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Joint statement from University of Missouri Board of Curators chair, co-chairs of the presidential search committee

The UM System presidential search committee is meeting today and tomorrow in St. Louis. The Board of Curators chair Pam Henrickson, and search committee co-chairs, Cheryl Walker and Jim Whitaker, issued the following statement this morning:

"We are excited that a new academic year has begun, and are also happy to see the presidential search progressing nicely. Once again, thanks to all of you for your engagement in this important endeavor for the University of Missouri System.

We would like to personally commend the efforts made by all thus far in this critical process. Through the collective efforts of our committee, our search firm partners at Isaacson, Miller, and the many stakeholders engaged in this process to date, we are encouraged to have built a pool of talented, experienced, and diverse candidates from a national audience.

The contributions from every member on the search committee, and many other key players, have been significant, which has had a direct effect on our progress. We remain committed to ensuring the best possible outcome for our entire System: campuses, our great faculty, staff, alumni and students, as well as the citizens of Missouri."

For more information on the UM System presidential search visit: www.umsystem.edu/ps