

TO: Gabriel Lugo, Faculty Senate President

FROM: Denise A. Battles, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs

DATE: Nov. 3, 2014

SUBJECT: Faculty Senate Motion 2014-10-M04

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This communication is written in response to Faculty Senate Motion 2014-10-M04. I appreciate the input of the Senate on the important topic of shared governance. I addressed my perspectives on and commitment to shared governance at the October Senate meeting at which this motion was discussed. I am happy to work with you and our Faculty Senate colleagues to explore further this topic. As well, I will take this opportunity to reiterate the Chancellor's offer, made in his October 7, 2014 report to senate, that he and I engage with faculty in conversation about this issue.

Thank you once again for the input.

C: Chancellor William A. Sederburg