TO: University Senate
FROM: Deborah Nichols, Chairperson of the Steering Committee
SUBJECT: Résumé of Items under Consideration by the Various Standing Committees

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1. The Nominating Committee will present the Senators we are nominating for the Standing Committees.

EDUCATIONAL POLICY COMMITTEE
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1. The EPC is bringing resolutions associated with a Civics Literacy Requirement and SAT/ACT admission requirements for votes by the senate.
2. The EPC has decided to recall a resolution on changing the charge of the Academic and Progress and Records Committee that was to come to a vote at the next meeting, due to factors associated with our current move to remote teaching.
3. All other business on regulations, etc., has been sidelined while members of the committee work to support the Provosts office in their continued effort to transfer to remote teaching.

EQUITY AND DIVERSITY COMMITTEE
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1. COVID-19, the University response, and the impact on or faculty, staff, and students
2. Housing for graduate students
3. Food security on campus
4. Faculty and staff diversity and inclusion continuing education recommendations
5. Diversity statement requirement for new faculty hires – education/training
6. Lactation spaces for students and staff
7. Stem Equity Achievement (SEA) Change program

FACULTY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
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1. Committee reports
2. Results from the Elections Procedure Inquiry Commission

STUDENT AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
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1. Housing
2. Mental Health
1. Current URPC membership are overwhelmingly supportive of Prof. Dr. Janice Kritchevsky to chair the committee next year. This will be formally confirmed by vote of new and returning members in months ahead.