August 26, 2011

## TO REPORTERS WHO COVER SIU BOARD MEETINGS

The next regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of Southern Illinois University has been scheduled for Thursday, September 8, 2011, at approximately 10:00 a.m. or immediately following the Board committee meetings in the Conference Center, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Delyte W. Morris University Center, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, Edwardsville, Illinois.

On Wednesday, September 7, 2011, at 3:30 p.m., in the Board Room of Birger Hall, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, the Chairman of the Board of Trustees has called an executive session meeting of the Board of Trustees. The public portion of the meeting is expected to consist of the following discussion items: (1) SIUE challenges and performance indicators, (2) FY11 Presidential and campus goals and evaluations, (3) campus meetings for Board members, (4) Board agenda, and (5) building community relations. Then it is expected that a motion will be made to close the meeting to the public for the purpose of considering pending, probable or imminent court proceedings against or on behalf of the Board; information regarding appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance or dismissal of employees or officers; acquisition of real property; review of executive session minutes; and collective negotiating matters.

At 6:00 p.m., members of the Board will attend dinner at Porter's Steakhouse in Collinsville, Illinois. The gathering is social in nature.

On Thursday, September 8, 2011, at 7:30 a.m., in the Board Room of the Delyte W. Morris University Center, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, members of the Board will attend breakfast with Dr. Gireesh Gupchup, dean of the School of Pharmacy, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville. The gathering is social in nature.

Reporters Page 2 August 26, 2011

At 9:00 a.m., the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees will meet in the Conference Center, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Delyte W. Morris University Center, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville. The meetings of the Academic Matters Committee, Finance Committee, and Architecture and Design Committee will immediately follow. Upon adjournment of the Architecture and Design Committee meeting, the full Board meeting will convene. A news conference will be held immediately following the meeting.

The enclosed agenda and Board matters are provided in advance of the meeting for your convenience. Any of these matters are subject to change or may be withdrawn from the agenda.

Sincerely,

Glenn Poshard President

GP:mdw

Enclosure