Campus Biennial Budget Meeting

February 10, 2015

UWM Student Union, Wisconsin Room
Meeting Format

• Chancellor’s Updates
• Budget Communication Task Force
• Governance Group Involvement
• Q & A – Open Discussion
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Chancellor’s Updates

**Wisconsin Idea**

“The boundaries of the university are the boundaries of the state.”

- University of Wisconsin President Charles Van Hise, 1904

Van Hise declared that he would "never be content until the beneficent influence of the university reaches every family in the state."
Chancellor’s Updates

• Important elements of **UWM Mission**
  – Accessible
  – Urban
  – Public
  – Engaged
  – Research
Chancellor’s Updates

• What We Know: 2015-17 Proposal

1. $300 million budget cut to UWS ($150 M/year)
   - $40 million cut to UWM ($20 M/year)

2. Restructuring UWS as a public authority
Chancellor’s Updates

- **What We Know: Cost Containment**
  - UW System cost containment memo
  - Overview of UWM cost containments
  - Effective immediately
  - Provost’s discussions with Schools / Colleges
Chancellor’s Updates

• **What We Know: Cost Containment Memo**
  - Hold on hiring of all non-essential positions, except those extramurally funded through grants or contracts
  - Hold on non-essential, out-of-state travel, except out-of-state travel funded by gift or grant funds & not including out-of-state travel directly related to research or academic activities.
  - Hold on non-essential and discretionary salary adjustments, VCs can consider some circumstances to be essential
Chancellor’s Updates

- **Actions Underway: Budget Planning Task Force**
  - Core members identified
  - First meeting is next week
  - Group is intentionally small
  - Task force charge: Research options & impact; Recommend strategies in short-, medium- and long-terms
  - Role is to make recommendations to me
Chancellor’s Updates

- **What We Know: Board of Regents, Feb. 5-6**
  - UW System (public) authority model supported
  - Budget cuts are “a serious and critical challenge”
  - Many unknowns and critical analysis needed
  - System will present assessment of impact at March BOR meeting
Chancellor’s Updates

• What We Know: Board of Regents, Feb. 5-6
  – One Regent’s view:
    ▪ We are efficient
    ▪ Research isn’t an “extra”
  – One Chancellor’s view:
    ▪ We cannot absorb the cuts
    ▪ Cuts are too large for the universities, for the System, and for Wisconsin
Chancellor’s Updates

- **Actions Underway**
  - Media
  - Advocacy
  - Legislative meetings
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Chancellor’s Updates

• Advocacy
  – E-mail updates to students, faculty and staff
  – Advocacy / Value of UWM messages to:
    ▪ UWM Alumni
    ▪ Panther Families
    ▪ Donors, Friends of UWM
Chancellor’s Updates

• Legislative meetings
  – One-on-one meetings with legislative leaders
  – Joint Finance Committee
  – Education Committees
Meeting Format

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Budget Communication Task Force
On February 3, 2015, Governor Scott Walker announced his proposal for the UW System 2015-17 biennial budget that includes reductions in state support, while providing the UW System with increased operational flexibilities. The budget process unfolds over the next several months and will take time and input from many constituents before it is finalized. Read more...

Help tell UWM's story
Budget Communication Task Force

- **Goal of Strategic Communication**
  - To provide information to shape public opinion about the value & impact UWM has on students, business & the community, with the goal of influencing the outcome of the legislative process by communicating how the proposed budget cuts will harm UWM’s ability to meet its mission & provide values to SE Wisconsin
  - To communicate updates about the budget process to the campus community as proposed budget reductions are addressed at UWM
Budget Communication Task Force

- **UWM Advocates**
  - Faculty/Staff
  - Students
  - Unified Proud Panthers (our most active constituents)
  - Alumni
  - Parents and family members
  - Regional business leaders
Budget Communication Task Force

• **Targets**
  - State legislators
  - Media
  - Business and community leaders
  - UWM stakeholders
Budget Communication Task Force

- Communication Tools
  - Talking points
  - FAQs
  - Fact sheet
Budget Communication Task Force

• Communication Channels
  – Chancellor advocacy
  – Legislative visits, media appearances, articles, direct messaging, etc.
  – Outreach to constituency groups
  – Faculty, staff, alumni, parents, friends of UWM, Panther Advocates, etc.
  – Social media
Budget Communication Task Force

- **Communication Channels**
  - New e-newsletter
  - Shareable content
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Governance Group Involvement

- **University Committee**
  - Distinguished Professor Mark D. Schwartz, Chair
  - UCNews.uwm.edu web page

- **Academic Staff Committee**
  - Sarah Morgan, Chair
  - smorgan@uwm.edu
  - uwm.edu/secu/acad_staff
Governance Group Involvement

• **Classified Staff Advisory Council**
  - Stan Yasaitis, Chair
  - yasaitis@uwm.edu

• **Student Association**
  - Ryan Sorenson, President
  - sorens76@uwm.edu
  - studentorgs.uwm.edu/org/sa
Wrap-up

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Wrap-up

• **How You Can Help**
  - Share your stories
  - Advocate for UWM
  - Be engaged

• **Future Campus Budget Meetings**
  - Once per week for 60 minutes
  - Quick updates and mostly Q&A
  - Will reassess in about a month
Q & A – Open Discussion

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# Impact of Budget Cut - UWM

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## Anticipated Base Cut for UWM (FY 16)

- **Other Anticipated Annual Costs (FY 16):**
  - Costs to Continue                  | ($2) |
  - Municipal PILOT                    | ($2) |
  - Pay Plan (?)                      | ($3) |

  **Total Campus Base “Cut”**          | ($27) |

## Cut as a Percent of Funds that Are Not Restricted

- **7.3%**
UWM’s FY 14 Actual Expenses: Where do we spend?

- Salaries & Fringes: 66%
- Supplies & Expenses: 22%
- Capital & Debt Service: 9%
- Aid to Individuals: 3%