

**STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA  
BOARD OF GOVERNORS  
Legislative Affairs Committee  
September 12, 2011**

**SUBJECT:** Discussion of Substantive Legislative Issues for the 2012 Legislative Session

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**PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION**

The Committee will consider potential issues to be voted on by the full Board of Governors for the 2012 Legislative session. In addition to substantive issues, the Committee will consider a range of recommended actions intended to demonstrate the commitment of the Board and the State University System to STEM education and commercialization of university research innovations.

**AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION**

Not applicable

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Chair Colson will facilitate a discussion of possible legislative issues affecting the State University System for the 2012 Session.

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**Supporting Documentation Included:** Substantive Issues and STEM Plan

**Facilitators/Presenters:** Governor Dean Colson, Rick Maxey