DATE: April 29, 2019

TO: CSM faculty, staff, and administration

FROM: Guided Pathways Steering Committee

SUBJECT: Guided Pathways Announcement: Requesting re-opening of interim director position

The Guided Pathways Steering Committee (GPS) will be making a <u>request of Cabinet in May to</u> <u>re-open and fill the interim Director position for Guided Pathways, which was vacated in</u> <u>January 2019</u>.

We are recommending that this person take guidance from the Steering Committee, as the decision-making body of Guided Pathways, to carry out and coordinate logistics, reporting, and budget for GP work in the upcoming year. These duties are not something that our GPS faculty or staff, even with reassigned/compensated additional time, have the bandwidth to take on, and so the GPS sees the interim director position as integral in maintaining momentum in its efforts, especially as we launch the Inventory Project in 2019-20.

The GPS consists of 6 faculty, 2 staff, and 1 administrator. The interim director would carry out directives from the GPS, informed by the larger GP Team, and report to the Dean of Language Arts, the sole GPS administrator. The interim director would also be expected to attend conferences and all CSM GP-related meetings.

If you have any comments, questions, or concerns, please contact one of the GPS leads listed below by May 10.

- Anniqua Rana and Trang Luong, GPS faculty leads
- Allie Fasth, GPS staff lead
- Kristi Ridgway, GPS administrative lead