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TO: Linn-Benton Community College
FROM: Mr. Jim Merryman, Chair, Board of Education, Linn-Benton Community College and Chair, Presidential Search Committee
RE: Presidential Search Progress Report #3

This is a brief update to let you know our national search for LBCC's next president is on track and moving into the next stage. On behalf of the Presidential Search Committee, we thank all those who have attended forums or recommended candidates for consideration. Our application process has yielded a very deep and highly qualified pool of candidates from throughout the state, region, and nation. On January 22nd, the Presidential Search Committee will meet to conduct an initial screening of candidates. In early February, the committee will engage in confidential first-round interviews with the goal of recommending a group of finalists to the Board of Education.

As a reminder, we anticipate that the final candidates will visit LBCC the week of February 17 and participate in public forums, tour the College, meet with direct reports, and interview with the Board of Education. We will announce the final candidates, dates and times of the public forums once confirmed.

The Board is committed to conducting an equitable, inclusive, and transparent national search process. If you have any questions or suggestions, please feel free to reach out to our ACCT Search Consultants:

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