Unanimous Resolution of Cabinet of the Faculty Senate:

Faculty generated research, innovation, and scholarly initiatives are the basis of F&A revenues. An effective F&A model will position researchers to maximize their competitiveness and generate sufficient funds to support UC institutional needs.

The circulating proposed change in the F&A allocation model will affect adversely the capacities of many units of the university, especially those from which core F&A revenues arise. It will harm UC’s ability to generate sustainable and substantial F&A revenue.

In order to arrive at the most effective model, Faculty Senate requests an urgent planning effort to establish an F&A model that will promote, and not adversely affect, academic excellence, research competitiveness, and scholarly pursuits. To achieve success, this effort must include representatives from all relevant stakeholders and engage a broad constituency including research faculty, unit heads, deans, professional practice, and financial and research administrators. It is conceivable that analysis and review with reference to F&A models at other Ohio and peer institutions will lead to a new F&A allocation model for UC.