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Cardinal Family,

Thank you again for your continued dedication and hard work during this unprecedented situation. As information on the duration and scope of the COVID-19 virus evolves on a daily basis, the President's Leadership Team continues to meet to review its impact on UofL and develop the actions we must take to protect the university and continue our core operations. We pledge to keep you informed as we make those decisions.

This week, the President's Leadership Team has determined that:

- Remote work for faculty and staff will be extended through May 31.
- In-person events at or sponsored by UofL are canceled or postponed through May 31.
- We will continue to follow the COVID-19 situation closely and will determine whether to extend these decisions and other actions into June.

Meanwhile, we continue to receive questions about last week's announcement of the steps we're taking to mitigate the financial effects of COVID-19 on the university. As we develop an even clearer picture of the crisis, we will provide more concrete information on the steps we are taking to navigate this situation. Expect to see more details on our plans and a frequently asked questions (FAQ) document by early next week.

The duration and gravity of this situation is significant, and we know it will cause anxiety for many of us. We want to remind you that if you need support during this difficult time, we have worked to make [resources available](#) to our employees.

As this crisis has illustrated, the Cardinal Family is resilient and committed to fulfilling its mission of providing an outstanding education to our students, conducting vital research, taking care of our patients and supporting our community during this time of need. We cannot thank you enough for the dedication you have shown to the university.

We look forward to a time in the not too distant future when we will all be together again – stronger and more determined than ever.

Sincerely,

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