## STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA BOARD OF GOVERNORS

June 22, 2023

**SUBJECT:** Public Notice of Intent to Amend Board of Governors Regulation 14.002, Reserves for New Construction

## PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

Approve the public Notice of Intent to Amend Board Regulation 14.002, Reserves for New Construction.

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

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution, Regulation Development Procedures

## BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Regulation 14.002, Reserves for New Construction, is proposed to be amended for the following reasons:

- It clarifies that, for the purpose of this Regulation, "new construction" refers to free-standing/stand-alone E&G facilities, i.e., it is not intended to include 'additions' or 'expansions' of existing facilities.
- It requires that earnings accrued on Reserve balances are not to be used on other projects and may not be used to offset the required annual contribution.
- It excludes 'Minor Facilities' from the Reserve Escrow requirement.

The proposed draft was provided to the universities for feedback and modifications have been made as appropriate.