INFORMATION ITEM:  Enrollment Report

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The Provost’s report will present enrollment trends by student segments and highlight our successes (freshmen and transfer enrollment) and our challenges (graduate enrollment and student retention). The new initiatives that are believed to have played a significant role in achieving positive outcomes will be described briefly. In addition, he will cite new initiatives going forward that are designed to address graduate enrollment and student retention. The presentation will conclude with an assessment of our perceived future challenges, how we may respond to them, and our plans going forward. Many of these efforts target non-resident students, with the goal of continuing to increase the percentage of the entering class who are classified as out-of-state for tuition purposes.

The Provost will also note that the University community is engaged in a strategic enrollment management planning effort, with the expectation that a new Enrollment Management Plan will be adopted this Summer and presented to the Board in Fall 2013.

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