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To: Dean Van Galen, Chancellor
116 North Hall
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From: Marshall Toman, Acting Chair *MBJ*
Faculty Senate
University of Wisconsin-River Falls

May 3, 2012

RE: UWRF Faculty Senate Motion 2011-2012/115

At the May 2, 2012 meeting of University of Wisconsin-River Falls Faculty Senate, motion 2011-2012/115 was passed and it is effective immediately. This motion is forwarded to you for your action.

Motion from the Sustainability Working Group (Kelly Cain, Chair) to adopt the following definitions:

UWRF 'Sustainability' Definition

"UWRF defines sustainability as our local and global responsibility to meet the needs of present and future generations, as demonstrated by an integrated set of ecologic, social, and economic values, principles, and practices that frame how we think, choose, and act in personal, professional, and community life."

UWRF 'Sustainability Research' Definition

"Research, scholarly, and creative activity that examines, documents, and portrays the breadth and depth of basic and applied contexts of UWRF's definition of Sustainability. [UWRF defines sustainability as our local and global responsibility to meet the needs of present and future generations, as demonstrated by an integrated set of ecologic, social, and economic values, principles, and practices that frame how we think, choose, and act in personal, professional, and community life.]"

Approved ☒

Disapproved ☐

Dean Van Galen, Chancellor

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Date