TRU BUDGET COMMITTEE OF SENATE (BCOS) BASED ON THE October 14, 2014 MEETING OF BCOS

- 1. The Chair, Matt Milovick, updated the committee on the new modified budget model. The implementation is on-track with pre-determined timelines and the budget handbook is coming soon.
- 2. TRU Student Union representatives presented on their new three-year campaign, "Fund the Future." Discussion ensued providing context for their statistics, clarifying the interpretation of information, and suggesting strategies to disseminate the information.
- 3. Dorys Crespin-Mueller, Director of Institutional Planning and Analysis, presented on the TRU Stable Enrollment Report for Fall 2014. Domestic and International course enrolments on-campus are each down 3.3% compared to Fall 2013.
- **4.** Paul Manhas, AVP Finance, presented on budget assumptions for 2015/2016. The government base grant will likely be reduced by \$700, 000. It is anticipated that domestic undergraduate enrolments will decrease by 3% and international enrolments are estimated to increase by 50 students.

Next BCOS meeting is November 10, 2014

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