, Cheryl J. Norton, David L. Soltz, Greg R. Weisenstein, Marcia G. Welsh, Karen M. Whitney, and Julie E. Wollman.

Also in attendance: Wayne G. Failor, Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education (PASSHE) Foundation, Inc. Board member; and Jennifer S. Scipioni, President and Chief Executive Officer, PASSHE Foundation, Inc.

Chairman Pichini welcomed everyone to the Board meeting.

Chairman Pichini said before the committee meetings begin, the Board must elect officers and update the committee assignments to reflect a change in Board membership.

Chairman Pichini called the meeting to order at 1:38 p.m.

Attendance taken at the direction of the Chairman established that a quorum of the Board was present.

Chairman Pichini welcomed new Board member, Acting Secretary William E. Harner, and said we look forward to his participation on the Board.

Board Action

Election of Board Officers

Mr. McGinn moved THAT THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS APPROVE THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD OFFICERS:

GUIDO M. PICHINI, CHAIR RONALD G. HENRY, VICE CHAIR LAURA E. ELLSWORTH, VICE CHAIR

The motion passed unanimously.

Standing Committee Assignments

Chairman Pichini said due to the recent appointment of Acting Secretary, William E. Harner, the Board needs to act to assign him to the Academic and Student Affairs Committee.

Chairman Pichini moved THAT THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS APPROVE THE STANDING COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS AS SHOWN IN THE STANDING COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS DOCUMENT DISTRIBUTED AT THE QUARTERLY BOARD MEETING, EFFECTIVE JULY 8, 2013. (Attachment #1)

The motion passed unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

There	being	no	further	items	of	business	to	come	before	the	Board,	Chairman	Pichini
adjou	rned th	ne n	neeting	at 1:4	3 p	o.m.							

ATTEST:	
	Lois M. Johnson
	Secretary to the Board



Board of Governors' Standing Committee Assignments

Academic and Student Affairs

Walton, Aaron A. *(Chair)*Baker, Representative Matthew E.
Dickson, Sara J.
Harner, Acting Secretary William E.
Pichini, Guido M. *(ex officio)*Howard-Vital, Michelle R. *(non-voting president liaison)*

Audit

McGinn, Joseph F. (Chair)
Mack, Jonathan B.
Yudichak, Senator John T.
Pichini, Guido M. (ex officio)
Whitney, Karen M. (non-voting president liaison)

Executive

Pichini, Guido M. (Chair)
Conley, Marie
Ellsworth, Laura E.
Henry, Ronald G.
Mack, Jonathan B.
McGinn, Joseph F.
Walton, Aaron A.

External and Public Relations

Mack, Jonathan B. (Chair)
Conley, Marie
Keener, Bonnie L.
McGinn, Joseph F.
Taylor, Robert S.
Pichini, Guido M. (ex officio)
Weisenstein, Greg R. (non-voting president liaison)

Finance, Administration, and Facilities

Henry, Ronald G. (Chair)
Branstetter, Jennifer G. (Designee for Governor Thomas W. Corbett)
Ellsworth, Laura E.
Hanna, Representative Michael K.
Shields, Harold C.
Wolfe, David F.
Pichini, Guido M. (ex officio)
Soltz, David L. (non-voting president liaison)

Human Resources

Conley, Marie (Chair)
Alloway, II, Senator Richard L.
Branstetter, Jennifer G. (Designee for Governor Thomas W. Corbett)
Henry, Ronald G.
Shields, Harold C.
Walton, Aaron A.
Pichini, Guido M. (ex officio)
Cevallos, F. Javier (non-voting president liaison)

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