Announcement to the Dental School Community – Organizational Chart of Facilities Committees
Sept. 13, 2011

Please find attached an organization chart of the various committees working on the new facilities project.

1. The Facilities Steering Committee was appointed by President Eibeck to oversee the progress of the project.

2. I have appointed purchasing committees to write requests for proposals for equipment needed in the new building, review the proposals we receive, and to make recommendations to me about which equipment the dental school should purchase.

3. The Programming/Design Committee is comprised of the chairs of the groups that worked on the programming study last fall, with Kara Bell stepping in for Audrey Goodell, who chaired the office/administration group and who has moved on from her position as Associate Dean. In addition, Neil Kingston brings invaluable experience to this group as Director of Building Operations. This group meets with SmithGroup, architects for the project, and Plant Construction, our builders for the project. The individual programming/design committees will continue to work with the architects from SmithGroup on their areas of responsibility.

4. The Transition Team, chaired by Dr. Richard Fredekind, is charged with working through the variety of matters we must address as the school moves to 155 5th Street, including parking, security, and student housing.

I am grateful to all of the faculty and staff who are members of these committees, and I am grateful too to all of you who are providing support for these efforts. I am sure more of you will be formally involved as the project moves forward.

If you have questions regarding the new facilities project, please feel free to contact a member of the appropriate committee. If your question does not fall under the responsibilities of one of the committees, please contact Dr. Roy Bergstrom, Director of Planning, or me.

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