## STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA BOARD OF GOVERNORS November 9, 2017

**SUBJECT:** FAMU-FSU College of Engineering Educational Plant Survey Validation

## PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

Review and validate the completed FAMU-FSU College of Engineering Educational Plant Survey.

## **AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION**

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution; Sections 1013.03 and 1013.31, Florida Statutes

## **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

An educational plant survey is required at least once every five (5) years for all public educational entities, including state universities. At the request of the FAMU-FSU College of Engineering (COE), Board staff facilitated and coordinated the Survey Team, and participated with university staff to ensure that all the requirements of the section 1013.31, Florida Statutes, were met. In addition to COE and Board Staff, the team included staff from FSU, FAMU, UNF, and UWF. The completed Educational Plant Survey (EPS) Team Report, as well as the Form B is included as supporting documents.

The Board of Governors made several recommendations regarding the COE in February 2015, including a recommendation that "<u>A multi-year plan must be developed</u> and presented to the Board of Governors by June 1, 2015, to address the renovations and repairs for buildings A and B, and the completion of building C."

The needed repairs and renovations to buildings A and B having been largely addressed, the Joint Management Council of the FAMU-FSU College of Engineering would like to now move forward with addressing the completion of Building C. As with the two prior EPS, the EPS supports the construction of an additional facility "C" for the COE.

IT should be noted that the new construction recommendation is solely based on the 2016 FTE and current programs. Should additional programs and or additional FTE be approved for the COE, the EPS may be amended.

The Joint Management Council approved the EPS on September 9, 2017, the FAMU Board of Trustees approved the EPS on September 15, 2017, and the FSU Board of Trustees approved the EPS on September 22, 2017.

This survey covers the period July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2022.

New Construction:

3.1 FAMU-FSU College of Engineering Building C – 104,000 NASF.