University Senates Conference Finance, Budget & Benefits Committee Agenda

Thursday, March 6, 2025 1:00 p.m. University of Illinois Springfield, Field Station, 9 Club Area, Springfield, IL

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Members

Roy Campbell Larry Danziger Amy Dunning Danilo Erricolo Carol Leff Angela Lyons

- I. Call to Order
- II. <u>Approval of remote participation</u>
- III. Public Comment
- IV. <u>Approval of minutes</u> a. February 6, 2025

V. Today's Business

- a. Discuss the uncertainty of grant funding for research and education, with potential long-term impacts on the university.
- b. Discuss SURS Tier 2 and Social Security Safe Harbor Act
- c. Compensation Comparisons: An analysis of the current state of faculty, staff, and student compensation across the three campuses (UIUC, UIC, and UIS) and in comparison, to peer institutions.
- d. Childcare and Caregiving Challenges: Examination of challenges faced by employees regarding access to and the costs of childcare and caregiving.
- VI. <u>New Business</u>
- VII. <u>Old Business Action items</u>
- VIII. Adjournment