State of Wisconsin
Higher Educational Aids Board
Meeting Minutes
February 11, 2022

Board Members Present: Stephen Willett, Jeff Cichon, Jennifer Kammerud, Justin Wesolek, Efrem Dana, Jennifer Garrett, Timothy Opgenorth, Jeff Neubauer,

HEAB Staff Present: Connie Hutchison, Sherrie Nelson, Charlene Sime, Joy Dyer, Peter Zammuto and Brenda Stoffels.

Others Present: Todd Bailey, Mickie Krall, UW System; Rolf Wegenke and Rebecca Larson, WAICU; Grant Huber, DPI; Erin Probst, LFB; Jennifer Conway, Marquette University; Justin Wesolek

President Stephen Willett called the meeting to order at 9:04 a.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES
Moved by Jennifer Kammerud and seconded by Stephen Willett to approve the minutes from the July 30 board meeting. Motion passed.

BOARD REPORT 22-17 2021-22 STATUS OF APPLICANTS AND PROGRAMS
HEAB staff Sherrie Nelson discussed the findings. Enrollment numbers, award amounts and FAFSA filers have all decreased compared to the 2020-2021 report. This implies attention is needed to fully disperse the remaining allocated funds by the end of the fiscal year.

BOARD REPORT 22-18 2020-21 WISSIS REPORT
HEAB staff Peter Zammuto discussed the report and invited questions.

SELECTIVE SERVICE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENT
The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is no longer requiring male applicants to indicate whether they have registered for the United State Selective Service System. For the State of Wisconsin to make the same change; statutory language must be revised. The next reasonable timeframe for submitting such a request is January 2023. The mechanism for this change will be discussed at the next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS
Chair Stephen Willett acknowledged the upcoming retirement of Rolf Wegenke, President of the Wisconsin Association of Independent Colleges and Universities, and his valuable contribution to the Board.

Meeting was adjourned at 10:10 am.

FUTURE MEETING
The next schedule meeting of the Board is Friday, April 22, 2022, at 9:00 am.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jeff Cihon, Secretary