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PUBLIC NOTICE

Academic Affairs, Student Affairs and Personnel Committee Meeting Finance, Facilities and Operations Committee Meeting Legislation, Audit and External Affairs Committee Meeting of the BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF NORTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

August 27, 2009

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

Approximate Schedule

8:30 a.m. Academic Affairs, Student Affairs and Personnel Committee

(Expected to include presentation of proposals for Committee review and *information*: Status of MAP Grant Funding; Follow-Up on the Ph.D. in Economics; Fiscal Year 2009 Program Review findings; 2008-2009 Faculty Emeritus Recognition; Professional Excellence Awards for Faculty and Staff; Fiscal Year 2009 External Funding for Research, Public Service and Instructional Projects; and Carnegie Foundation Classification on Engagement. Possibly other matters for discussion only.)

10:00 a.m.

Finance, Facilities and Operations Committee

(Expected to include presentation of proposal for Committee review and <u>endorsement</u>: . For review and <u>information</u>: Quarterly Summary Report of Transactions in Excess of \$100,000; Annual Summary Report Obligation of Financial Resources; and Professional Excellence Awards for Faculty and Staff. Possibly other matters for discussion only.)

11:00 a.m.

Legislation, Audit and External Affairs Committee

(Expected to include presentation of proposal for Committee review and <u>endorsement</u>: Federal Trade Commission Red Flag Rules. For review and <u>information</u>: Fiscal Year 2010 Budget Update; 96th General Assembly Report; Congressional Report; Fire Safety Mandates as Required by the Higher Education Opportunity Act of 2008; Internet2 Technologies and the NIU School of Music; NIU Activity Related to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009; and Benefit Provisions for Marital Status/Domestic Partnerships. Possibly other matters for discussion only.)

Agenda Format for Committee Meetings

1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

- 2. VERIFICATION OF APPROPRIATE NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING
- 3. MEETING AGENDA APPROVAL
- 4. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING
- 5. COMMITTEE CHAIR'S COMMENTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS
- 6. PUBLIC COMMENTS, IF ANY*
- 7. UNIVERSITY RECOMMENDATIONS AND REPORTS
- 8. OTHER MATTERS
- 9. NEXT MEETING DATE
- 10. 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 assuring 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.

Public Notice Prepared by: Board of Trustees Parliamentarian

Time of Posting: Original, at least 48 hours in advance of announced Meeting Places of Posted Meeting Notice: President's Office, Altgeld Hall 300, and Holmes Student Center