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Dear Colleagues:

I am very pleased to bring you the good news that the Chancellor's Office has approved priority funding to Fresno State for electrical infrastructure repair. We will receive \$1.3 million for construction drawings, followed by \$30 million required for Phase I replacement of our aged underground wiring infrastructure, substations and other needs associated with the repairs.

As I mentioned in my October update to you earlier this week, this mission-critical project was my top non-academic priority in 2014. My thanks to our Administrative Services team that has helped advance solutions to make this phased-project possible.

I am happy that we can now move forward with repairs. I will keep you updated as the project moves forward.

Sincerely,

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President