EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEETING — JANUARY 13, 2020

Meeting. The Executive Council met on Monday, January 13, 2020. The following are highlighted agenda items approved by the Council:

- The Council approved a request from the Attorney General’s Office for the payment of expenses pursuant to Iowa Code section 7D.10 in the amount of approximately $18,000.

- The Council approved a request from the Attorney General’s Office to retain Jenner & Block LLP as outside counsel pursuant to Iowa Code section 13.7 to represent Iowa State University in *Speech First, Inc. v. Wintersteen*. The Attorney General’s Office recommends that all attorney fees and costs be paid directly by Iowa State University.

- The Council approved two leases and an amendment to an existing lease.
  - The Council approved a lease between the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) and Mark and Brenda J. Keniston for property located in Palo Alto County. The lease shall be for a tract of land of approximately 4,000 square feet for an annual fee of approximately $300.
  - The Council approved a lease between the DNR and Philip R. and Brenda R. Timmons for property located in Dickinson County. The lease shall be for approximately 40 feet of frontage by Triboji Beach for an annual fee of $150.
  - The Council approved a lease between the DNR and the City of Marquette, for property located in Clayton County. The lease shall be for approximately 2,000 square feet for the continued presence of a concrete observation deck for an annual fee of $300.

- The Council also approved a total of approximately $11,000 in cost items including a $10,900 payment to Nyemaster Goode, P.C., for legal fees incurred in *Godfrey v. State of Iowa, et al.*

Additional Information. Additional information is available from the Legislative Services Agency upon request.

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