

April 29, 2010

**ITEM 147-101-C0410**      **FY11 Proposed Budget Reductions**

**THAT**                      The Board of Regents approves the proposed FY 2011 budget reductions for the various programs of the Montana University System in cooperation with the governor's budget reduction request. This approval reflects the Board's recognition of its constitutional authority over appropriated funds and constitutes a voluntary collaboration with the Governor's Office. The proposed budget reductions are presented as an attachment to this ITEM.

**EXPLANATION**

On April 5, 2010, Governor Schweitzer requested the Board of Regents to manage the various program budgets of the Montana University System in order to reduce state general fund expenditures in the amount of \$6,824,435.

**ATTACHMENTS**      Montana University System - Budget Reduction Summary