## ACADEMIC, RESEARCH & STUDENT AFFAIRS COMMITTEE University of Montana Western Great Room, Swysgood Technology Center Thursday, March 1, 2012 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM

Committee Members: Regents Todd Buchanan, Chair; Joe Thiel; Paul Tuss

2:00 PM CONSENT

- a. Level II items (from January submission)
- b. Honorary Doctorates
  - MSU-Bozeman
  - UM-Missoula
  - MT Tech

## 2:10 PM INFORMATION

- a. Transfer Articulation Agreement Between Montana State
  University-Bozeman and Lethbridge College; MSU-Bozeman
  ITEM #154-2006-R0312 | Attachment #1 Briefing | Attachment #2 Agreement
- b. Level I Memorandum (approved at OCHE)
- c. Level II Memorandum (for consent agenda at May 2012 BOR meeting)
- d. AIMA Update B. Foster
- e. GEAR UP Update S. Moore
- f. Transferability Update
- g. Affordability Task Force Update T. Trevor, R. Muffick
  - Pell Update
  - Default Rates and Prevention
  - President Obama's College Affordability Agenda
- h. Strategic Plan Dashboard Indicator | Retention

2:50 PM Public Comment

3:00 PM Adjourn on completion of business