# Tuition /Fees Increase Proposal 2018-19

To the WSSU Board of Trustees
December 8, 2017



WSSU

# **PROCESS**

- Annual Process at each UNC campus
  - An interdisciplinary committee comprised of representatives from –
     Students, Faculty and Senior Management
  - Departmental representatives present proposals/recommendations to the committee regarding respective increases.
  - The committee presents recommendations to:
    - Chancellor and then to
    - Student Forums (2)
  - Final recommendations provided to Board of Trustees and upon approval forwarded to UNC Board of Governors

# **Tuition & Fees Committee**

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- Michael Lewis

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- Letitia Wall Associate Provost
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- Dr. Chinyu Wu

# **UNC-GA SYSTEM GUIDANCE**

- No campus based tuition increase in Undergraduate Residential Tuition Rates
  - Commitment to Affordability & Accessibility

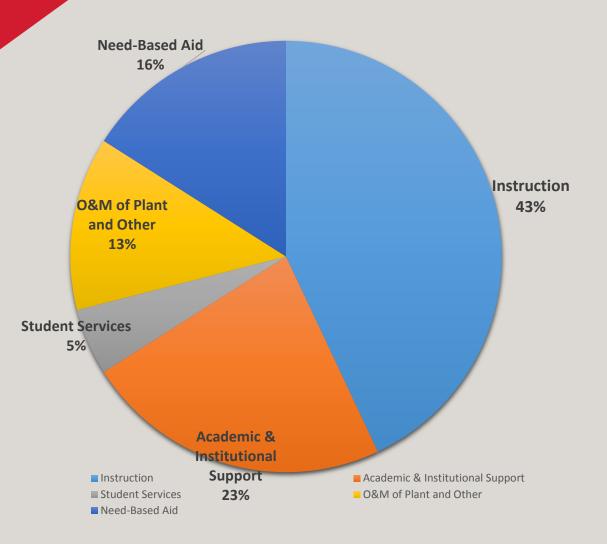
 Undergraduate Non-Resident & Graduate Tuition recommend increase inline with competitive market rates

 General Fee & Debt Service Fee – Increase not to exceed 3% which for WSSU = \$73

# **Tuition Rate Trends**

Category	FY 2015- 16 Tuition	16-17 \$\$ Increase	16-17 % Increase	FY 2016-17 Tuition	17-18 \$\$ Increase	17-18 % Increase	FY 2017-18 Tuition	18-19 % Increase	2018-19 Proposed Tuition
Undergrad - Resident	\$3,238	\$97	3%	\$3,335	\$66	2%	\$3,401	0%	\$3,401
Graduate- Resident	\$3,758	\$38	1%	\$3,796	\$76	2%	\$3,872	0%	\$3,872
Undergrad - Non Resident	\$13,054	\$392	3%	\$13,446	\$202	1.5%	\$13,648	0%	\$13,648
Graduate- Non- Resident	\$13,317	\$399	3%	\$13,713	\$274	2%	\$13,987	0%	\$13,987

# **Tuition Usage Standards**



- <u>Academic & Institutional Support</u> Funds academic and operational administration including university leadership and business functions such as finance, human resources and legal services.
- <u>Instruction</u> Primarily faculty salaries and benefits, supports all aspects of the direct academic mission of the university.
- Need-based Financial Aid Provide tuition-related aid to students with a demonstrated financial need.
- Operation & Maintenance (O&M) of Plant and Other Expense –
   Contributes to the operation and maintenance of the physical plant, utilities and IT infrastructure.
- <u>Student Services</u> Encompasses the student-related administrative needs of the university including admissions, registrar, academic counseling and career counseling.

# Master of Rehabilitation Counseling Program Increase

School Based Tuition Increase 2018-2019





# **Proposed Increase 2018-2019**

2018-2019 Proposed Increase (2018-2019)

\$842.00 (\$280.67 per Term Fall, Spring and Summer)

**Projected Number of Students (2018-2019)** 

Total Projected 35 FTE

Projected Revenue per year (2018-2019)

Projected Revenue \$29,470

# Proposed Usages – Program Requirements

- Supervision Assist (Online supervision program)
  - Connect student outcomes to accreditation standards via a reporting system
- Counselor Preparation Comprehensive Exam (program mid-point program evaluation national exam computerized exam)
- Vocational Assessment/Counseling Educational Supplies
- CRC exam (program national certification exam required for Rehabilitation Counseling 6310 Project course program exit program evaluation computerized exam)

# 2018-19

General / Debt Service Fee Proposals:

Debt Service Net Decrease-\$37

#### **Debt Service Fee**

- Fee collected to cover certain non-state funded construction projects which tend to be more student-auxiliary centered (Residence Halls, Student Activity Centers, etc.).
- Funds are borrowed by the University typically through tax-exempt bond issuances to construct the project.
- The University is requesting a net -\$37 decrease in the Debt Service Fee(2 separate requests)
  - \$73 increase to offset the reduced revenue collected.
  - \$110 decrease to cancel the debt fee collection for the purchase of Bowman Gray Stadium

# **Debt Service Fee Projects**

*Student Activities Center	\$55
*Civitan Park Project	\$75
*Restore the Core	\$115
*North Campus Acquisitions/Improvements	\$105
Bowman Gray Stadium and Civitan Park Acquisition	<u>\$110</u>
Total Debt Service Projects	<u>\$460</u>

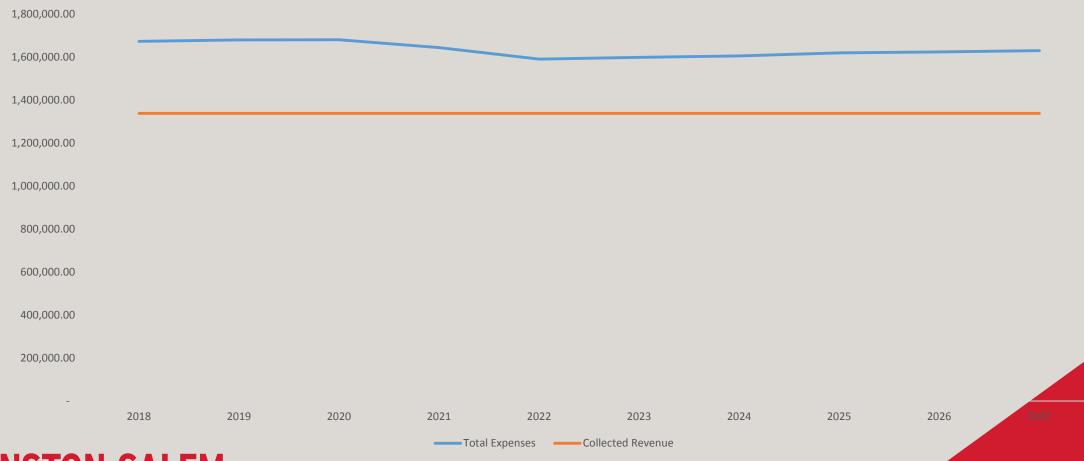
<sup>\*</sup> Denotes Shared Collection Fee \$350

Year Ending June 30	Projected Debt Service Expenditures	FY 2017-18 AAFTE	Current Fee	Projected Revenue	Collection Rate	Projected Collected Revenue	Revenue Shortfall	Increase Needed
2018	\$1,673,203	4,201	\$350	\$1,470,350	91%	\$1,338,019	(\$335,184)	\$80
2019	1,680,264	4,201	\$350	1,470,350	91%	1,338,019	(342,245)	81
2020	1,680,750	4,201	\$350	1,470,350	91%	1,338,019	(342,731)	82
2021	1,644,497	4,201	\$350	1,470,350	91%	1,338,019	(306,478)	73
2022	1,590,412	4,201	\$350	1,470,350	91%	1,338,019	(252,393)	60
2023	1,598,962	4,201	\$350	1,470,350	91%	1,338,019	(263,943)	62

#### ASSUMPTIONS

- -No Fee increase
- -Flat Enrollment
- -91% Collection Rate

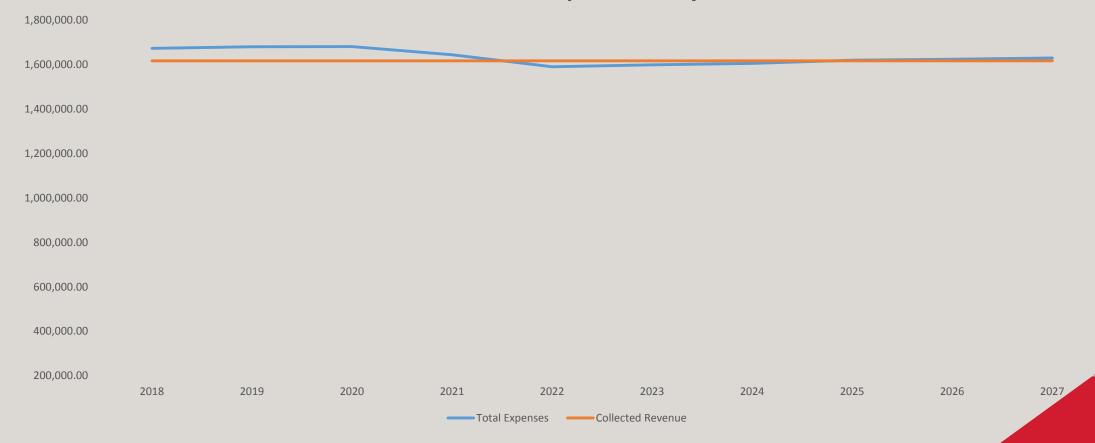
#### **Debt Service Fee Revenue and Expense Analysis without Increase**



Year Ending June 30	Projected Debt Service Expenditures	FY 2017-18 AAFTE	Increased Fee (from \$350)	Projected Revenue	Collection Rate	Projected Collected Revenue	Revenue Shortfall
2018	\$1,673,203	4,201	\$423	\$1,777,023	91%	\$1,617,091	-\$56,112
2019	1,680,264	4,201	\$423	\$1,777,023	91%	1,617,091	-\$63,173
2020	1,680,750	4,201	\$423	\$1,777,023	91%	1,617,091	-\$63,659
2021	1,644,497	4,201	\$423	\$1,777,023	91%	1,617,091	-\$27,406
2022	1,590,412	4,201	\$423	\$1,777,023	91%	1,617,091	\$26,679
2023	1,598,962	4,201	\$423	\$1,777,023	91%	1,617,091	\$18,129

ASSUMPTIONS
-Increase of \$73
-Flat Enrollment
-91% Collection Rate

Debt Service Fee Revenue and Expense Analysis with Fee Increase



# Debt Service Fee Bowman Gray Stadium

- Cancel collection of Bowman Gray Debt Service Fee of \$110
- No Debt Issued to Date
- Fees have been collected since 2013
- Will result in net reduction of Debt Service Fee from \$460 to \$423
- Overall reduction of \$155,437

# Proposed Tuition, General & Debt Service Fee Summary

	Baseline Year 2017-18	2018-19 \$ Increase	2018-19 Amount	% Change
Tuition (Undergrad./Res)	\$3,401	<b>\$0</b>	\$3,401	0%
General Fees	\$1,989	<b>\$0</b>	\$1,989	0%
Debt Service	\$460	-37	\$423	-8%
Total	\$5,850	-\$37	\$5,813	

\*3% increase includes General Fee and Debt Service fee

# Tuition & Fees – National Peers

Undergraduate – In-State

Institution	UG Resident Tuition & Fees 2017 - 18	Quartile
Rutgers University-Camden	14,522	1st
William Paterson University of New Jersey	12,804	1st
Francis Marion University	10,842	1st
University of South Carolina-Aiken	10,526	1st
Prairie View A & M University	9,959	2nd
Norfolk State University	9,036	2nd
Virginia State University	8,726	2nd
Jacksonville State University	8,210	2nd
University of Maryland Eastern Shore	8,042	3rd
SUNY College at Old Westbury	7,783	3rd
Morgan State University	7,767	3rd
Delaware State University	7,352	3rd
Alcorn State University	6,888	4th
Albany State University	6,726	4th
Fort Valley State University	6,664	4th
Winston-Salem State University**	5,813	4th
Winston-Salem State University	5,850	4th

<sup>\*\*</sup> Represents projected Tuition and Fees 2018-19

# **Tuition & Fees – National Peers**

Undergraduate – Out-of-State

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^Alcorn State University eliminated Out of state Tuition Rate

**UG Nonresident Tuition & Fees** Quartile Institution 2017-18 Rutgers University-Camden 29,946 1st Prairie View A & M University 23,488 1st Norfolk State University 21,238 1st Francis Marion University 21,018 1st William Paterson University of New Jersey 20,842 2nd University of South Carolina-Aiken 20,702 2nd Albany State University 19,802 2nd Virginia State University 19,572 2nd University of Maryland Eastern Shore 18,048 3rd Fort Valley State University 18,032 3rd Morgan State University 17,833 3rd SUNY College at Old Westbury 17,533 3rd Delaware State University 16,138 4th Winston-Salem State University 16,097 4th Winston-Salem State University\*\* 16,060 4th Jacksonville State University 15,626 4th Alcorn State University^ 6,888 4th

# Tuition & Fees – UNC SYSTEM

Undergraduate – Out-of-State

UG Nonresident	
Tuition & Fees	Quartile
2017-18	
29,946	1st
23,488	1st
21,238	1st
21,018	1st
20,842	2nd
20,702	2nd
19,802	2nd
19,572	2nd
18,048	3rd
18,032	3rd
17,833	3rd
17,533	3rd
16,138	4th
16,097	4th
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Housing & Residential Life





# 2018 – 19 Proposed Housing Plans Rates

Residence Hall	2017-2018 Price per Semester	2017-2018 Price per Year	2018-2019 Proposed Price per Semester	2018-2019 Proposed Price per Year	2018-2019 Proposed Increase per year	Approx. % Increase
Brown	\$2,952.00	\$5,904.00	\$3,040.56	\$6,081.12	\$177.12	3.00%
Atkins	\$2,842.50	\$5,685.00	\$2,956.20	\$5,912.40	\$227.40	4.00%
Martin- Schexnider	\$3,453.50	\$6,907.00	\$3,522.57	\$7,045.14	\$138.14	2.00%
Moore	\$2,708.00	\$5,416.00	\$2,816.32	\$5,632.64	\$216.64	4.00%
Wilson Suites	\$3,265.50	\$6,531.00	\$3,363.47	\$6,726.94	\$195.94	3.00%
Wilson Apartments	\$3,434.50	\$6,869.00	\$3,537.54	\$7,075.08	\$206.08	3.00%

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RAMS Commons 4 Bed/ Kitchenette	\$3,308.00	\$6,616.00	\$3,374.16	\$6,748.32	\$132.32	2.00%
RAMS Commons 4 Bed Kitchen	\$3,410.50	\$6,821.00	\$3,478.71	6,957.42	\$136.42	2.00%
RAMS Commons 2 Bed/ Kitchenette	\$3,554.50	\$7,108.00	\$3,624.58	\$7,250.16	\$142.16	2.00%
RAMS Commons 2 Bed/ Kitchen	\$3,614.50	\$7,229.00	\$3,686.79	\$7,373.58	\$144.58	2.00%
GHT 3 Bed ADA Accessible	\$3,294.50	\$6,589.00	\$3,426.28	\$6,852.56	\$263.56	4.00%
GHT 4 Bed Apartments	\$3,294.50	\$6,589.00	\$3,426.28	\$6,852.56	\$263.56	4.00%

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GHT 2 Bed Double Suites	\$3,510.00	\$7,020.00	\$3,650.40	\$7,300.08	\$280.80	4.00%
GHT 1 Bed Single	\$3,540.00	\$7,080.00	\$3,681.60	\$7,363.20	\$283.20	4.00%
Foundations Heights 4 Bed and 4 Person	\$3,771.50	\$7,543.00	\$3,884.65	\$7,769.30	\$226.30	3.00%
Foundations Heights 2 Bed and 4 Person	\$3,648.50	\$7,297.00	\$3,757.95	\$7,515.91	\$218.92	3.00%
Foundations Heights 4 Bed and 8 Person	\$3,618.00	\$7,237.00	\$3,727.05	\$7,454.11	\$217.11	3.00%

# **Projected Revenues 2018-19**

Total Revenue with proposed increases:	\$12,915,587.81
Total Revenue without proposed increase:	\$12,592,137.69
Difference	\$323,450.12

# **Proposed Uses for Fee Increase**

#### **Upgrades to Residence Halls:**

- ➤ University Strategic Plan Goal 5, Objective 4: Living and learning environments within the residence halls will have the facilities available for students to support and enhance learning opportunities
  - Brown Hall Flooring in Corridors & Lobby Area
  - Martin Schexnider
    - Replace flooring in the Kitchen area
    - Wall Repair & Painting
  - Wilson Hall New Carpet & flooring
  - Additional Card Swipes
  - Gleason-Hairston Terrace Hall
    - Landscaping Project
    - Upgrade breezeway lights to LED
  - Window blinds replacement Foundation Heights, Moore & Wilson



**Business Services** 





# 2018-19 Proposed Meal Plan Rates Residential Plans

Meal Plans ME = Meal Exchanges in Food Court	# of Meals Per Semester 304 meals in 16 weeks	Base Cost Per Plan (W/O DB)	3% Increase On Base Price	Declining Balance Per Plan	6.75% Tax Per Plan	Rates Per Semester (W/DB and Tax)	Increase Cost Per Plan	Cost Per Meal	\$ Increase Per Meal
1 (10 ME)	Unlimited	\$1,557.25	\$45.36	\$175.00	\$105.11	\$1,837.36	\$48.42	\$5.12	\$0.15 (cents)
1 (10 ME)	Unlimited	\$1,511.89		\$175.00	\$102.05	\$1,788.94		\$4.97	
2	220	\$1,347.28	\$39.24	\$300.00	\$90.94	\$1,738.22	\$41.89	\$6.12	\$0.17 (cents)
2	220	\$1,308.04		\$300.00	\$88.29	\$1,696.33		\$5.95	
3	160	\$1,202.89	\$35.04	\$250.00	\$81.20	\$1,534.09	\$37.41	\$7.52	\$0.22 (cents)
3	160	\$1,167.85		\$250.00	\$78.83	\$1,496.68		\$7.30	

# 2018-19 Proposed Meal Plan Rates Commuter Plans

Meal Plans	# of Meals Per Semester	Base Cost Per Plan (W/O DB)	3% Increase on Base Price	Declining Balance Per Plan	6.75% Tax Per Plan	Rates Per Semester (W/DB and Tax)	Increase/ Decrease Per Plan	Cost Per Meal	\$ Increase Per Meal
4	100	\$778.59	\$22.68	\$400.00	\$52.55	\$1253.82	\$46.89	\$7.79	\$0.23 (cents)
4	100	\$778.59		\$400.00	\$51.02	\$1206.93		\$7.56	
5	50	\$361.83	\$10.54	\$400.00	\$24.42	\$786.25	11.25	\$7.24	\$0.21 (cents)
5	50	\$351.29		\$400.00	\$23.71	\$775.00		\$7.03	
6	25	\$189.61	\$5.52	\$300.00	\$12.80	\$502.41	\$5.89	\$7.58	\$0.22 (cents)
6	25	\$184.09		\$300.00	\$12.43	\$496.52		\$7.36	

#### Meal Plan Increase Justification for 2018-2019

- ✓ Revenue Generated \$94k annually
- ✓ Increase in Consumer Price Index Up 2%
- ✓ Increase in Labor and Food Costs related to Dining Services
- ✓ Increase in Maintenance Costs related to Dining Services

# **Proposed Dining Enhancements for 2018-19**

- ✓ Exploring Possible Other Dining Option
  - ✓ Dining Hall Carry-Out Program
  - ✓ Elva Jones/Atkinson/New Science Building Food Outlet
- ✓ Add Guest Passes to select Meal Plans
- ✓ Assess Kitchen Equipment

# **Tuition and Fee Recap**

- TUITION
  - No Increase
- PROGRAM INCREASE
  - Master of Rehabilitation Counseling
    - Increase of \$842
    - Address Specific Program needs

- FEES
  - General Fee and Debt Service Fee capped at 3%
    - Net Decrease of \$37
  - Special Fee
    - Meal Plans across the board 3%
    - Housing Residence Life 2% 4%

# 2018-19 Tuition & Fee Summary Typical Student Annual Increase (Estimate)

Category	Undergrad. Resident	Undergrad Non-Resident	Grad. Resident	Grad Non- Resident
Tuition	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
General Fees & Debt Service	-\$37	-\$37	-\$37	-\$37
Housing (Apartment- Wilson)	\$206.08	\$206.08	\$206.08	\$206.08
Meal - Plan 2	\$39.24	\$39.24	\$39.24	\$39.24
Total	208.32	208.32	208.32	208.32

# 2018-19 Tuition & Fee Summary Typical Student Annual Total Cost

Category	Undergrad. Resident	Undergrad Non-Resident	Grad. Resident	Grad Non- Resident
Tuition	\$3,401	\$13,648	\$3,872	\$13,987
General Fees	\$1,989	\$1,989	\$1,989	\$1,989
Debt Service	\$423	\$423	\$423	\$423
Housing (Apartment- Wilson)	\$7,075	\$7,075	\$7,075	\$7,075
Meal - Plan 2	\$3,476	\$3,476	\$3,476	\$3,476
Total	\$16,364	\$26,611	\$16,835	\$26,950

# May we address other questions?