

USF St. Petersburg Campus Board
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Issue: Facilities and Equipment Use Fee for the 2010/11 Academic Year

Information: Fee recommendation for AY 2010/11 (effective Fall 2010)

Background information:

In accordance with 2008-09 House Bill 500, Florida Statue 1009.24 and the authority granted to USF Board of Trustees, recommendations are presented with regard to amending the list of classes requiring facilities and equipment charge for instructional laboratories.

Significant Policy Issues for Board to Consider

A comprehensive and detailed approach was undertaken to assess the facilities and equipment charge for classes requiring equipment intensive instructional laboratories. The approach was designed to ensure that the charge recovers only the cost of instructional laboratory equipment in proportion to the time of their usage for the classes. Several new courses have been added to this list based on a more detailed analysis completed over the first year of implementation of this fee.

Strategic Goal Item(s) Support: Goal I

Supporting documentation: List of Courses for Facilities and Equipment Use Fee (revisions/additions indicated)

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