NORTHEAST COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARD OF GOVERNORS

STUDENT SUCCESS COMMITTEE

Thursday, January 9, 2020

| STUDENT SUCCESS COMM | <u>ITTE</u> | STAFF |
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| Carol Sibbel, Chairperson | PRESENT | Dr. Leah Barrett |
| Donovan Ellis | PRESENT | John Blaylock |
| Terry Nelson | PRESENT | Dr. Michele Gill |
| Nicole Sedlacek | PRESENT | Amanda Nipp |
| Steve Anderson, ex-officio | PRESENT | Dr. Karen Severson |
| | | Eric Johnson |
| OTHER BOARD MEMBERS | | Dr. Tracy Kruse |
| Del Ames | PRESENT | Jim Curry |
| Arlan Kuehn | PRESENT | Brenda Sock |
| Dirk Petersen | PRESENT | Diane Reikofski |
| Julie Robinson | ABSENT | Stacy Dieckman |
| Jeff Scherer | PRESENT | Lori Trowbridge |
| Gene Willers | PRESENT | |

MINUTES

- 1. Carol Sibbel, Chairperson of the Student Success Committee, convened the meeting at 2:25 p.m. in Suite G of the Lifelong Learning Center.
- 2. Recommended approval of the Minutes of the December 17, 2019 meeting as distributed.
- 3. Amanda Nipp, Vice President of Student Services, introduced discussion regarding college affordability and how Northeast Community College compares to its peers and across the nation, reporting that Northeast is below the national average for cost of tuition and fees.

Stacy Dieckman explained how cost of attendance budgets for students living on campus are established, reviewed percentages of the financial need of Northeast's degree-seeking students and reported ways to fill the financial gap include parent-plus loans, Northeast scholarships, institutional assistance, payment plans, and on- and off-campus employment.

Stacy referenced the Impact of Federal Education Dollars on Your Campus spreadsheet that is available in BoardPaq. This is a resource document used by attendees of the Community College National Legislative Summit.

4. With no further business to discuss, the meeting was adjourned at 2:55 p.m.

Mission

Northeast Community College is dedicated to the success of students and the region it serves.