Fiscal Year 2020-2021 Deadlines  April 20, 2021

TO: Budget Unit and Department Heads/& All Employees

FROM: Dr. Bill Graves, Vice President for Business Affairs

The following procedures are required to assure a smooth close for Fiscal Year (FY) 2020-2021. Unless otherwise noted, all dates apply to all funds (General Fund, Auxiliary Fund, Student Fee Accounts, Restricted Accounts, and Grants & Contracts) for all purchases and/or services needed by June 30, 2021. Banner Requisitions for any purchases and/or services for next fiscal year (July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2022) must have a transaction date of July 1, 2021 or later.

FRIDAY, May 14:

General Fund:

Purchase Requisitions for goods/services with an expected cost greater than $30,000 should be approved in Banner and appropriate specifications submitted to Purchasing.

Grants and Contracts with Project Dates Ending June 30, 2021 Only

Purchase Requisitions for goods/services with an expected cost greater than $30,000 require a minimum 20 day advertising period should be approved in Banner and appropriate specifications submitted to Purchasing.

FRIDAY, May 21:

Purchase Requisitions for goods/services with an expected cost between $10,000 and $30,000 should be approved in Banner and appropriate specifications submitted to Purchasing.

FRIDAY, May 28:

Budget transfers with all appropriate signatures for FY 2020-2021 due in the Budget Office. Purchase Requisitions for goods/services with an expected cost between $1,000 and $10,000 should be approved in Banner and appropriate specifications submitted to Purchasing.

TUESDAY, June 1:

Last day to use ULM Purchasing Card for purchases. All use must be delayed until July 6, 2021 or later. ULM Purchasing Cards will be suspended during the June billing cycle (June 6, 2021 thru July 5, 2021). CBA Accounts and Travel Cards will still be active during this time. However, all statements and supporting documentation must be received in the Controller’s Office no later than July 9, 2021 in order to allow for a timely fiscal year-end close.

FRIDAY, June 11:

Check Requests NOT REQUIRING bids (on state contract OR under $1,000 including Petty Cash) to be charged to FY 20-21 are due in the Purchasing Department with all required signatures. Deadline to purchase using Interdepartmentals at the Bookstore, Copy Center and Physical Plant work orders.

FRIDAY, June 18:

ALL Interdepartmentals for FY 2020-2021 due in the Controller’s Office.

All CPR’s and Receiving reports (signed & dated) for goods & services charged to FY 20-21 are due in the Controller’s Office in order to be processed for the final check run on June 25, 2021.

WEDNESDAY, June 23:

Payroll Action Form Deadline to Human Resources for processing on final payroll of FY 20-21. Any late forms submitted after this date will need approval by the appropriate Vice President or President.

FRIDAY, June 25:

Final date for ALL travel expense reports for FY 2020-2021 due in the Controller’s Office. All P-Card transactions must be completed in Works, and all statements, logs, receipts, and supporting documentation to be received in Purchasing Office for the June 5 statement period.

Any exceptions must be approved by the appropriate Vice President or President.