UNIVERSITY OF NORTH TEXAS

First Fridays with the Budget Office

Friday, February 3, 2017
Announcements

Below is a summary of Announcements posted to the Budget Website since the last Budget Newsletter.

• Revenue Roll Forward Balances Corrected.
Certain chartstrings had their roll-forward revenue balances (credits/deficits) incorrectly doubled on the FY17 COGNOS reports. The issue was limited to certain Funds on Fund Cat 105, 120, and 200 chartstrings.

Refer to the Budget Website for a list of all chartstrings affected.
• **Revenue Roll Forward Balances (continued)**

  Revenue rolled twice:
  1. Revenue Balance of $350 from FY16 rolled to FY17 on its own line.
  2. Revenue Balance of $350 from FY16 rolled to FY17 as part of the total BC rollforward balance.

  **Correction Journal Posted:**
  3. Correction Journal posted in January (with an August date) to remove the initial revenue rollforward. (i.e. All BC00000007 – BC00000010 journals were reversed).
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• Fall 2016 UCD Funding Posted

• FY16 DLFM Rolled Forward, Net of Deficits

• Foundation Account Numbers Now Required For Fund Setups
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• **New Training Page** contains:
  
  ✓ Instructions for registering for trainings
  ✓ Schedule of upcoming trainings
  ✓ Descriptions
  ✓ Training materials

• **Open Lab with the Budget Office – NEW!**
  
  Your opportunity to receive one-on-one assistance in all budget related areas including, ePars, ABAs, the Chart of Accounts, and budget management! Come and go as you are able.
General Information

- **Eagle Express Distributions** - Eagle Express has not posted since conversion. ETA is 1 week from when Budget Office receives data.

- **Other Payroll Related Costs (Fringe Benefits), BRP, & Longevity** - *This issue applies only to fringes paid out of 105-<any fund> or 200-830001*  
  In 9.0, state-paid benefits were budgeted and expended from a central institutional pool, not in individual departmental budgets. In 9.2, benefits expenses are charged against the departmental budget and then an equal budget amount is transferred in from a central pool to cover the charges. The FY17 transfers have not occurred.
General Information

• **Budget Officer meetings started this week**
  The Budget Office is scheduling individual meetings with each College and Administrative Area Budget Officer to provide tailored one-on-one assistance.

• **Budget Hearings**
  Information will be provided as it becomes available.

• **Hyperion Budget Planning**
  Tentatively opens week of 03/20. Open-lab dates will be provided in March.
General Information

• **State Hiring Freeze**
  Only affects state funded chartstrings. (Fund Cat 105 & 106)
## Selecting an Account for ABAs

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| **Budgetary**

- Use D-Level accounts
  - FROM: 163710-**200**-830001-700
    Account **D5251**
  - TO: 152040-**200**-830001-500
    Account **D5301**

  Note: If balances move between two different Funds, then the transfer will appear on both the D-Level and on the 7000X accounts.

  *Budgetary = FC 105, 120, & 200*

| Non-Budgetary

- Use 70001 on the chartstring sending the funds (FROM)
- Use 70003 on the chartstring receiving the funds (TO)
  - FROM: 152040-**202**-885000-600
    Account **70001**
  - TO: 134310-**202**-885000-300
    Account **70003**

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## Selecting an Account for ABAs

### Budgetary → Non-Budgetary
- Use D-Level account on the Budgetary Chartstring
- Use 70003 account on the NB chartstring
- **FROM:** 163710-200-830001-700
  - Account **D5251**
- **TO:** 134310-202-885000-300
  - Account **70003**

### Non-Budgetary → Budgetary
- Use 70001 account on the NB chartstring
- Use D-Level account on the Budgetary Chartstring
- **FROM:** 134310-202-885000-300
  - Account **70001**
- **TO:** 163710-200-830001-700
  - Account **D5251**

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1. Department rolled a $92,316.75 balance into FY17
2. Departments moves $15,179 of its available balance to another chartstring. The transfer posts to C7001.
3. Note: The transfer does not post to the Acct 00000.
4. If no further transactions occur, $74,254.24 will roll into FY18.

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Avoid Budget Check Errors

Tired of receiving budget check errors?
Submit an ABA to move your money prior to submitting a requisition.

Budget Errors occur when chartstrings don’t contain sufficient funds to cover the expenses. Simply submit an ABA to move money from a chartstring that has available funds to the chartstring from which the spending will occur.
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<td>• Procurement - x5500 - <a href="mailto:bsc@untsystem.edu">bsc@untsystem.edu</a>&lt;br&gt;* The budget office can only assist with error messages that appear next to the budget check line. All other errors must be handled by Purchasing.</td>
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