



Office of the President

****SWOT SESSIONS ARE RESCHEDULED****

Due to inclement weather, the next phase of our Strategic Planning process has been rescheduled for Thursday, March 31, 2016. Various constituent groups are being asked to participate in SWOT Analysis planning sessions. The purpose of these sessions is to receive input from internal and external stakeholders in areas that could impact future decisions for management at Grambling State University.

Again, I have appointed Dr. Ellen Smiley, Dean of the Honors College and Dr. Adriel Hilton, Chief of Staff as co-chairs of the Strategic Planning Committee. During the meeting, they will provide you with additional information regarding the role and scope of the analysis. The following times and date are listed below.

Constituent Group	Time	Location
Department Heads, Academic Coordinators, Directors & Faculty Senate	9:00 – 10:50 a.m.*	Eddie Robinson Museum
Student Leaders	11:00 a.m. – 12:50 p.m.*	Eddie Robinson Museum
Athletics	1:00 – 2:50 p.m.*	Eddie Robinson Museum
Community Leaders	3:00 – 4:50 p.m.*	Eddie Robinson Museum
Alumni & Foundation	5:30 – 7:20 p.m.*	President's Conference Room**

**Food will be served. **Limited seating available - (Webinar capability available. Call-in instructions will be provided upon RSVP.)*

Thank you, in advance, for the invaluable service you will render to the university in this capacity. Seating is limited; therefore, **please RSVP to proctork@gram.edu by March 22, 2016 if you plan to attend.**

A culmination Open Meeting is scheduled **Friday, April 8, 2016; 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.** in the Betty Smith Nursing Building Auditorium. I invite you to participate.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Willie D. Larkin.

Willie D. Larkin, Ph.D.
President