

**STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA
BOARD OF GOVERNORS
Innovation and Online Committee
March 23, 2021**

SUBJECT: Planning for a Post-Pandemic World in the State University System

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION

For discussion

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

During its February 24, 2021, meeting, the Committee approved the development of a plan for a post-COVID world in the State University System. The Steering Committee that guides the implementation of the 2025 Strategic Plan for Online Education will assist the Innovation and Online Committee in its discussions, inviting other institutional leaders to participate in related meetings, as needed.

Academic and academic support issues were discussed by the Steering Committee, other provosts, and invited speakers on February 19, 2021; the discussion focused on lessons learned, challenges, opportunities, best practices, new activities promoting student and faculty success, and mission-critical collaborations during the pandemic.

USF Provost Ralph Wilcox, the chair of the Steering Committee, will provide the Innovation and Online Committee with a summary of the discussion and resulting recommendations.

The Steering Committee also reviewed on February 19 the tactics in the 2025 Strategic Plan for Online Education for relevance in a post COVID-19 world. Associate Vice Chancellor Nancy McKee will present the approved recommendations.

Supporting Documentation Included:

Recommendations from the Review of the 2025 Strategic Plan for Online Education

Facilitators/Presenters:

Provost Wilcox and Dr. McKee