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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

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Dear Students,

As you may have heard, yesterday, I presented a roadmap to put SUNY Fredonia on a path of financial sustainability and a brighter future. I would like to take a few moments to share some information from that presentation with you. You will find the full presentation on Fredonia's website along with some frequently asked questions and answers. I encourage you to read the full text of my presentation so you are fully informed about my recommendations for positioning our institution for a brighter future.

I want to point out three key things to you:

- Students enrolled in programs proposed for discontinuation will be able to complete their degree programs here at SUNY Fredonia;
- There will be opportunities for everyone on our campus, including you, to provide feedback before a final decision is made regarding the programs being proposed for discontinuation. I look forward to getting your feedback;

 As needed and as appropriate, courses in many of these areas will still be available to SUNY Fredonia students even if the major is no longer offered.

Today, I will be meeting with the President's Student Cabinet and will be receiving feedback from them, as I always do. I am looking forward to that conversation. In addition, the Provost's Office and Deans have been in contact with all students enrolled in the programs that have been identified for discontinuation to ensure that all their questions are answered and that a smooth path to their graduation is planned.

If you would like to offer your input, you can do so through the comments and questions form that is linked from the presentation website.

Best wishes for a successful week of finals, and a safe holiday season.

Very truly yours,

Dr. K Stephen H. Kolison, Jr., Ph.D. President and Professor

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