30 March 2021

Public Notice

Under the provisions of the Code of Virginia, the following notice is hereby given:

Date: 30 April 2021 to 1 May 2021

Time: 0800 - 1700

Location: Virginia Military Institute, Marshall Hall (Hall of Valor)

The Virginia Military Institute Board of Visitors is conducting a meeting on 30 April to 1 May 2021, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Virginia Military Institute in Lexington, Virginia. Virginia Military Institute business will be discussed by the members in attendance.

Note: The Virginia Military Institute Board of Visitors is expected to take action on tuition and mandatory fees for all cadets at its 1 May 2021 meeting.

- The Board will consider tuition increases for in-state cadets ranging from 0% to 3.0%. Fee increases, which support a mix of academic and non-academic support services, are projected to increase between 0% to 3.5% for in-state cadets. Comprehensively, tuition and fees increases for in-state cadets are expected to be less than 3%.

- The Board will consider tuition increases for out-of-state cadets ranging from 0% to 3.5% and fee increases, which support a mix of academic and non-academic support services, between 0% to 3.5% for out-of-state cadets.

Revenue generated from tuition and fee increases, in combination with other revenues and reallocated funds, may be used to address personnel costs, including the Institute’s share of state mandated salary, fringe benefits, and health insurance cost increases, enhancements to academic programs, and other institutional initiatives.

Section 23.1-307 (D) (E) of the Code of Virginia requires that 30 days prior to approval of each year's tuition and mandatory fees, the Boards of Visitors of Virginia's higher education institutions announce the range of increases under consideration and the proposed use of any incremental revenue.

Public Comment: The public can sign up to speak at the public comment session by contacting Lt Col Sean Harrington at (540) 464-7132 (harringtonsp@vmi.edu) no later than 4:30 p.m. on 27 April 2021. Each speaker is limited to three minutes and are requested to limit their comments to tuition and fees. A written copy of the comments is requested, but not required. Anyone who has not signed up to speak by the deadline may sign-in at the public comment session, and if time permits, they will be given an opportunity to speak.

Written comments may also be submitted up until 4:30 p.m. on 27 April 2021. Copies of the public comments will be provided to all Board members for review prior to any decision regarding tuition and fees.

Finally, Board members will not provide comment, feedback or answer questions; however, every comment will be heard and considered. All COVID-19 requirements and protocols will be observed, including face coverings, physical distancing and room capacity.