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One University Coalition Meeting 6/12

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Dear 1U Coalition Members,

Firstly, we hope that all is well with you during these unprecedented times. The 1U Campaign has been hard at work advocating for students and per the request of the Regents, **has created a lengthy document that outlines our vision for how the University can effectively bring supportive programs to the Flint & Dearborn campuses** (there is a 2-page summary, don't worry!). However, despite these efforts, we have been consistently disregarded by the University's President, Mark Schlissel, and have struggled to gain the support of a majority of the U-M Board of Regents.

A critical next step for the One University Campaign is to meet with the larger coalition in order to update members and discuss critical next steps for the campaign. On **Friday, June 12th at 1:00pm**, the 1U Steering Committee will be holding a Coalition meeting, facilitated by 1U student organization presidents, to consider what you and your organizations see as priorities and ways forward.

Now more than ever, the Flint and Dearborn campuses are in need of support and the university continues to give us excuses. The administration is using this COVID-19 crisis to perpetrate further cuts and mount arguments against using the endowment to provide essential resources to students. University of Michigan leaders have sent the message that their students are not important enough to invest money in, despite the University having more than enough resources to meet our needs as one of the wealthiest public institutions in the country.

The agenda for the meeting will be:

1. Overview of 1U report/core campaign demands
2. Participants' experiences/concerns with reduction of funds
3. June 18th Regents meeting 1U plan

4. Reactions to the plan...Additional thoughts? Will you participate? How do you see your partnership with 1U moving forward?
5. Identify common message about demands
6. What next?

Please respond via form or reply to this email to let us know if you plan to attend. You can also RSVP via our Facebook event. We hope that you can join us! And please share far and wide via your social media networks and/or forward this email to anyone that may be interested in participating in the coalition.

In solidarity,

Alysia Treviño

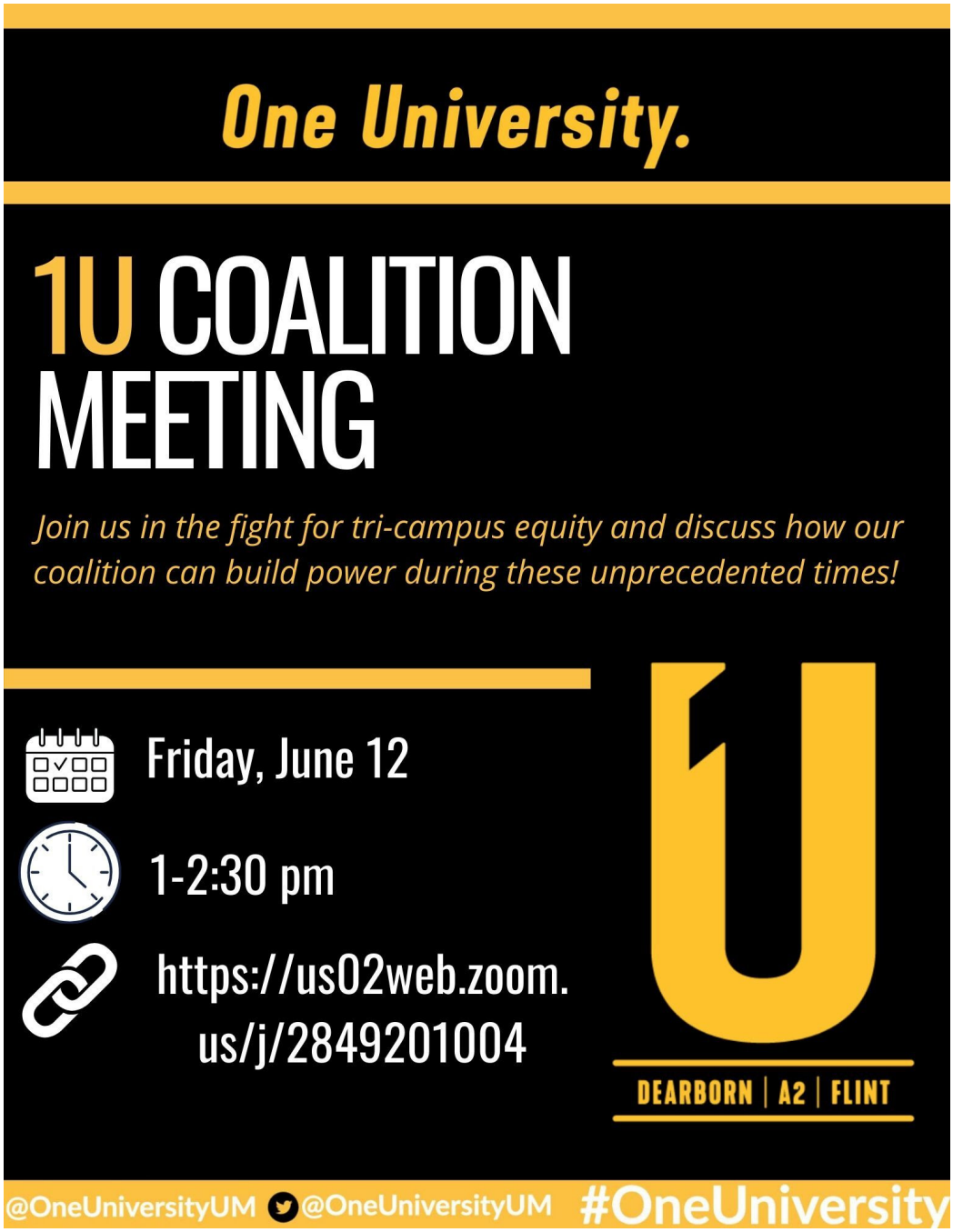
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