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PUBLIC NOTICE

Regular Business Meeting of the
BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF NORTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

June 16, 2005

Board of Trustees Room
315 Altgeld Hall - Northern Illinois University
DeKalb, Illinois

Approximate Schedule

9:00 a.m.
Oath of Office for Trustee (informal before business meeting) - Board of Trustees Room

9:00 a.m.
Public Meeting of the Board of Trustees Convened - Board of Trustees Room

(Following preliminary matters, including roll call, verification of posting proper Open Meetings Act notice, announcements, meeting agenda approval, minutes review and approval, Chair’s comments, election of Board of Trustees officers, timely requested public comments and reports of Board Committees and Liaisons, it is expected the Board will approve a motion to close the public meeting to consider matters permitted by §2 of the Illinois Open Meetings Act in Executive Session in the University Suite.)

Undetermined
Executive Session - 225 Altgeld Hall

Undetermined
Public Meeting of the Board Reconvened - Board of Trustees Room

EXPECTED AGENDA FOR REGULAR MEETING

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL
2. VERIFICATION OF APPROPRIATE NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING
3. MEETING AGENDA APPROVAL, INCLUDING ANY PROPOSED CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS
4. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 16, 2005 SPECIAL MEETING AND MARCH 24, 2005 REGULAR MEETING
5. CHAIR’S COMMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
6. PUBLIC COMMENTS (IF ANY) *
7. REPORTS OF BOARD COMMITTEES AND BOARD LIAISONS
   A. Executive Committee
   B. Academic Affairs, Student Affairs and Personnel Committee
C. Finance, Facilities and Operations Committee  
D. Legislation, Audit and External Affairs Committee  
E. Illinois Board of Higher Education  
F. University Civil Service Merit Board  
G. Northern Illinois University Foundation  

8. EXECUTIVE SESSION  

9. PRESIDENT’S REPORT NO. 46  
(Expected to include presentation of proposals for approval: Fiscal Year 2007 Budget Guidelines; Fiscal Year 2006 Internal Operating Budget and Guidelines; Fiscal Year 2006 Tuition Recommendations; Fiscal Year 2006 NIU Foundation Professional Services Contract; College of Engineering and Engineering Technology Research Survey; and Grant Towers Student Lounge Furniture and Equipment; Recommendations for Faculty Promotions, Tenure, and Promotions with Tenure for the 2005-2006 Academic Year; Appointments with Rank and Tenure; Appointment of the Dean of the College of Engineering and Engineering Technology; Appointment of the Acting Dean of the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences; Appointment of the Interim Dean of the College of Business. Possibly other matters for discussion only.) For information: Fiscal Years 2005 and 2006 Appropriated Budget Updates; Student System Replacement Project Update; 2004-2005 Program Review Summary; and Summary of Grant and Contract Awards. Possibly other matters for consideration only.)

10. CHAIR’S ITEMS  
(Expected to include presentation of proposals for approval: Executive Session Minutes Release; Resolution - Former Chair Gary J. Skoien; and Resolution - Student Trustee Eric J. Johnson. Possibly other matters for consideration only.)

11. NEXT MEETING DATE  
12. ADJOURNMENT

* The Board and its committees comply with P.A. 91-0715 through its Bylaws, Article II, Section 5.B:

1. Consistent with Public Act 91-0715 and reasonable constraints determined by these Bylaws and the Chair, at each regular or special meeting of the Board or its committees that is open to the public, members of the public may request a brief time on the approved agenda of the meeting to address the Board on relevant matters within its jurisdiction.

2. Committees of the Board review University proposals for action and make adjustments and endorsements as appropriate for further consideration by the full Board. Public comments are generally most useful at meetings of Board committees, where proposals are first considered and the time for interaction most feasible.

3. To facilitate an orderly process, appearance requests must be registered on a Board-provided form and submitted to the Board’s Parliamentarian at least 45 minutes before the meeting is scheduled to be called to order. To be recognized, the appearance request will include the name, address and position of the individual wishing to speak, the name of the organization or group represented, a concise summary of the presentation, and whether
the requestor has appeared earlier on the topic before any other meeting of the Board. The Parliamentarian may confer with registered speakers to cooperatively assist the Chair of the meeting in assured coordinated issue presentation and an efficient use of allocated time. The Parliamentarian will acquaint requestors with the generally acceptable rules of decorum for their presentations. In lieu of oral presentations, individuals may present brief written materials not to exceed five (5) pages to the Parliamentarian for distribution and consideration by the Board in advance of the meeting.

4. The Chair of the meeting will recognize duly registered individuals at the appropriate point during the meeting. Unduly repetitive comments may be discouraged and restricted by the Chair. To assure an orderly and timely meeting the Chair may limit time allotments to five minutes or less, may delay or defer appearances when appropriate, and defer or refer questions received from presenters for answers if available.

Notice Prepared by: Board of Trustees Parliamentarian
Time of Posting: At least 48 hours in advance of announced Meeting
Places of Posted Meeting Notice: President’s Office-Altgeld Hall 300 and Holmes Student Center Bulletin Board