

University of Connecticut Office of the Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

September 23, 2008

TO: Members of the Board of Trustees

FROM: Richard D. Gray

Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Bruce A. DeTora

Chief Financial Officer

RE: Revised Spending Plan for Fiscal Year 2009 for the

University of Connecticut, Storrs & Regional Campuses

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board of Trustees approve the Revised Spending Plan for Fiscal Year 2009 of \$938.3 million for the University of Connecticut, Storrs and Regional Campuses.

BACKGROUND:

Subsequent to the approval of the FY 2009 Spending Plan on June 24, 2008, changes in the financial environment have taken place, which necessitate revisions to the Spending Plan for FY 2009. On June 24, 2008, the Governor issued a directive which reduced the FY 2009 State appropriation allotment by \$6.74 million or 3%; associated fringe benefit support was also reduced by \$2.7 million for a total of \$9.4 million. Given this rescission and the reduction in collective bargaining support from the State's Reserve for Salary Adjustment account, the President requested plans to accommodate a 3.5% reduction of the permanent University-supported budget for every University unit; only energy, financial aid and collective bargaining pools were exempt. The reduction plans have been reviewed to ensure that the University's highest priorities (broadly stated: health, safety and course coverage) are protected.

The updated Fiscal Year 2009 Spending Plan reflects the State rescission, the reduction to the Reserve for Salary Adjustment account and the implementation of the savings plans for units. The plan includes \$939.3 million of revenue, including State funding of \$239.2 (excluding fringe benefits), to cover \$938.3 million in expenses, yielding a \$1.0 million net gain. The Spending Plan has also been updated with final State fringe benefit rates. In addition, due to the freshman enrollment increase, revenues have been adjusted as well as expenditures to allow for additional financial aid and course coverage/extra sections. This net gain includes a \$1.0 million reserve repayment for the November 2001 drawdown of \$11.5 million for the Towers Dining Center and Student Union.

Please see the attached schedule for detailed information.

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University of Connecticut (Storrs & Regional Campuses) Revised Current Funds Budget (9/23/08) FY 2009

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	TOTAL	E	E & G		AUXILIARY	UN	RESTRICTED	R	ESTRICTED
Revenues									
Operating Fund									
State Support									
State Appropriation/Allotment	\$ 239,155,605	\$ 239	9,155,605	\$		\$	239,155,605	\$	
Fringe Benefits	89,742,687	89	9,742,687	_			89,742,687		
Total State Support	328,898,292	328	3,898,292	_		l	328,898,292		
Student Tuition & Fees-Gross	331,039,327	299	9,381,740		31,657,587		331,039,327		
Tuition Waiver Discounts	(44,270,231)	(44	4,270,231)	_		l	(44,270,231)		
Net Student Tuition & Fees	286,769,096	25	5,111,509		31,657,587		286,769,096		
Grants & Contracts	48,093,156	47	7,533,277		559,879		2,150,000		45,943,156
Private Gifts & Grants	28,000,000	15	5,786,000		12,214,000		17,200,000		10,800,000
Investment Income	5,382,645	ţ	5,382,645				4,688,300		694,345
Sales/Services of Educational Depts	16,883,666	16	6,883,666				16,883,666		
Sales/Services Auxiliary Enterprises	140,391,547				140,391,547		140,391,547		
Other Revenue	11,246,095	1′	1,246,095	_			11,246,095		
Total Operating Fund	\$ 865,664,497	\$ 680	0,841,484	\$	184,823,013	\$	808,226,996	\$	57,437,501
Research Fund									
Research Grants and Contracts	73,686,597	73	3,686,597	_		l	16,493,750		57,192,847
Total Revenues	\$ 939,351,094	\$ 754	4,528,081	\$_	184,823,013	\$	824,720,746	\$	114,630,348
Expenditures/Transfers									
Education and General (E&G):									
Instruction	\$ 284,019,989	\$ 284	4,019,989			\$	278,553,706	\$	5,466,284
Research	64,100,221	64	4,100,221				5,779,123		58,321,098
Public Service	35,729,706	35	5,729,706				22,538,578		13,191,128
Academic Support	68,931,244	68	3,931,244				67,037,821		1,893,423
Library	23,778,600	23	3,778,600				23,694,402		84,198
Student Services	36,650,373	36	6,650,373				35,252,647		1,397,726
Institutional Support	75,723,879	75	5,723,879				75,706,505		17,374
Physical Plant	69,349,470	69	9,349,470				69,349,470		
Student Aid	82,022,417	82	2,022,417	_			47,763,300		34,259,117
Sub-Total Education and General	740,305,900	740	0,305,900				625,675,552		114,630,348
E & G Transfers / Debt Retirement	13,212,181	13	3,212,181	_		l	13,212,181		
Total Education and General	\$ 753,518,081	\$ 750	3,518,081	_		\$	638,887,733	\$	114,630,348
Auxiliary Enterprises									
Expenditures	157,762,158				157,762,158		157,762,158		
Mandatory Transfers for Debt Retirement	12,969,873	<u> </u>		_	12,969,873		12,969,873		
Auxiliary Expend. / Mandatory Trans	\$ 170,732,031	\$		\$	170,732,031	\$	170,732,031		
Non-Mandatory Transfers	14,090,982			_	14,090,982	1_	14,090,982		
Total Auxiliary Enterprises	\$ 184,823,013	\$		\$_	184,823,013	\$	184,823,013		
Total Expenditures/Transfers	\$ 938,341,094	\$ 750	3,518,081	\$_	184,823,013	\$	823,710,746	\$	114,630,348
Net Gain (Loss) *	\$ 1,010,000	\$ <u></u>	1,010,000	\$_	0	\$	1,010,000	\$	0

^{*} The net gain includes a \$1.0 million reserve repayment for the November 2001 drawdown of \$11.5 million for the Towers Dining Center and Student Union.