2017 Tuition Task Force
Stakeholder Meetings
Goals

Examine the core issues and strategies central to the process of setting tuition at the three Regent Universities

Have the resources necessary to maintain exceptional public higher education in the State of Iowa

Ensure Regent Universities meet the needs of a diverse student body
Regent Enrollment is Growing and Serving Iowans
Iowa Public University Graduation Rates are Highest in the Nation
(Full-time and Part-time, first time in college students completing in 6 years or less)

Source: National Student Clearinghouse 2016
Total Completion at any Institution after starting at a 4-year Public University

All students (81%), Full-time students (92%)

Source: National Student Clearinghouse 2016
Undergraduate Time-to-Degree Has Decreased
(1991-2010 Entering Classes)
U.S. Distribution of Higher Education Funding Sources, 2001-2016
(Source: SHEEO, State Higher Education Finance, FY2016 Report)
Trends in General Education Revenues by Source in Iowa

Data are for SUI, ISU and UNI combined. Source: Board of Regents
Average 2016-17 In-State and Out-of-State Tuition and Fees at Public Four-Year Institutions by State

SOURCE: The College Board, Trends in College Pricing 2016, Figure 7

For detailed data, visit: trends.collegeboard.org.
Iowa Regent Tuition Increases are Among the Lowest in the Country Over the Past 5 Years
Institutional Aid for Undergraduates is Increasing Faster Than Tuition Growth

Aid awarded by Regent university Offices of Student Financial Aid
Very Little State Financial Aid Support Aid to Regent University Students

Source: The Iowa Student Aid Commission, 2016
32% of all bachelor’s degree recipients graduate without debt.
All New Undergraduates Taking Financial Literacy Training

• Automatic enrollment, participation mandatory
• Content includes budgeting & saving, financial aid & loan education, credit & debt
• Financial Literacy Specialists and other resources at all universities
On-going Priorities

High-Quality Teaching & Learning
Student Access & Success
World Class Research
Economic Development & Service
Efficiency in Operations