

**STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF FLORIDA**  
**BOARD OF GOVERNORS**  
**Full Board Meeting**  
October 18, 2024

**SUBJECT:** Approval of University of West Florida President's Contract Extension

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**PROPOSED BOARD ACTION**

Consider approval of UWF President Contract Extension

**AUTHORITY FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS ACTION**

Article IX, Section 7, Florida Constitution, 1001.706(6)(a) Florida Statute and Board of Governors Regulation 1.001(5)(d).

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

On September 12, 2024, the University of West Florida Board of Trustees unanimously approved the attached "President's Employment Agreement," which extends Dr. Martha D. Saunders' contractual term for a one-year period commencing on January 1, 2025, through and including December 31, 2025, on the terms and conditions described therein, contingent upon the Florida Board of Governors Approval. Pursuant to for Board of Governors regulation 1.001(5)(d), Chair Susan Lewis requests Board confirmation of President Saunder's Contract renewal.

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**Supporting Documentation Included:**

Letter to Chair Lamb

Summary of Contract

Contract

**Facilitators/Presenters:**

Chair Lamb