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Memorandum

To:

Professor Jan Tovey Chair of the Faculty

From:

Steve Ballard Heve fur Chancellor

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Date: August 1, 2008

Subject: **April Resolution 08-22**

Regarding Faculty Senate Resolution 08-22, I consider this to be a matter of administrative policy making.

While the resolution is rejected, I have forwarded it to Interim Provost Sheerer and Dr. Judith Bailey, Executive Director of Enrollment Management. I am asking Dr. Bailey to include discussion of best practices to enhance retention as part of the deliberations of the Task Force on Enrollment Management.

I am also asking Interim Provost Sheerer to work with you to identify appropriate collaborative mechanisms for continued discussion on the most appropriate and cost-effective ways to address retention and graduation rates and to report to the Executive Council during the fall semester on how to move these discussions, which must be conducted collaboratively, in as rapid a manner as possible.

Faculty Senate Officers pc: Interim Provost Marilyn Sheerer Interim Vice Chancellor Phyllis Horns Vice Chancellor Deirdre Mageean Dr. Judi Bailey Mr. Robert Greczyn Ms. Donna Payne

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