Central Connecticut State University

UNIVERSITY SENATE ACTION

Senate Motion Number FS 11.12.006R

TO:

President Jack Miller

FROM:

4/2/2012

President of the University Senate

- 1. The attached resolution of the University Senate, dealing with: **Financial Transparency** is presented to you for your consideration.
- 2. This resolution was adopted by the University Senate on 3/26/2012.
- 3. After considering this resolution, please indicate your action on this form, and return it together with the original copy to the President of the University Senate.
- 4. Under the By-Laws of the University Senate, Section 3.8, the following schedule of action is to be observed.
 - a) By 4/2/2012, Senate action reported to the President of the University. (Within five school days of the session in which they are adopted).

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b) By 4/16/2012, the President of the University to return the resolution to	the
President of the Senate. (Within ten school days of its receipt).	

Date		Candace Barrington, President, University Senate
ENDORSE	MENT:	
TO:	President of the University	sity Senate
FROM:	President Jack Miller	
1. Moti	on Approved :	
2. Moti	on Disapproved:	(Explanatory statement must be appended).
3. Actio	on "is deferred":	
4. Reso	olution Noted:	
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President Jack Miller

RESOLUTION ON FINANCIAL TRANSPARENCY

WHEREAS, the faculty, staff and students of Central CT State University are enduring significant hardship from the effects of a deep and ongoing recession, and

WHEREAS, this financial crisis has been used to justify massive economic concessions from state workers, including CCSU staff and faculty, and

WHEREAS, students have been forced to bear the burden of cutbacks to education in the state budget through increased tuition and other costs, and

WHEREAS, it is essential for the entire campus community to have the facts regarding our fiscal situation at the University, in order to make informed decisions about programs, curriculum and other matters, and

WHEREAS, the faculty, staff, students and surrounding communities of Central Connecticut State University have a critical interest in understanding our financial situation, and

WHEREAS, it is in keeping with federal and state laws to have financial transparency regarding all expenditures at public institutions,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, that the Central Connecticut State University Faculty Senate officers and CCSU administration officials be directed to publish a complete and transparent accounting of University finances, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this report be presented in a manner that reveals specific expenditures in such areas as athletic spending, salaries and expenses for university administrators, budgets for campus facilities (such as the health center, student center, police department, etc), a breakdown of spending by schools, centers and departments and any and all other income and expenditures.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this accounting be published in a timely manner and be accessible to all.

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