

Resolution from Faculty Senate Budget and Planning Committee
Regarding Outsourcing and JLL Business Case for UTK

This resolution was approved through an electronic vote of the Faculty Senate Executive Council

for consideration at the October 16, 2017 Faculty Senate meeting.

WHEREAS the UTK Faculty Senate Budget and Planning Committee report of May 2017 identified a variety of costs that could reduce any potential savings from additional outsourcing; and

WHEREAS the JLL Business Case for UTK failed to address any of the issues raised by the report of May 2017, ignoring concerns expressed regarding costs of annual leave payouts which UT is obligated to pay, increased TennCare costs, costs due to evening events, additional risk due to loss of institutional knowledge, and of loss of connections to academic programs arising from collaboration with Facility employees; and

WHEREAS the JLL Business Case ascribes a very large portion of the supposed "savings" to utilities while giving no justification as to how such savings would arise except through "JLL operating practices" nor any justification for the supposed more than doubling of such savings

WHEREAS, Facility Service operations at the University of Tennessee participate in regular

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