

BOARD of GOVERNORS State University System of Florida

Legislative Committee Report

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Legislative Priorities Leading Into Session

Performance Funding

 Proposed: \$100 million requested, \$50 million in new funding and \$50 million from base was submitted in the Board's Legislative Budget Request (LBR)

Fixed Capital Outlay

 Proposed: \$321 million requested for fixed capital outlay (critical maintenance, renovation and STEM projects) was submitted in the Board's Legislative Budget Request (LBR)









Total State Appropriations: \$77,022,232,003

Total Education Appropriations: \$22,587,522,368

Source: 2014 General Appropriations Act (Post Vetoes)

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• STATE OPERATING BUDGET - \$28.9 B

•EDUCATION OPERATING BUDGET - \$15.9 B



Source: 2014 General Appropriations Act (Post Vetoes)

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Performance Funding

As Listed In Proviso

- \$200 million recurring was provided by the Legislature. \$100 million in new funding and \$100 redistributed from the base
- Improvement Plan shall be submitted for universities that "failed to meet board's benchmarks"
- Monitoring Reports to be submitted by December 31st 2014 and May 31st 2015
- Board will determine in January of 2015 and June of 2015 the percentage of funds to be distributed based on Monitoring Report
- Remaining funds will be redistributed to the three universities with the most improvement on metrics





Includes IFAS and medical schools



Under HB 851 - Post Secondary Education Tuition and Fees

- Grants Florida's preeminent universities the ability to increase the tuition differential by up to 6% if the university meets the following criteria(benchmarks to be set by the Board), each amounting to no more than a 2% increase:
 - Increases the 6-year graduation rate for full-time, FTIC students
 - Increases the total annual research expenditures
 - Increases the total patents awarded in a given period
- Eliminates the ability for any university not designated as preeminent to increase the tuition differential fee from existing levels
- Eliminates CPI tuition increase



Under HB 851 - Post Secondary Education Tuition and Fees

- Requires a university to waive out-of-state fees for any student, including those that are undocumented for federal immigration purposes, that meet the following criteria:
 - Attended a secondary school in Florida for three consecutive years immediately before a Florida high school graduation
 - Enrolled in an institution of higher education within 24 months of high school graduation
- Students granted an out-of state fee waiver under this subsection are considered nonresident students when calculating system wide enrollment as limited by Board regulation and are prohibited from state financial aid eligibility



Under HB7015 – Military and Veteran Support

- Requires a university to waive out-of-state fees for veteran students who physically reside in Florida
- Creates the Veterans Employment and Training Services Program that allows for the allocation of grant funds to state universities assisting veterans in meeting the workforce-skill needs of businesses

Under HB851- Post Secondary Education Tuition and Fees

 Requires a university to prioritize within nonresident student enrollment a veteran student pursuant to the Congressman C.W. Bill Young Tuition Waiver Act and requires the Board to annually report system wide enrollment of resident and nonresident student



Under HB 851- Post Secondary Education Tuition and Fees

- Caps on tuition and fee contract payments from the Florida Prepaid College Board to state universities to all contracts purchased before July 1, 2024
- Prohibits the amount assessed for registration fees, the tuition differential fee, and local fees paid by the board to a state university on behalf of a qualified beneficiary of an advance payment contract from exceeding 100 percent of the amount charged by the state university for the aggregate sum of those fees
- The amount paid by the board to the state university may not exceed 100 percent of the amount charged by the university for the dormitory fee

Additional Impact

Under HB5101 – Education Funding

- Prohibits the State Board of Education (SBOE) from approving Florida College System (FCS) institution baccalaureate degree program proposals from March 31, 2014 through May 31, 2015
- Allows New College of Florida to establish a 2-year master's degree program in data science and analytics upon Board of Governor approval
- Establishes the Florida Center for Cybersecurity within University of South Florida
- Requires each district school superintendent and each public postsecondary institution president to develop a comprehensive dual enrollment articulation agreement
- Creates the Florida National Merit Scholar Incentive Program



Under HB5601 – Tax Incentives and Economic Development

- Comprehensive tax package
- PECO tax swap which reduces the sales tax rate and increases the gross receipts tax rate on commercial electricity
- Transfers energy tax revenues to increase the PECO fund
- Exempts prepaid meal plans purchased from a university from taxation



Millions



•- Note - \$30 M of the 2012-13 appropriation was from Lottery, not PECO



PECO & CITF Budget Totals

Fixed Capital Outlay Breakdown	Conference
University Projects	\$159,605,000
Critical Deferred Maintenance Request from PECO	\$20,000,000
Renovation/Remodeling/Repair Request from	
PECO	\$37,649,378
All E & G Projects, including Maintenance	\$217,254,378
Requests from CITF **	\$41,123,760
Total SUS Approved Allocation	\$258,378,138

PECO & CITF Funded Projects

University	Project Name	Conference
UF	Chemistry/Chemical Biology Building	\$20,000,000
	Newell Hall Remodeling/Restoration	\$10,000,000
		\$30,000,000
FSU	FAMU-FSU College of Engineering III - Joint Use	\$10,000,000
	Earth Ocean Atmospheric Sciences Building (Phase I)	\$20,000,000
		\$30,000,000
FAMU	Pharmacy Building	\$10,000,000
		\$10,000,000

PECO & CITF Funded Projects

University	Project Name	Conference
USF	USF St. Pete College of Business	\$10,000,000
	USF Heart Health Institute	\$15,000,000
	Morsani College of Medicine	\$5,000,000
		\$30,000,000
UWF	Laboratory Sciences Renovation	\$11,000,000
		\$11,000,000
UCF	Partnership Complex Phase IV – Department of Defense	\$8,000,000
		\$8,000,000
FIU	Student Academic Support Center – MMC	\$6,800,00
	Strategic Land Acquisition	\$10,000,000
		\$16,800,000

PECO & CITF Funded Projects

University	Project Name	Conference
UNF	Skinner Jones Hall Renovations (North and South)	\$11,750,000
		\$11,750,000
FGCU	Emergent Technologies Institute (formerly I-Hub)	\$7,000,000
		\$7,000,000
NEWC	Hamilton Student Support & Plaza Renovation Remodeling	\$1,600,000
nen o	Utilities and Infrastructure	\$2,800,000
	Heiser Natural Science Addition	\$655,000
		\$5,055,000

E & G Budget Items

University Specific Funding Issues

- \$75 million dollars to the SUS in specific university projects
- \$28 million in recurring
- \$47 million in non recurring
 - Governor's Recommended Budget \$4.5 million
 - Board of Governor's LBR \$11 million
 - Funded in previous year \$13.7 million
 - Additional Funding for Preeminent Universities \$10 Million
 - Related to new 2014 legislation-\$1 million
 - New Projects-\$45.8 million



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