

STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA
BOARD OF GOVERNORS
Academic Affairs Committee
September 3, 2026

SUBJECT: Public Notice of Intent to Amend Board of Governors' Regulation 1.001,
University Board of Trustees Power and Duties

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION

Consider approval of Public Notice of Intent to Amend Board of Governors' Regulation 1.001, University Board of Trustees Power and Duties.

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Board of Governors' Regulation 1.001, University Board of Trustees Powers and Duties, establishes the composition, organization, and authority of a university board of trustees and requires each board to establish a personnel program for all university employees, including the president.

Board staff propose an amendment to Regulation 1.001 to require university boards of trustees to adopt policies that maintain institutional neutrality when addressing contentious political and social issues. The proposed amendment also requires university boards of trustees to establish policies requiring all course syllabi to include a disclosure of faculty use and permitted student use of artificial intelligence.

If approved by the Academic Affairs Committee and the Board of Governors, the amended regulation will be available for public comment for 14 days. If no concerns are raised during this time, the regulation will come before the Board of Governors for final approval at the next meeting.

Dr. Lynn Nelson, Associate Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and Innovation, will provide an overview of the proposed amendment.

Supporting Documentation Included:

Regulation 1.001, University
Board of Trustees Powers and
Duties

Facilitators/Presenters:

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