

March 13, 2019

Mr. Ned Lautenbach  
Chair, Board of Governors  
State University System of Florida

Dear Chair Lautenbach,

In the spring of 2018, Governor Rick Scott signed the “Florida Excellence in Higher Education Act of 2018” into law, which required the three University of South Florida (USF) campuses to consolidate under a single accreditation. Pursuant to the law, the USF Board of Trustees (BOT) must submit an Implementation Plan and Timeline to the Board of Governors of the State University System of

