

Resolution of No Confidence in Senior University Leadership

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WHEREAS

The faculty acknowledge that the university is currently in extreme financial difficulty and that deep cuts may be necessary;

WHEREAS

The faculty do not trust the current senior administration to make the necessary decisions to navigate this transition in a way that meets our responsibilities to students and accreditors;

WHEREAS

The current senior administration's slow, opaque, apparently uninformed and non-transparent addressing of the crisis has deepened and aggravated its scope; and

WHEREAS

The faculty stand ready to take on extra work, make deep sacrifice, and work with an open leadership that makes transparent and well-informed decisions;

NOW LET IT BE RESOLVED

That the faculty have no confidence in the president; provost and senior vice president of academic affairs; and vice president for enrollment management and student affairs of Illinois Tech to navigate the university's severe financial crisis; and

LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED:

That the Board of Trustees provide or install such leadership, via Deans and/or other trusted academic leaders, as is necessary to navigate this situation in the best interests of the students in particular and the Illinois Tech community in general.