



Date: March 9, 2020

To: Cathy Sandeen, Chancellor

From: John Stalvey, Interim Provost *John R Stalvey*

Cc: Kenrick Mock, Interim Dean, College of Engineering  
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Re: **AY20 Expedited Program Review Findings – Civil Engineering BS**

I have reviewed the dean's findings and the completed Expedited Program Review Template for the Civil Engineering BS. The Provost's Office did not receive an Optional Program Response Form from the program.

### **Recommendations**

My recommendation is to accept the decision and recommendations of the dean with the additional commentary that the program should establish a course rotation that both reduces the number of courses offered each semester and ensures content depth in each category required for accreditation. Additionally, to ensure a more efficient use of resources, the program should work with Geomatics to revise the CE curriculum to use the regularly offered GEO A156 course rather than a special non-majors' course. An interim progress report on all recommendations including a course rotation plan with the goal of increasing per course enrollment is due to the dean by March 1, 2021. The dean will submit a review along with the program's interim progress report to the provost by April 1, 2021. Unless otherwise noted at that time, the next Program Review will be included in the regular ongoing program review schedule.

### **Decision**

Recommend Continuation