#### OKLAHOMA STATE REGENTS FOR HIGHER EDUCATION

Research Park, Oklahoma City

## MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE-OF-THE-WHOLE Wednesday, June 25, 2014

- 1. ANNOUNCEMENT OF FILING OF MEETING NOTICE AND POSTING OF THE AGENDA IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE OPEN MEETING ACT. The Committee-of-the-Whole met at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, June 25, 2014, in the Regents Conference Room at the State Regents' offices in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Notice of the meeting was filed with the Secretary of State on June 20, 2014. A copy of the agenda had been posted as required by the Open Meeting Act.
- 2. CALL TO ORDER. Participating in the meeting were Regents Toney Stricklin, Jay Helm, Jody Parker, Ann Holloway, Ike Glass, Jimmy Harrel, Mike Turpen and John Massey. Regent Ron White joined the meeting at 10:35 a.m. Regent Harrel called the meeting to order and presided.

#### 3. TUITION.

- a. The Presidents of the State System institutions were invited to provide Regents with a summary of their tuition, mandatory fees, and academic service fees request for the 2014-2015 academic year. The schedule of speakers is shown as an attachment to these minutes.
- b. Ms. Amanda Paliotta, Vice Chancellor for Budget and Finance, Information Technology, Telecommunications, and OneNet, advised Regents that the requested tuition and mandatory fee increases would be presented as an action item at the State Regents' meeting the next day.
- **4. EXECUTIVE SESSION.** Mr. Robert Anthony, General Counsel for the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education, advised Regents that there was not a need to go into executive session.

#### 5. TASKFORCE REPORTS.

a. Online Education Task Force. Mr. Daniel Archer, Assistant Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, gave a brief update on the Southern Regional Education Board – State Authorization Reciprocity Agreement (SREB-SARA). Mr. Archer stated that any state can join SREB-SARA and when they join, they are able to offer programs in any other state that is also a member. SARA eliminates the paperwork and fees associated with offering programs in individual states. Mr. Archer stated that Academic Affairs staff is currently developing the policy and procedures to approve in-state institutions and then will be ready to apply to join SARA in late fall.

Dr. Blake Sonobe, Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, also stated that Mr. Ken Parker, Chief Executive Officer of NextThought, will give a presentation to the Online Education Task Force on Thursday, June 26, 2014 about collaborative online learning.

b. **State Regents Campus Safety and Security Task Force.** Ms Angela Caddell, Interim Director of Communications, gave a brief update on the work of the State Regents Campus Safety and Security Task Force.

Ms. Caddell stated that the task force is planning a statewide summit for this fall. The conference will be in partnership with the Memorial Institute for the Prevention of Terrorism, the City of Midwest City and Rose State College. The summit will be on October 29, 2014 and will be held at the Reed Conference Center in Midwest City. Ms. Caddell also stated that the task force is currently looking for a keynote speaker for the summit.

**6. LEGISLATIVE UPDATE.** Chancellor Glen Johnson stated that there will be several interim studies focused on higher education including, Complete College America, student loan debt, and common core education.

Chancellor Johnson also stated that the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education presented Senator Brian Bingman with a Distinguished Service Award on Tuesday, June 17, 2014 in Sapulpa, Oklahoma.

- 7. "BEST OF HIGHER EDUCATION" REPORT. Regents received the June 2014 update on institutional activities.
- **8. ADJOURNMENT.** With no other items to discuss, the meeting was adjourned.

ATTEST:

James D. "Jimmy" Harrell, Chairman

Toney Stricklin Secretary

### ATTACHMENT A

## TUITION PRESENTATIONS June 25, 2014 10:30 a.m.

# **Time Limit – 7 minutes per institution**

<ol> <li>Institution In Person</li> <li>Oklahoma City Community College</li> <li>Northern Oklahoma College</li> <li>East Central University</li> <li>Northeastern State University</li> <li>Northwestern OK State University</li> <li>Southwestern OK State University</li> </ol>	10:30 a.m.  President Paul Sechrist President Cheryl Evans President John Hargrave President Steve Turner President Janet Cunningham President Randy Beutler	In Person In Person In Person In Person In Person In Person
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8. Murray State College	President Joy McDaniel	In Person
9. Rose State College	President Jeanie Webb	In Person
10. Western Oklahoma State College	President Phil Birdine	In Person
11. Eastern Oklahoma State College	President Stephen Smith	In Person
12. University of Central Oklahoma	President Don Betz	In Person
LUNCH BREAK 12 Noon – 1 p.m.		
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