



Date: March 9, 2020

To: Cathy Sandeen, Chancellor

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

Cc: Kenrick Mock, Interim Dean, College of Engineering  
Joey Yang, Professor, Department Chair, Program Committee Chair, Civil Engineering  
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Susan Kalina, Vice Provost for Academic Affairs  
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Re: **AY20 Expedited Program Review Findings – Civil Engineering MS**

I have reviewed the dean's findings and the completed Expedited Program Review Template for the Civil Engineering MS. 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 must reduce costs. It should decrease the number of courses offered each semester to increase course capacity. It should also realign resources to help teach the undergraduate courses in CE, ES, or ENG. An interim progress report on all recommendations 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