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As you may know, Dr. Aminta Breaux recently accepted the position of president at Bowie State University. We are pleased for Aminta and wish her every success in her new role.

We are already assembling a search committee that will work with a consulting firm to conduct a national search for Aminta's replacement.

In the meantime, I have asked Alice McMurry to function as the Interim Vice President for Advancement. Alice will formally assume this responsibility on July 1, 2017, but she has already begun attending Cabinet and staff meetings which will enable her to get up to speed and effectively take the management reins the beginning of July.

Alice joined the University in 2010 as a major gift officer, became Interim Associate Vice President in June 2014 and, after a national search, was hired as the AVP for Advancement in February 2015. I know you will join me in congratulating and supporting Alice in her new role as Interim Vice President for Advancement.

John M. Anderson, Ph.D.
President