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University Board of Regents to visit Morris

Summary:

(October 7, 2003)-The University of Minnesota, Morris and the Morris area community will welcome the University of Minnesota Board of Regents October 9-10. The Regents will hold their October monthly meeting on the Morris campus. University President Robert Bruininks and spouse, Susan Hagstrum, along with senior University administrators and coordinate campus chancellors, will accompany the Regents.

The agenda for the two-day visit is as follows: Thursday: 10:30 am, Recital Hall, Facilities Committee 2 pm, Recital Hall, Faculty, Staff and Student Affairs Committee 2 pm, Black Box Theatre, Finance & Operations Committee 6:45 pm, Oyate Hall, Community Invitational Dinner. Friday: 7:30 am, TMC, breakfast with student leaders and representatives 9 am, Oyate Hall, Board of Regents Meeting.

Although Regents meetings are open to the public, they have pre-set agendas and visitors will not be invited or allowed to speak. In addition to the their meeting agenda, Regents will meet UMM students, faculty and staff, and tour the campus.

The 12-member Board of Regents is the governing body of the University of Minnesota. The legislature elects one regent from each of Minnesota's eight congressional districts and four from the state at large. One of the four at-large regents must be a University student at the time of election. Regents serve without pay for six-year terms. The president of the University is ex officio president of the Board. The Board meets monthly (except for January and August) on the second Friday and the preceding Thursday.

Current members of the Board of Regents are David Metzen, chair Anthony R. Baraga, vice chair Clyde Allen Jr. Peter Bell Frank Berman Dallas Bohnsack John Frobenius William Hogan Richard McNamara Lakeesha Ransom Maureen K. Reed and Patricia Simmons.

For more information about the Board of Regents visit, contact Maggie Larson, UMM coordinator of special events, at 320-589-6053.

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