



## Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education 2018 Advocacy Day Thursday, February 22, 2018 – Millersville University Contingency

### **WANTED MU STUDENTS, FACULTY, STAFF & ALUMNI**

PASSHE is sponsoring a day on the Hill (Harrisburg, the PA Capitol Building) where we will advocate increased funding for the State System (including Millersville University)—an opportunity to tell our story directly to legislators from their key constituents. MU has chartered a motorcoach for the day and we have an active calendar of visiting with various legislators, a rally, a complimentary boxed lunch and some free time at the Capitol, along with our colleagues from across the state.

Please consult the schedule outlined below that runs from 7am-3pm on 2/22/18.

If you are interested, please contact the Office of the Vice President for Advancement by **Wednesday, February 14, 3:00 p.m.:** 717-871-7500 or send an email to: [steven.diguiseppa@millersville.edu](mailto:steven.diguiseppa@millersville.edu) More information will be supplied to you regarding dress for the day, suggested talking points and information about the State System, the 2018-2019 budget and more, as we near the 2018 State System Advocacy/Rally Day in Harrisburg! *Limited space available! Call or write NOW!*

### **Agenda for Thursday, February 22, 2018**

*(Times are subject to change)*

- 7:00 a.m. Charter Motorcoach Departs MU campus enroute to PA Capitol Building, Harrisburg; [MU representatives to meet at Marauder Statue by 6:45am, Student Memorial Center/James St.] MU contingency consists of MU students, alumni, faculty, and staff.
- 8:00 a.m. Approximate Arrival @ Capitol Building (entrance at rear, Commonwealth Avenue)/security check
- 8:40 a.m. One (1) MU Representative to go to Room 60EW to retrieve packets, buttons, posters, etc.
- 9:00 a.m. Visit Legislative Offices: MU representatives to deliver PASSHE packets; meet with legislators/staff. There are 18 different offices assigned to Millersville University to deliver PASSHE packets; not all encounters will include a meeting, since Feb. 22 is a non-session day (not all legislators will be in their Harrisburg office). A more detailed schedule of assignments TO COME. Each appointment to run about 15 minutes. (RT: 2 hrs.) Legislative Offices to meet and/or deliver information include Ryan Aument; Mindy Fee; Steven Mentzer; Brett Miller; Russ Diamond; Keith Greiner; Todd Stephens; David Hickernell; Frank Ryan; David Zimmerman; Lisa Baker; Scott Martin; Bryan Cutler; P. Michael Sturla; Mark Gillen; Jordan Harris; Jim Cox and John Lawrence.
- 10:00 a.m. SENATE BUDGET HEARING/Capitol Bldg.: 1 or 2 MU representatives to attend. (RT: 1 hr.); *North Office Building, Hearing Room 1*
- 11:00 a.m. MU representatives to go to ROOM 60EW (lower level, near cafeteria) to retrieve BOXED LUNCHES
- 11:00 a.m. LUNCH in open areas under escalator (RT: 1.0 hour)
- 12 NOON All MU Representatives to report to the CAPITOL ROTUNDA area to gather with other PASSHE university representatives and others for upcoming rally; posters distributed, etc.
- 12:30 p.m. STATE SYSTEM "PREPARED4PA" RALLY IN THE ROTUNDA / CAPITOL STEPS (*Media to be invited*) Speaking on behalf of PASSHE: BOG chair, Chancellor, a university president, student BOG member, faculty member, a SGA president (list is subject to change). (RT: 30 min.)
- 1:30 p.m. MU representatives to LEAVE CAPITOL/Commonwealth Avenue/MEET MOTORCOACH enroute to MU
- 2:30 p.m. Approximate arrival to MU CAMPUS/Student Memorial Center, Marauder Statue area

(RT=running time)