

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

SSU/CWA Collective Bargaining Agreement 2023-2026

Re: Expansion of University Closures

WHEREAS: ARTICLE 9, VACATIONS, provides that the University will be closed each year between December 26th and 31st; and

WHEREAS: the University seeks to expand its options to close the campus at the conclusion of each Fall semester and/or during the Summer to effectuate energy cost savings;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the parties agree to the following:

- 1. The University may be closed additional days around the Christmas and/or Independence Day holidays each year, in addition to the December 26-31 closure already provided for in the CBA.
- 2. Additional dates for both aforementioned closures will be determined annually prior to the Thanksgiving holiday by the President, subject to approval from the Chair of the Board of Trustees.
- 3. When such closures occur, bargaining unit members will receive their straight-time pay during the closures.
- 4. Bargaining unit members who are required to work during these closures will be paid for the amount of time actually worked at one and one-half (1.5) times their straight-time pay, in addition to their regular straight-time pay.

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