

Meeting of the Faculty Advisory Committee to the CSU Board of Regents

December 13, 2024. 1pm

1. Approval of agenda and minutes
2. Report of Chair and Vice Chair
3. NCHEMS Resolution
4. Report to Legislature
5. Old / New Business

Meeting link:

<https://easternct.webex.com/easternct/j.php?MTID=ma086536ac094b9a8573bbdda748cc6d3>

Resolution Rejecting the “CSCU Organizational Study” Supplied by NCHEMS

WHEREAS A Regent characterized this document as outdated and incomplete during a 5 December 2024 meeting.

WHEREAS The document compared CSCU pay and benefits with compensation in anti-union “right to work” states (campuses which, therefore, can not be considered peers).

WHEREAS The document exhibits bias with respect to enrollments and only reports negative evidence, omitting recent positive increases in CSCU enrollments.

WHEREAS Published journalism documents evidence of major ethical breaches by NCHEMS.

WHEREAS The document is not comprehensive in discussing valuable benefits created by CSCU, which includes community charitable acts, other acts of service, creative activity and scholarship.

WHEREAS The document is woefully lacking in considering inequality and its impact on the CSCU mission, including Connecticut’s extreme levels of income inequality and K-12 achievement gaps; now, therefore bet it

RESOLVED The Faculty Advisory Committee to the Board of Regents rejects the CSCU Organizational Study in its entirety.

RESOLVED We advise that CSCU system office, Board of Regents, General Assembly and Governor to reject the CSCU Organizational Study.

RESOLVED The shared governance process should always take precedence over the CSCU Organizational Study in determining the future for CSCU.