The University of Rhode Island Board of Trustees
Institutional Risk and Compliance Committee Meeting
Monday, January 29, 2024 · 3:00 p.m. EST

The University of Rhode Island
Beagle Board Room, Alumni Center
73 Upper College Road, Kingston, RI 02881

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AGENDA

1. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

a. Minutes of the October 23, 2023 Joint Meeting of the Finance and Facilities and Institutional Risk and Compliance Committees.

Enclosure 1.a.

“The University of Rhode Island occupies the traditional stomping ground of the Narragansett Nation and the Niantic People. We honor and respect the enduring and continuing relationship between the Indigenous people and this land by teaching and learning more about their history and present-day communities, and by becoming stewards of the land we, too, inhabit.”
2. DISCUSSION ITEMS
   a. **Review Affirmative Action Plan** [Enclosure]
      - Kara Larsen, Assistant Vice President, Enterprise Risk Management
      - Dorca Paulino-Smalley, Director, Office of Equal Opportunity
   b. **Update on Title IX Regulations**
      - Kara Larsen, Assistant Vice President, Enterprise Risk Management
   c. **Review Compliance with Standards Governing the Conduct of Research**
      - Bethany Jenkins, Interim Vice President, Research and Economic Development
      - Elizabeth Buchanan, Associate Vice President, Research Administration
   d. **Update from CliftonLarsonAllen LLP on NCAA Agreed Upon Procedures and Single Audit** [Enclosure]
      - Abby Benson, Interim Vice President, Administration and Finance
      - Angela Miller, Assistant Vice President, Financial Operations and Controller
      - Mike Johns, Principal, CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

3. EXECUTIVE SESSION
   The Committee may seek to enter into executive session for the following items:
   
   Discussion regarding an assessment of information technology security, pursuant to R.I.G.L. § 42-46-5(a)(3), as it relates to the matter of security including, but not limited to, the deployment of security personnel or devices, and R.I.G.L. § 42-46-5(a)(7), as it relates to the question of the investment of public funds, and R.I.G.L. § 42-46-5(a)(2) for discussion of potential litigation, specifically:
   
   (i) **Update on External Audit IT Management Observations**
      - Abby Benson, Interim Vice President, Administration and Finance
   (ii) **Update on Series 2018A and 2018B Bonds – Audit**
        - Abby Benson, Interim Vice President, Administration and Finance
        - Angela Miller, Assistant Vice President, Financial Operations and Controller

4. ADJOURN
   The next meeting of the Institutional Risk and Compliance Committee is scheduled for April 4, 2024.

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