# President's Budget Advisory Group Minutes

Tuesday, April 23, 2024 9:30 am – 11 am 114 Marano Campus Center

# Agenda

- 1. SUNY Oswego Budget Overview
- 2. Enrollment and Retention
- 3. 2024-25 Budget Development

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- 4. **2023-24 Budget Update**
- 5. Capital Updates

### **SUNY Oswego - Budget Overview**

- See slides
- Total Operating Budget (All Funds) \$109M

#### **Enrollment and Retention**

- See slides
- Our enrollment aligns with our financial strategy.
- Historically, spring enrollment experiences a slight decrease in headcount compared to fall enrollment, following a consistent trend over recent years.
- There's a minor increase in fall-to-spring transfers.
- What methods can we employ to provide timely information to our students?
- Higher GPAs correlate with the likelihood of increased retention.
- Retention is a responsibility shared across the entire campus.
- The Student Athletic Advisory Society and other initiatives to support student-athletes have proven advantageous.

### **2024-25 Budget Development**

- See slides
- We've entered the enacted budget phase.
- An additional \$60 million will remain part of the budget.
- Our capital suffered a setback.
- FAFSA applications have decreased by 40 percent.
- We're examining all toolkit models.
- In mid-May, we'll request initial revenue projections.
- We'll track assumptions regarding new student deposits, registrations, and more.

### **OPERATIONAL**

- o \$114m additional operational support (\$54m + \$60m additional)
- o Continuation of \$163m investment from 2023-24
- Fully support Employee Benefit Costs and Debt Service Costs for capital investment
- Continuation of Tap Gap Support, including additional \$5.1m to increase minimum income thresholds
- Continuation of \$53m to support new faculty lines in high-need areas (SUNY Oswego received \$460k for 4 lines)
- Reappropriation of remaining funds from the \$75m
  Transformation Innovation Fund
- o Restoration of EOP funding, including an additional \$.6m support
- o Restoration of a variety of U-Wide Programs/Initiatives

# **CAPITAL**

- o \$550m Critical Maintenance
- \$160m for Building Enhancements & New Construction
- \$100m for Cash Funded Capital for Academic Programs

# 2023-24 Budget Update

- See slides
- Persist in identifying avenues to reduce the deficit.

• Transition towards renewable resources.

# **Capital Updates**

- See slides
- First renovation of the dining hall in 20 years.
- There are some other projects on the west campus on the radar.
- Architect facilities plan to post on website document looks at vision 4040.
- The energy sustainability piece is included in the document.
- We are now in the middle of developing our strategic plan. Until the document is finalized we really don't know the impact of the budget.
- Campus-wide Energy Master Plan Completed
  - 100% Renewable Energy by 2035
  - Net Zero Carbon Footprint
  - Academic Facilities Master Plan Update Completed
- Residential Housing Master Plan Completed
- Student Engagement Space Assessment Completed