Office of the Secretary and Chief of Staff

TO MEMBERS OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER THE SELECTION OF A PRESIDENT:

## **DISCUSSION ITEM**

For Meeting of December 13, 2019

## UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA PRESIDENTIAL SEARCH FORUM: INPUT FROM HIGHER EDUCATION ORGANIZATIONS

## **BACKGROUND**

The purpose of this public meeting of the Special Committee, sponsored by the College Futures Foundation, is to solicit observations and advice to inform the search process for the next President of the University of California. At this forum, organizations in the field of postsecondary education, workforce and economic development, and student success have been invited to provide testimony to the Special Committee to Consider the Selection of a President.

Members of the public are welcome to attend the entire meeting; there will be a public comment period held at the beginning of the meeting. The forum will be livestreamed on the UC Presidential search website and the Regents website. College Futures Foundation is sponsoring a similar forum on January 14<sup>th</sup> at UCLA. Please see the UC Presidential search website for more information. College Futures Foundation is an organization that works to ensure equity of opportunity and access to higher education in California.

In addition to these structured meetings, there will be at least two extended opportunities for public input in early 2020 at town halls on other campuses as part of a listening tour conducted by the Special Committee. In November, the Special Committee met with constituent groups and plans to schedule meetings with additional constituent groups in early 2020.

Input from the public regarding the search may be submitted by email to UCPresidentSearch@ucop.edu or by mail to the Secretary and Chief of Staff to the Regents, 1111 Franklin Street, Oakland, CA 94607.