<u>SB 1422</u> regarding tuition and fees that would require differentiation for online tuition and reestablish the tuition remittance process that moves tuition from the universities to the state where it is remitted back to the universities.

## Support:

HB 2482 (foster care tuition waiver); supported SB 1215 (WICHE; continuation) that extends the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education (WICHE) for eight years. Arizona's WICHE program is administered by ABOR. The board also supported HB 2475 that would appropriate state funds for Arizona National Guard members tuition/fees. The board also voted to take a neutral position on HB 2563 that addresses free expression policies.

## ASU Operational and Financial Review

ASU President Michael Crow presented an in-depth review of the university's operations and finances to the board. Crow reviewed with the board progress that the institution has made toward strategic goals set by the board in areas that reflect student success such as graduation rates and enrollment as well as metrics that are indicative of new knowledge created and economic activity generated for our state such

A one-year extension of the multiple-year employment contract for Robert Hurley as head men's basketball coach at ASU was approved by the board. Hurley is in his third season at ASU. While his current contract is not set to expire until 2021, ASU requested an extension of his contract for an additional year, pointing to a number of significant successes ASU's basketball program has enjoyed under Hurley's leadership.

The extended contract and amended terms can be viewed in detail <a href="here">here</a>.

An extension for the employment contract for Charli Turner Thorne as head women's basketball coach at ASU was approved by the board. Turner Thorne is in her 21<sup>st</sup> season at ASU. Her contract is also set to expire in 2021, and ASU is similarly seeking an extension for an additional year. Thorne is the winningest coach in Sun Devil Women's basketball history and No. 2 in the Pac-12 in most career wins.

The extended contract and amended terms can be viewed in here.