Colleagues:

Before some of you depart for the summer, I want to provide an update on the process related to the success of the Connect NC bond referendum and the new nursing and STEM building now being planned. The scope of the project includes demolition of the McIver Building during the spring of 2018 with construction of the new building and a stand-alone chiller plant completed by the fall of 2020. I have asked Provost Dunn and Vice Chancellor Maimone to conduct preliminary studies to identify space and location for units currently housed in McIver that are not scheduled to occupy the new building. This work begins this summer and will continue throughout the coming academic year. We recognize the importance of transparency, engagement and communication throughout this process and will communicate often about our progress on the McIver replacement building.

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