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**HBCU ADVISORY COUNCIL**  
**Xavier University Center, Room 205C**  
**Xavier University of Louisiana**  
Thursday, February 16, 2023  
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

- 10:00 a.m. – 10:03 a.m. Call to Order/ Roll Call**  
*Dr. Kim Hunter Reed, Commissioner of Higher Education*
- 10:03 a.m. 10:05 a.m. Oaths of Office**
- 10:05 a.m. – 10:07 a.m. Approval of the October Minutes**
- 10:05 a.m. – 10:10 a.m. Welcome/Introduction**
- 10:10 a.m. -11:30 a.m. Xavier Medical School Planning**  
*Dr. Reynold Verrett, President of Xavier Louisiana University*
- LED Update and Information**  
*Brenda Guess, Assistant Secretary, LED*
- Chris Stelly, Executive Group Director, Entertainment & Digital Media, LED*
- SUNO Nursing Program**  
*Dr. Kelly D. Smith, Chair/Associate Professor  
SUNO Department of Nursing*
- Dillard Master of Science in Nursing**  
*Dr. Sharon W. Hutchinson, Dean, Dillard College of Nursing*
- Mablene Krueger, Interim Provost and Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs*
- Museum Project Update**  
*Capitol Park Museum*
- 11:30 a.m. -11:50 a.m. Campus/Legislative Updates**
- 11:50 a.m. – 11:55 a.m. Public Comment**

**11:55 a.m.**

**Closing Remarks ~ Next Steps, Future Meetings**

**12:00 pm.**

**Adjourn**

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