

ITEM:

FLORIDA BOARD OF EDUCATION

June 18, 2002

SUBJECT: Adoption of the Florida Atlantic University Campus Master Plan Amendment (Five Year Update)

UNIVERSITIES AFFECTED: Florida Atlantic University (FAU)

PROPOSED BOARD ACTION

Adoption of an Amendment (Five Year Update) to the Florida Atlantic University Ten Year Comprehensive Master Plan in accordance with Sections 240.155, 253.034, and 259.032, Florida Statutes. Consistent with the requirements of Rule 6C-21.203(7)(b), F.A.C., the adopted campus master plan amendment:

1. Incorporates the findings and recommendations of the university's evaluation and appraisal of the adopted master plan;
2. Contains updated baseline data and goals, objectives, and policies to be accomplished during the five year period of this amendment.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Subsection 240.155(3), Florida Statutes, requires the Florida Board of Education to update campus master plans every five years. An amendment to a campus master plan must be renewed and adopted pursuant to Subsections 240.155(6), and (8), Florida Statutes, if such amendment exceeds the ten percent thresholds identified in Subsection 240.155(9), Florida Statutes. The university has determined that this amendment does not exceed any of those thresholds. This master plan update was adopted by the University Board of Trustees on November 6, 2001.

A copy must be sent to the Department of Community Affairs as the agency accountable for certain responsibilities in accordance with Subsections 240.155(6), (8), (9), and (16), Florida Statutes. In addition, the Division of Colleges and Universities Office of Facilities Planning has made a copy available to the public for a period of 90 days to comply with Subsections 253.034(5), (8), Florida Statutes.

Two administrative rules to implement the requirements for campus master plan amendments are currently in effect. Rule 6C-21, Part I, establishes the procedures to be followed challenging compliance of the campus master or plan amendment plans. Rule 6C-21, Part II, establishes the general requirements for the plans, as well as the minimum criteria for the mandatory plan elements.

The FAU Campus Master Plan has been prepared in compliance with the requirements of Sections 240.155, 253.034, and 259.032, Florida Statutes, and Rule 6C-21, Parts I and II, F.A.C.

Support Documents Available: Proposed FAU Campus Master Plan Amendment (Five Year Update including Data and Analysis Reports).
Evaluation and Appraisal Report (EAR).

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