STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA BOARD OF GOVERNORS Academic and Student Affairs Committee January 30, 2019

SUBJECT: Exception to 120 credit hours for the Bachelor of Science Construction Management, CIP 15.1001, Florida Gulf Coast University

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION

Consider approval of an exception to 120 credit hours for the Bachelor of Science Construction Management, CIP 15.1001, at Florida Gulf Coast University

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution; Board of Governors Regulation 8.014

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Florida Gulf Coast University seeks an exception to the 120 credit hours baccalaureate degree requirement for the Bachelor of Science in Construction Management in order to accommodate curriculum requirements based on accreditation standards set by the American Council for Construction Education (ACCE). Additionally, the exception ensures that students will be able to complete the multidisciplinary curriculum that requires proficiency in mathematics, construction engineering, and business principles.

Florida Gulf Coast University's Board of Trustees approved the exception to require 126 credit hours on September 11, 2018. The exemption will become effective upon approval by the Board of Governors.

Supporting Documentation Included: Request for exception to 120 credit hours

Facilitators/Presenters:

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