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Planning & Resource Allocation Committee

Summary February 23, 2021 Via Zoom

Present: Kathleen Antokhin, David Egert, Jonathan Eldridge (Co-chair), Patricia France, Sarah Frye, Nigel Haikins, Jon Horinek, Patricia Hulin, Colleen Mihal, Lisa Morse, Greg Nelson, Meg Pasquel (Co-Chair), Kristin Perrone, Monica Rudolph

Absent: Peggy Isozaki

Agenda

The agenda for this meeting was approved.

Summary

The summaries for the 12/8/20 and 2/9/21 meetings were approved.

Mid-Year Budget Update - Greg

Highlights of presentation -

State of Existing Budget:

- Currently we will meet our minimum reserve
- We are reviewing the current funded vacancy list for 2021/22
- Still optimistic that assumptions will hold
- Confident that we will be set for the rest of the fiscal year

Actions Taken and Considerations:

- We held positions that were vacant and not needed right away and others that took advantage of resignation incentives
- We had a reduced summer term
- We have offered fewer section for fall and spring terms
- We are still awaiting FEMA reimbursement from CalOES
- We have negotiated settlements in place with CSEA and SEIU, with UPM in current negotiations
- Property taxes have not taken a dip as they initially perceived

Plans and Considerations for Remainder of Fiscal Year:

- Ongoing and finalization of negotiations for UPM
- Reviewing the possibility of filling some vacant positions
- New costs related to opening of new facilities like Miwok, Jonas, etc.
- We will be able to maintain our reserve based on planning
- Adjust for fixed expenses related to operating costs
- We will need to plan for negotiation with bargaining units for CSEA and SEIU on 2023/2024
- We need to be mindful of property taxes and the economy in this unusually long economic period



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Facilities Planning Committee – Charge Update

This topic was postponed to a future meeting.

Follow-Up Items from Fall Presentations

Jon will prepare a list of all the "asks" for fiscal year 2021/2022 and present it to the group.

Other

Jon presented a new schedule with agendas for the remaining meetings of the fiscal year. The members approved the new schedule.

Subcommittee Reports

There were no Subcommittee reports at this meeting.

The next meeting will take place on Tuesday, 3/9/21.