AGENDA

FINANCE/AUDIT COMMITTEE

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN INDIANA BOARD OF TRUSTEES

September 6, 2007

1. REVIEW OF RECOMMENDATION FOR 2008-2009 HOUSING RATES

<u>Approval</u> of the following 2008-2009 housing rates for recommendation to the Board of Trustees <u>is</u> <u>recommended</u>.

<u>recommended</u> .		CURRENT RATE	PROPOSED RATE	EFFECTIVE DATE
FALL OR SPRING SEMESTER				
McDONALD or O'DANIEL APARTMENT				
Two Bedroom:	Two students per bedroom One student per bedroom	\$1,642 2,941	\$1,675 3,000	7-01-08 7-01-08
One Bedroom:	Two students One student	1,983 3,691	2,023 3,765	7-01-08 7-01-08
GOVERNORS, NEV or RUSTON HALL	VMAN, O'BANNON <u>,</u>			
One and Two Bedroom: Two students per bedroom		\$1,642	\$1,675	7-01-08

SUMMER SESSIONS

Summer session rates are indexed to semester rates. The rate for each five-week summer session is one-third of the academic year semester rate.

2. REVIEW OF RECOMMENDATION FOR 2008-2009 MEAL PLAN RATES

Students who live in the Residence Halls (Newman Hall, Governors Hall, O'Bannon Hall, and Ruston Hall) are required to purchase a Resident Meal Plan. Three plans are available from which students can choose. The proposed rates allow for normal increases in food and labor costs.

<u>Approval</u> of the following meal plan rates for 2008-2009 for recommendation to the Board of Trustees <u>is</u> <u>recommended</u>.

FALL OR SPRING SEMESTER

	CURRENT RATE	PROPOSED RATE	EFFECTIVE DATE
Red Eagle Plan	\$1,629	\$1,649	7-01-08
White Eagle Plan	1,569	1,610	7-01-08
Blue Eagle Plan	1,435	1,480	7-01-08

SUMMER SESSIONS

Meal plans are not offered during summer sessions.

3. APPROVAL OF YEAR-END BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2006-2007

Approval of the year-end budget appropriations for fiscal year 2006-2007 in Attachment A is recommended.

4. REPORT ON THE VOLUNTARY EMPLOYEES' BENEFIT ASSOCIATION (VEBA) TRUST FUND

Neil Heppler, Principal with Asset Performance Partners, will present a report on the performance of the VEBA Trust Fund for fiscal year 2006-2007.

5. APPROVAL OF RECOMMENDATION TO TRANSFER FUNDS TO THE VEBA (VOLUNTARY EMPLOYEES' BENEFIT ASSOCIATION) TRUST

The VEBA (Voluntary Employees' Benefit Association) Trust Investment Policy requires the approval of the Board of Trustees for a transfer of funds to the VEBA Trust.

<u>Approval</u> of a recommendation to the Board of Trustees to transfer \$500,000 to the VEBA Trust is recommended.

Fiscal Year 2006-2007 Budget Appropriations

From: To:	Appropriation of transfer from the library acquisitions reserve for the purchase of library reference materials Library	\$ 68,288
From: To:	Appropriation of USI Foundation support Faculty Enhancement, Student Programs, and Historic Southern Indiana Programs	193,821
From: To:	Appropriation of increased enrollment funding for Summer 2005-2006, Fall 2006, and Spring 2007 Academic Units	126,445
From: To:	Appropriation of additional revenue collected from services Nursing and Health Professions Certificate Programs	80,468
From: To:	Appropriation of additional childcare fees collected from services Children's Center Operations	39,138
From: To:	Appropriation of fund balance to cover expenses Extended Services Programs	38,387
From: To:	Appropriation of additional support from Student Services Fee, USI Foundation, and NCAA reimbursements for additional GLVC tournament costs and related support expenses Athletics	218,934
From: To: To: To: To To: To:	Appropriation of transfers from current operating year-end savings to reserves Special Projects Reserve – Self Insurance Reserve – Science and Engineering Equipment Reserve – Revolving Funds Reserve – Equipment Replacement Employee Benefits Revolving Fund (Voluntary Employees' Benefit Association [VEBA] Trust)	2,930,000 1,500,000 400,000 230,000 50,000 250,000 500,000
From: To:	Appropriation of transfer from technology fee revenue to reserve Reserve – Technology Initiatives	400,000
From: To: To	Appropriation of transfer of bookstore revenue to reserves Bookstore Reserve Reserve – University Initiatives	643,442 443,442 200,000
From: To: To	Appropriation of transfer from food service revenue to reserves Dining Reserve University Center Expansion	507,808 421,953 85,855
From: To:	Appropriation of transfer from University Center year-end debt service savings to reserve University Center Expansion	152,359
From: To	Appropriation of transfer from residence life year-end surplus to reserve General Housing Reserve	431,557

From:	Appropriation of transfer from residence life year-end debt service savings to reserve	
To:	Housing Debt Reserve	309,425
From: To:	Appropriation of transfer from insurance budget to reserve Reserve – Worker's Compensation	154,461
From: To:	Appropriation of transfer from energy savings to reserve Reserve – Energy Management Controls	153,186
From: To:	Appropriation of transfer from medical insurance savings to reserve Reserve – Medical Premiums	430,588
From: To:	Appropriation of additional transportation fee revenue to reserve Reserve – Parking	849,849
From: To:	Appropriation of year-end revenue to reserve Reserve – Mailroom Equipment	171,000