

Central Washington University Board of Trustees July 21, 2017

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY-ACTION – Review, University Strategic Plan

CWUP 1-10-050 states that the Board of Trustees "will regularly review the mission statement/strategic plan of the university."

For the past two years at the annual conference, the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) has strongly encouraged institutions to reduce the complexity of their strategic plans. In response, CWU established a set of guiding principles to streamline the institutional strategic plan including the core themes, objectives, outcomes, and indicators. Those principles are as follows:

- Preserve the intent of the existing strategic plan core themes and objectives; however, combine or delete objectives that are either redundant or do not have clearly related and measureable outcomes.
- Preserve the intent of the original outcomes; however, combine outcomes when appropriate and delete redundancies.
- Undertake a major overhaul of the indicators.

We recommend the following motion:

The Board of Trustees of Central Washington University hereby confirms review and approval of non-substantive revisions to the University Strategic Plan as recommended by the Provost this day July 20, 2017.

Submitted,

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Approved for submittal:

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