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<u>Delegation of Authority to Solicit Federal Grant Funding under the American Recovery and Reinvestment</u> Act of 2009

Standing Order of the Regents 100.4 lists the authority delegated to the President by the Regents. Section *(dd)* states, in part:

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The President is authorized to execute...documents to solicit and accept pledges, gifts, and grants, except that specific authorization by resolution of the Board shall be required for documents which involve or which are:

1. Exceptions to approved University programs and policies or obligations on the part of the University to expenditures or costs for which there is no established fund source or which require the construction of facilities not previously approved." (Emphasis added)

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The Regents acted under Interim Authority on June 15, 2009, to delegate authority to the President to solicit Facility Grant Funding under the *American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009* (ARRA). The delegated authority did not include the authorization to accept ARRA funds.

Effective immediately, I redelegate authority to you to solicit facility grant funding under the ARRA for projects that fall within the President's authority according to the Interim action (copy attached). Any existing delegations to the contrary are suspended for the purposes of soliciting facility grant funding under the ARRA.

This authority may be redelegated to a specific designee and may not be further redelegated. Any such redelegation shall be in writing, with a copy to the Universitywide Policy Office.

[original signed by M. Yudof]

Mark G. Yudof President

cc: Members, President's Cabinet
Principal Officers of the Regents
Universitywide Policy Office