

**STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA
BOARD OF GOVERNORS
Facilities Committee
October 3, 2019**

SUBJECT: Legislative Report on Space Needs Calculation Methodologies

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION

Review and approve the Legislative Report on Space Needs Calculation Methodologies

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution; Senate Bill 190 (2019)

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The 2019 Legislature passed Senate Bill 190 and Governor DeSantis signed the bill into law. Related to the State University System, Senate Bill 190, Section 12(e), requires that:

The Board (Board of Governors) shall review its space need calculation methodology developed pursuant to section 1013.31, Florida Statutes, to incorporate improvements, efficiencies, or changes. Recommendations shall be submitted to the chairs of the House of Representatives and Senate Appropriations Committees by October 31, 2019, and every three years thereafter.

To assist Board staff in conducting this review, a survey was developed to gather information on each university's policies and procedures for the assignment and usage of space and to receive recommendations to improve and make more efficient the Board's existing space need calculation methodology. In addition, Board staff visited five representative universities and conducted face-to-face interviews with university leadership in academic affairs, facilities, and space management to further learn about the university processes as well as the current and projected space needs enabling Board staff to generate the report including both findings and recommendations.

Supporting Documentation Included: Space Needs Calculation Methodology Report Presentation

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