BOARD OF REGENTS BRIEFING PAPER

1. Agenda Item Title: Technology Fee/ iNtegrate Fee Report Meeting Date: December 3-4, 2015

2. BACKGROUND & POLICY CONTEXT OF ISSUE:

In April of 2009, the Board of Regents approved an increase in the Technology Fee of \$3.00 per credit at the universities and \$1.50 per credit at the state and community colleges to support the development of iNtegrate projects, a system-wide information system. The increase was effective in FY2010 and resulted in a fee of \$7.00 per credit at the universities and \$5.50 per credit at the state and community colleges. When the Technology Fee increase was approved by the Board, it also required annual reporting of the funds generated.

Subsequently, Title 4, Chapter 10, Section 16 of the Board of Regents Handbook was revised and Section 17 was created to distinguish the Technology Fee from the fee dedicated to the iNtegrate project, and to establish the annual reporting requirements for both fees.

3. SPECIFIC ACTIONS BEING RECOMMENDED OR REQUESTED:

N/A – information only

4. IMPETUS (WHY NOW?):

Technology fee generated funds must be reported to the Board of Regents annually. The previous report was reviewed by the Board at the December 2014 meeting. (*Ref.BOR-10e*)

5. BULLET POINTS TO SUPPORT REQUEST/RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

6. POTENTIAL ARGUMENTS AGAINST THE REQUEST/RECOMMENDATION:

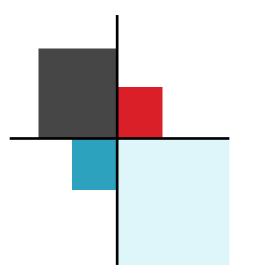
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7. ALTERNATIVE(S) TO WHAT IS BEING REQUESTED/RECOMMENDED:

N/A

8. COMPLIANCE WITH BOARD POLICY:

Х	Consistent With Current Board Policy: Title #_4_ Chapter #_10_ Section #_16 &17
	Amends Current Board Policy: Title # Chapter # Section #
	Amends Current Procedures & Guidelines Manual: Chapter # Section #
	Other:
	Fiscal Impact: Yes No_N/A
	Explain:





Fiscal Year 2014-15

Technology Fee And Integrate Fee Report

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NEVADA SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION

TECHNOLOGY FEE AND INTEGRATE FEE REPORT

Fiscal Year 2014-15

Introduction

Contained in this document are the actual sources and uses related to Technology Fees. The regular technology fee, as well as the iNtegrate technology fee are separately identified and reported by institution. These reports are for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2015.

In April of 2009, the Board of Regents approved an increase in the Technology Fee of \$3.00 per credit at the universities and \$1.50 per credit at the state and community colleges to support the development and operation of iNtegrate projects. The increase was effective in FY2010 and resulted in a fee of \$7.00 per credit at the universities and \$5.50 per credit at the state and community colleges. When the Technology Fee increase was approved by the Board, it also required annual reporting of the funds generated and expended.

Subsequently, Title 4, Chapter 10, Section 16 of the Board of Regents Handbook was revised and Section 17 was created to distinguish the Technology Fee from the fee dedicated to the iNtegrate project, and to clarify the annual reporting requirements for both fees.

Per Section 16 of the Board of Regents Handbook (Title 4, Chapter 10), funds generated by the regular technology fee must be used for the betterment of the students' educational experience. Funds may be used for any technology-related expenditure, including, but not limited to equipment, associated software and licensing, Internet and Web related support, user service/help desk support, lab support, lab coordinators and assistants, electronic library media, enhanced instructional technology for classroom and labs, and distance education/interactive video equipment and facilitators.

Per Section 17 of the Board of Regents Handbook (Title 4, Chapter 10) funds generated by the iNtegrate technology fee must be used directly to support the development of a system-wide information system. Funds may be used for the implementation of the iNtegrate Project, including but not limited to support for functional and technical staff, technology costs, and costs for communication devices.

	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Technology Fee	2,571,301	2,899,082	2,885,339	2,531,896	2,511,539	2,458,82
Expenditures: Professional Salaries Classified Salaries Wages Fringe Operations Equipment Total Expenditures	79,685 - 2,946 719,722 - 802,353	148,441 - - 5,923 235,952 - 390,316	461,666 - - 20,013 3,246,126 239,569 3,967,375	450,906 - - 16,511 4,571,076 - 5,038,493	562,370 - - 19,291 2,939,740 - 3,521,401	216,27 7,08 2,913,82 3,137,18
iscal year Total	1,768,948	2,508,766	(1,082,036)	(2,506,597)	(1,009,862)	(678,36
pening Balance	1,997,143	3,766,091	6,274,857	5,192,821	2,686,224	1,676,36
nding Cumulative Balance	3,766,091	6,274,857	5,192,821	2,686,224	1,676,362	998,00

	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Integrate Fee	964,238	1,087,156	1,082,002	949,461	941,827	985,956
Expenditures:						
Professional Salaries	20,000	116,408	151,645	83,166	146,877	244,185
Classified Salaries	-	-	33,471	18,348	21,971	20,938
Wages	-	3,210	54,425	-	-	
Fringe	3,339	33,088	56,176	34,679	57,944	83,192
Operations	46,657	236,803	623,513	574,172	629,774	544,952
Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	
Total Expenditures	69,996	389,509	919,230	710,365	856,566	893,267
iscal year Total	894,242	697,647	162,772	239,096	85,261	92,689
Opening Balance	-	894,242	1,591,889	1,754,661	1,993,757	2,079,018
Ending Cumulative Balance	894,242	1,591,889	1,754,661	1,993,757	2,079,018	2,171,707

Great Basin College						
Technology Fee - Regular						
	EV 2010	FV 2011	EV 2012	EV 2012	EV 2014	FV 2015
	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Technology Fee	229,032	229,834	192,265	189,642	191,765	190,754
Expenditures:						
Professional Salaries	-	-	-	-	-	-
Classified Salaries	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wages	20,469	17,570	16,648	19,280	2,025	-
Fringe	716	599	810	926	64	-
Operations	199,127	220,358	85,729	137,634	161,931	219,613
Equipment	29,418	26,298	79,972	5,901	-	10,887
Total Expenditures	249,730	264,823	183,159	163,741	164,020	230,499
Fiscal Year Total	(20,698)	(34,989)	9,106	25,901	27,745	(39,745)
Opening Balance	140,183	119,485	84,496	93,602	119,503	147,248
Ending Cumulative Balance	119,485	84,496	93,602	119,503	147,248	107,502

Great Basin College						
Technology Fee - iNtegrate						
	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Integrate Fee	85,887	86,099	72,054	71,214	71,850	72,752
Expenditures:						
Professional Salaries	-	-	-	26,410	29,418	11,999
Classified Salaries	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wages	-	-	-	6,394	285	-
Fringe	-	-	-	5,145	6,061	2,981
Operations	34,930	11,662	14,150	49,029	143,157	58,056
Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Expenditures	34,930	11,662	14,150	86,978	178,921	73,036
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Fiscal Year Total	50,957	74,437	57,905	(15,764)	(107,071)	(283
Opening Balance	-	50,957	125,394	183,299	167,535	60,464
Ending Cumulative Balance	50,957	125,394	183,299	167,535	60,464	60,181

Nevada State College						
Technology Fee - Regular						
	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Technology Fee	180,000	186,908	305,292	272,529	289,397	296,676
Expenditures: Professional Salaries				14,502	34,610	_
Classified Salaries	-	-	-	7,709		- 54,039
Wages Fringe	10,635 -	13,881 -	95,613 -	1,755 6,220	- 12,810	- 13,510
Operations Equipment	119,842 49,800	91,530 74,750	102,224 129,754	237,059	274,001 -	228,963 -
Total Expenditures	180,277	180,161	327,591	267,245	321,421	296,512
Fiscal Year Total	(277)	6,747	(22,299)	5,284	(32,024)	164
Opening Balance	46,915	46,638	53,385	31,086	36,370	4,346
Ending Cumulative Balance	46,638	53,385	31,086	36,370	4,346	4,510

Nevada State College

Technology Fee - iNtegrate

	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Integrate Fee	85,125	97,835	102,865	100,932	107,893	111,259
Expenditures:						
Professional Salaries	9,716	34,050	30,529	-	67,390	9,056
Classified Salaries	12,261	76,712	24,658	-	27,168	-
Wages	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fringe	4,303	14,331	18,464	-	45,439	1,676
Operations ⁽¹⁾	31,587	-	29,214	53	14,901	103,709
Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Expenditures	57,867	125,093	102,865	53	154,898	114,441
Fiscal Year Total	27,258	(27,258)	-	100,879	(47,005)	(3,183)
Opening Balance	-	27,258	-	-	100,879	53,874
Ending Cumulative Balance	27,258	-	-	100,879	53,874	50,691

^{(1).} FY13 expenses were not included in the FY14 amounts; only FY14 expenses are reported in FY14. There was a fund balance rolling into FY14 that was used in FY14, in addition to FY14 iNtegrate revenues, for applicable integrate expenses.

Truckee	Meadows	Community	College

Technology Fee - Regular

	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Technology Fee	936,489	910,473	788,345	827,449	785,214	783,630
Expenditures:						
Professional Salaries	1,625	20,211	200	11,365	8,103	4,115
Classified Salaries	214	110,455	-	-	-	-
Wages	84,323		109,735	111,420	178,241	193,625
Fringe	1,607	2,712	2,607	3,145	3,864	4,148
Operations ⁽²⁾	733,763	501,779	583,357	1,314,812	778,738	1,050,300
Equipment	-	75,175	63,588	92,573	-	35,368
Transfers Out ⁽¹⁾	(411,295)	(211,107)	-	-	-	-
Total Expenditures	410,237	499,225	759,487	1,533,315	968,946	1,287,555
Fiscal Year Total	526,252	411,248	28,858	(705,866)	(183,732)	(503,925)
Opening Balance	1,112,953	1,639,205	2,050,453	2,079,311	1,373,445	1,189,713
Ending Cumulative Balance	1,639,205	2,050,453	2,079,311	1,373,445	1,189,713	685,788

^{(1).} One-time transfers were made to preserve technology fee revenues in anticipation of major equipment replacements planned for FY 2012. Equipment purchases have been delayed until Fy2013. FY10 Operations \$411,295. FY11 Operations \$135,932, Equipment \$75,175.

^{(2).} FY 2015 spending increase in operations primarily related to the purchase of approximately \$750K of academic computers. Large purchase of computers were made at both the start and end of FY2 2015 and are not included in the equipment line as the value of the individual computer is not at the equipment capitalization level.

	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Integrate Fee	348,924	341,351	296,158	313,193	294,455	293,861
Expenditures:						
Professional Salaries	80,173	154,434	170,859	121,785	147,300	108,271
Classified Salaries	10,302	169	-	-	-	-
Wages	1,025	-	-	-	-	-
Fringe	20,048	48,676	4,503	46,115	54,448	31,504
Operations	131,776	192,562	364,707	162,326	227,649	217,680
Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers Out (1&2)	-	(298,264)	(141,115)	-	-	-
Total Expenditures	243,324	97,577	398,954	330,226	429,397	357,455
Fiscal Year Total	105,600	243,774	(102,796)	(17,033)	(134,942)	(63,594
Opening Balance	-	105,600	349,374	246,578	229,545	94,603
Ending Cumulative Balance	105,600	349,374	246,578	229,545	94,603	31,009

Truckee Meadows Community College

^{(1).} One-time transfers were made in order to support anticipated costs in the Campus Solutions shared instance and planned additional consulting work for Campus Solutions in FY 2012. FY11 Professional \$132,929, Fringe \$39,707, and Operations \$125,628. FY12 Professional \$98,530, Fringe \$42,585.

^{(2).} One-time transfers were made to preserve technology fee revenues in anticipation of major equipment replacements planned for FY 2012. Equipment purchases have been delayed until Fy2013. FY10 Operations \$411,295. FY11 Operations \$135,932, Equipment \$75,175.

	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Technology Fee	2,565,934	2,539,780	2,427,123	2,375,901	2,471,943	2,595,007
Expenditures:						
Professional Salaries	832,966	791,156	717,761	850,846	75,514	175,630
Classified Salaries	127,817	151,573	280,606	269,563	18,579	19,536
Wages ⁽¹⁾	380,600	226,694	11,250	8,835	1,417	594,308
Fringe	292,146	286,901	313,667	394,615	25,896	48,751
Operations	543,276	683,471	516,186	303,306	735,268	648,202
Equipment ⁽²⁾	286,970	349,366	-	-	-	1,536,639
Total Expenditures	2,463,775	2,489,161	1,839,470	1,827,165	856,674	3,023,066
Fiscal Year Total	102,159	50,619	587,654	548,736	1,615,269	(428,059
Opening Balance	488,829	590,988	641,607	1,229,261	1,777,997	3,393,266
Ending Cumulative Balance	590,988	641,607	1,229,261	1,777,997	3,393,266	2,965,207

^{(1).} \$594.3K in student wage expense was charged to the \$4 per credit student tech fee account. This is significantly higher than in prior years when most of the wage expense was charged to OIT's state appropriated accounts.

^{(2).} UNLV spent approximately \$1.25 million in FY 2015 to replace computers in the Lied Library and several general computer labs, plus \$250,000 in equipment for security upgrades and pending approval of the final OIT masterplan, as these are significant IT investments that are needed.

University of Nevada, Las Vegas

Technology Fee - iNtegrate							
	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	
Integrate Fee	1,973,114	2,024,032	1,938,620	1,879,865	1,950,107	2,040,763	
Expenditures: Professional Salaries Classified Salaries Wages Fringe Operations Equipment	904,481 - - 223,227 70,225 -	1,613,564 71,802 - 438,720 69,063 -	1,072,222 55,410 - 336,246 388,183 -	1,306,668 6,336 - 393,773 275,004 -	1,129,851 - 336,018 407,899 -	1,153,083 - - 310,440 376,542 -	
Total Expenditures	1,197,933	2,193,149	1,852,061	1,981,781	1,873,768	1,840,065	
Fiscal Year Total	775,181	(169,117)	86,559	(101,916)	76,339	200,698	
Opening Balance	19,447	794,628	625,511	712,070	610,154	686,493	
Ending Cumulative Balance	794,628	625,511	712,070	610,154	686,493	887,191	

University of Nevada, Reno						
Technology Fee - Regular						
	EV 2010	FV 2011	EV 2012	EV 2012	EV 2014	FV 201 F
	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Total Funds Available	1,425,259	1,533,867	1,754,138	1,766,012	1,830,540	2,011,827
Expenditures:						
Letter of Appointment	26,309	47,836	58,344	60,491	30,844	12,678
Professional Salaries	202,325	269,901	269,865	303,319	381,302	288,834
Graduate Salaries	1,422	-	-	-	-	-
Classified Salaries	140,891	140,121	130,749	145,779	167,736	256,899
Wages	94,080	83,514	79,178	127,671	73,981	75,380
Fringe	108,721	139,917	138,607	152,460	182,741	167,835
Operations	558,238	753,044	932,322	566,351	910,997	1,059,527
Equipment	160,389	68,851	111,544	173,456	43,700	-
Transfers Out	-	170,000	170,000	170,000	170,000	170,000
Total Expenditures	1,292,374	1,673,184	1,890,609	1,699,527	1,961,301	2,031,153
Fiscal Year Total	132,885	(139,317)	(136,471)	66,485	(130,761)	(19,326)
Opening Balance	344,910	477,795	338,478	202,007	268,492	137,731
Ending Cumulative Balance	477,795	338,478	202,007	268,492	137,731	118,405

University of Nevada, Reno							
Technology Fee - iNtegrate							
	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	
Total Funds Available	1,047,243	1,150,400	1,315,688	1,324,498	1,371,818	1,506,690	
Expenditures:							
Letter of Appointment			43,490	2,500	35,750	-	
Professional Salaries	406,112	627,419	618,074	686,170	711,738	710,122	
Graduate Salaries		28,500	-	-	-	-	
Classified Salaries		-	-	208,855	-	-	
Wages		-	-	-	-	-	
Fringe	113,527	162,225	186,107	-	218,222	205,702	
Travel	2,396	2,329	-	3,714	3,059	4,415	
Operations	113,344	63,912	362,387	206,012	327,949	161,410	
Equipment	14,695		5,726	-	18,600	-	
Transfers out		17,500	494,500	-	400,000	200,000	
Total Expenditures	650,074	901,885	1,710,284	1,107,251	1,715,318	1,281,650	
Fiscal Year Total	397,169	248,516	(394,596)	217,247	(343,500)	225,040	
Opening Balance	-	397,169	645,685	251,089	468,336	124,836	
Ending Cumulative Balance	397,169	645,685	251,089	468,336	124,836	349,876	

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Western Nevada College						
Technology Fee - Regular						
Fiscal Year Total	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Technology Fee	369,327	356,395	291,969	279,679	268,581	281,466
Expenditures: Professional Salaries Classified Salaries Wages Fringe Operations Equipment Total Expenditures	- - - 383,746 15,350 399,096	- - - 221,426 5,099 226,525	- - - 483,624 21,785 505,409	- - - 162,692 6,051 168,743	47,399 - - 15,756 177,264 29,966 270,385	48,268 - - 16,087 284,433 44,095 392,883
Balance	(29,769)	129,870	(213,440)	110,936	(1,804)	(111,417)
Opening Balance	239,497	209,728	339,598	126,158	237,094	235,290
Ending Cumulative Balance	209,728	339,598	126,158	237,094	235,290	123,873

	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
Integrate Fee	132,658	133,648	109,153	103,442	107,579	102,228
Expenditures:						
Professional Salaries	48,451	100,150	98,229	94,781	74,516	66,481
Classified Salaries	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wages	-	-	5,316	-	-	-
Fringe	11,954	29,546	29,132	40,196	32,278	27,849
Operations	7,690	400	7,150	4,370	2,320	-
Equipment	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Expenditures	68,095	130,096	139,827	139,347	109,114	94,330
Fiscal Year Total	64,563	3,552	(30,674)	(35,905)	(1,535)	7,898
Opening Balance	-	64,563	68,115	37,441	1,536	1
Ending Cumulative Balance	64,563	68,115	37,441	1,536	1	7,899