

**STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA
BOARD OF GOVERNORS
Facilities Committee
March 19, 2015**

SUBJECT: Energy Conservation Report Update

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION

For Information

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Legislation passed in 2010 (House Bill 5201, Section 30), required that *“Each Florida college and state university shall strive to reduce its campus-wide energy consumption by 10 percent. While savings may be accrued by any means, the goal shall be to implement energy use policies or procedures or both and any equipment retrofits that are necessary to carry out this reduction. The reduction may be obtained by either reducing the cost of the energy consumed or by reducing total energy usage, or a combination of both...”*

This requirement was for one year only. However, the Facilities Committee’s Annual Work Plan calls for this information to be collected and presented to the Committee for comparison purposes.

The original report included fiscal years 2007-2008; 2008-2009; and 2009-2010. Universities provided an update to include 2010-2011, 2011-2012, and 2012-2013 data in previous years. This year’s report includes 2013-2014 data.

Supporting Documentation Included: None

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