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On Friday, October 21, we will present our building plans to the Regents and ask for their approval. This is the second step, following up on the February meeting with them at which they approved our \$145 million budget and hiring of Kohn, Pedersen and Fox as our architects.

Technically, this is the approval of the schematic design phase. We will ask for approval of a new construction plan of a certain number of square feet and set out quite precisely the size and location of program elements like classrooms, group study rooms, offices, and common areas. We also will be presenting an exterior view of the building to them on Friday.

First, I want to thank the many individuals who have helped us get to this point. It is a very exciting time and we look forward to presenting our plans to the Regents on Friday. After we receive their approval, it is permissible for us to discuss the plans with our community. So, the second purpose of this note is to invite you to a community information session on Friday at the end of the workday.

We hope you can come to **Hale Auditorium on Friday, October 21 at 4:30pm** for a brief presentation of our plans with a reception immediately following.

Thanks very much and I look forward to seeing you there.



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