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May 12, 2026

Kathy Johnson, President
University of New Orleans
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Dear Dr. Johnson,

On April 23, 2026, the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System approved the following request from the University of New Orleans:

- J.8. Request for approval to increase student fees in accordance with Act 790 of the 2024 Regular Legislative Session.
- J.10. Request to approve Campus Housing and Meal Plan Rates, Auxiliary Rates, Energy Surcharge, and Non-Governmental Charges for Academic Year 2026-27.
- L.4. Request for approval to appoint Mr. Norman Barnum as Interim Chief Financial Officer effective March 10, 2026.
- L.5. Request for approval to appoint Ms. Jeanette Weiland as the Interim Chief Administrative Officer effective March 1, 2026.

Enclosed for your records are the Executive Summaries with the resolutions that were approved by the Board along with the approved personnel actions. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Erica Calais".

Erica Calais
Vice President for Student Affairs and Board Relations

Approved by the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System on April 23, 2026.

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR THE
UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA SYSTEM**

FINANCE COMMITTEE

April 23, 2026

Item J.8. **University of New Orleans'** request for approval to increase student fees in accordance with Act 790 of the 2024 Regular Legislative Session.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Act 790 of the 2024 Regular Legislative Session authorizes higher education management boards to establish differential tuition for high-cost programs identified by the Board of Regents and to approve student fee increases. Act 790 limits the sum combination of differential tuition and fee increases to a maximum of ten (10) percent over consecutive two-year periods.

In its February 2025 request, the University of New Orleans limited its student fee increases to 3.9%. UNO now requests approval to increase its Act 790 student fees by 6%. With these increases, UNO remains within the ten percent (10%) authority over the two-year period as allowed by Act 790.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the following resolution be adopted:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System hereby approves University of New Orleans' request for approval to increase student fees by 6% as authorized by Act 790 of the 2024 Regular Legislative Session.*

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR THE
UNIVERSITY OF LOUISIANA SYSTEM**

FINANCE COMMITTEE

April 23, 2026

Item J.10. **University of Louisiana System's** recommendation to approve Campus Housing and Meal Plan Rates, Auxiliary Rates, Energy Surcharge, and Non-Governmental Charges for Academic Year 2026-27.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The nine universities request approval to establish Campus Housing and Meal Plan Rates, Auxiliary Rates, Energy Surcharge, and Non-Governmental Charges as per the attached schedules. As has been past practice, System staff requested that campuses submit adjustments to their service rates for the upcoming academic year. Campuses consider a number of variables when considering adjustments to rates including contractual obligations, cost of operations, and/or market limitations. Campuses submitted their rates for Academic Year 2026-27 based upon their respective service offerings; therefore, campus offerings and rates vary accordingly.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the following resolution be adopted:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System hereby approves the University of Louisiana System's recommendation for Campus Housing and Meal Plan Rates, Auxiliary Rates, Energy Surcharge, and Non-Governmental Charges for Academic Year 2026-27:

- *Grambling State University*
- *Louisiana Tech University*
- *McNeese State University*
- *Nicholls State University*
- *Northwestern State University*
- *Southeastern Louisiana University*
- *University of Louisiana at Lafayette*
- *University of Louisiana Monroe*
- *University of New Orleans*

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**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR THE
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PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

April 23, 2026

Item L.4. **University of New Orleans'** request for approval to appoint Mr. Norman Barnum as Interim Chief Financial Officer, effective March 10, 2026.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The University requests approval to appoint Mr. Norman Barnum as Interim Chief Financial Officer effective March 10, 2026, at an annual salary of \$200,000.00. The staff recommends approval.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the following resolution be adopted:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, *that the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System hereby approves University of New Orleans' request for approval to appoint Mr. Norman Barnum as Interim Chief Financial Officer effective March 10, 2026.*

Approved by the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System on April 23, 2026.

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR THE
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PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

April 23, 2026

Item L.5. **University of New Orleans'** request for approval to appoint Ms. Jeanette Weiland as the Interim Chief Administrative Officer effective March 1, 2026.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The University requests approval to appoint Ms. Jeanette Weiland as the Interim Chief Administrative Officer effective March 1, 2026, at an annual salary of \$250,000. The staff recommends approval.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the following resolution be adopted:

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors for the University of Louisiana System hereby approves University of New Orleans' request for approval to appoint Ms. Jeanette Weiland as the Interim Chief Administrative Officer effective March 1, 2026.