STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA BOARD OF GOVERNORS

January 30, 2020

SUBJECT: Public Notice of Intent to Amend Board of Governors Regulation 6.002 Admission of Undergraduate First-Time-in-College, Degree-Seeking Freshmen

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

Consider approval of Public Notice of Intent to Amend Board of Governors Regulation 6.002 Admission of Undergraduate First-Time-in-College, Degree-Seeking Freshmen

AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Board Regulation 6.002 Admission of Undergraduate First-Time-in-College, Degree-Seeking Freshmen has been amended to provide greater flexibility for State University System institutions making undergraduate admission decisions while providing technical changes to assist in clarity of reading. Although admissions testing will still be required, in previously proven cases of academic success, specific test score minimums are not expected.

Additionally, in recognition of the awarding of the Associate in Arts (A.A.) degree to high school students through dual enrollment, an admissions category for first-time-in-college students who are also A.A. graduates is established. This designation will allow for those Associate in Arts/high school graduates to receive the A.A. admission benefit provided to A.A. graduates under Board Regulation 6.004.

Finally, there is a technical change to the layout of Table One.

If approved by the Academic and Student Affairs Committee and the Board of Governors, the Intent to Amend will be available for public comment for thirty days. If no concerns are raised during that time, the Regulation will come before the Board of Governors for final approval.

The Academic and Student Affairs Committee Chair will provide a recommendation to the full Board.