## **Planning and Budget Advisory Council**

Friday, September 23, 2016 Began: 1:03 p.m. Adjourned: 2:31 p.m.

In attendance: Dr. Hynes, Troelstra, Manglitz, McElroy, Cummings, Gooden, Duncan, Matos, Mukherjee, Dixon, Ogden, Schultheis, Lane, Gruszka, Watson (SGA Treasurer), Carr

### 1. PBAC- Purpose and Function

Dr. Hynes explained the function and purpose of PBAC— to serve as an advising committee to the complexities of the budget; to contribute to growing transparency; and to reinforce collaboration in the shared interest of the campus across campus divisions, departments, offices and programs while advancing the strategic plan.

# 2. Year-End FY16 Spend & FY17 Cut Review (see handout)

About \$100K was taken off of the top of the list and divided among the divisions for year-end spending. Fifty-two requests totaling \$2.1 million of which 22 requests were granted for a total of \$962K. For FY17 the actual cut is \$1.5 million instead of the anticipated \$2.2 million.

### 3. FY18 Budget Narrative—Priorities and Cuts

Worksheet on the Budget Narrative was presented to the group with names of those responsible for the various subjects within the narrative. We are being asked to cut (\$533,000). Dr. Hynes requested that those who need to make cases toward the Budget Narrative to submit information to Corlis, Donal and Scott in a timely manner.

#### 4. Capital Budget/MRR

\$6.9 million has already been put in the BOR/Governor's budget to improve the Academic Core. Other desired projects include renovation of the theater in Arts & Sciences building and the chiller project. We have \$691,535 for MRR which will help with the repair of the electrical system. (Its age contributed to last year's outages.)

### 5. Unresolved Budget Issues

We must find money for these unresolved issues. Plans are for the committee to meet again this semester.