

UWM at Washington County Work Group

May 8, 2023 - FINAL

This document outlines the purpose, charge, and other details regarding a work group to identify recommended directions or alternative ways to meet the key issues outlined in [the resolution passed on April 12, 2023](#), by the Washington County Board of Supervisors to merge UWM at Washington County with the Moraine Park Technical College – West Bend campus into a community college (“the resolution”).

Executive Sponsors

- Chancellor Mark Mone
- Interim Provost and Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs Scott Gronert, through May 31, 2023
- Provost and Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs Andrew Daire, effective June 1, 2023

Charge

The UWM at Washington County Work Group will examine possible options in response to the resolution and make recommendations about how UWM should communicate with its stakeholders on these issues (e.g., what modes of communication, frequency, etc.).

The work group will offer written recommendations to the executive sponsors on or before Sept. 1, 2023, noting that recommendations will be based on the UWM at Washington County’s existing budget and address possible future budget decreases if UW at Washington County’s enrollments further decline.

Membership

1. College of General Studies (CGS) Steering Committee Representative – Associate Professor Ron Gulotta
2. CGS Steering Committee Representative –Associate Professor Stephane Scholz
3. CGS – Associate Dean for Academic Affairs Greg Ahrenhoerster
4. CGS – Assistant Dean for Student Affairs Courtney O’Connell
5. Academic Affairs – Professor Jason Puskar, *Chair*
6. Enrollment Management – Associate Vice Chancellor Kay Eilers
7. Government Relations – Chief Government Relations Officer Keri Duce
8. Marketing & Communications – Vice Chancellor Liv Hwang

Institutional subject matter experts and consultants, as needed, will be available to share information with the work group. Examples include the CGS dean, as well as CGS budget and operational staff, UWM’s departments of Business and Financial Services and Human Resources, and others. We expect that in consultation with Academic Affairs, Government and External Relations and others, the work group will seek input from the stakeholders involved with and affected by the different possible directions.