

MINUTES  
BOARD OF REGENTS COMMITTEE ON STUDENT SUCCESS  
MEETING

APRIL 4, 2024

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I. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Laurie Tochiki called the meeting to order at 1:01 p.m. on Thursday, April 4, 2024, in the Board of Regents Conference Room 105A/B, 2520 Correa Road, Honolulu, Hawaii 96822, with regents participating from various locations.

Committee members in attendance: Chair Laurie Tochiki; Vice-Chair William Haning; Regent Laurel Loo; Regent Abigail Mawae; and Regent Ernest Wilson.

Others in attendance: Acting Board Chair Gabriel Lee; Regent Lauren Akitake (ex officio committee members); President David Lassner; Vice President (VP) for Administration Jan Gouveia; VP for Academic Strategy Debora Halbert; VP for Community Colleges Erika Lacro; VP for Legal Affairs/University General Counsel Carrie Okinaga; Regent Abigail Mawae; Regent Ernest Wilson; Regent Laurel Loo; Regent Michael Bruno; UH-Hilo & Chancellor Maenette Benham; Executive Administrator and Secretary of the Board of Regents (Board Secretary) Ernest Wilson; UH-West Oahu Chancellor

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Chair Tochiki inquired if there were any corrections to the minutes of the February

## Written Testimony Received

### Late Written Testimony Received

Chair Tochiki expressed her gratitude for all of the testimony provided to the committee stating it confirmed the commitment and dedication of faculty throughout the university system to ensuring a student-focused approach to the Gen Ed process. She also communicated her appreciation for the need to address this matter in a thoughtful way and in a manner that takes into consideration the shared vision for Gen Ed among all the university constituencies.

## IV. AGENDA ITEMS

### A. General Education (Gen Ed) Update

VP Halbert began by stating the purpose of this discussion was to garner the board's insights as to how to move forward on the Gen Ed redesign proposal and was not to make decisions on specific policy revisions. Additionally, she stressed the proposed revisions to R

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