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**Note: This policy is in effect for setting the growth rate(s) for tuition and fees for FY 2025 onward. (Arizona Board of Regents Meeting, February 9, 2023, Item #22)**

#### 4-103 Statement on Tuition and Fees Setting Responsibilities

- A. The board is responsible for setting tuition and fees as described in this policy.
- B. The Arizona constitution obligates the legislature to appropriate funds to insure the proper maintenance, development, and improvement of all state educational institutions.
- C. The Arizona constitution requires that instruction furnished be as nearly free as possible. The board has the responsibility for making decisions regarding quality of instruction, including decisions regarding the quality of faculty and infrastructure necessary for instruction, as well as the resources necessary and available to support instruction. Adopting growth rates for tuition and fees fixes tuition and fees and fulfills those obligations.
- D. Prior board approval is required for:
  - 1. All tuition and fees, as set forth in these policies.
  - 2. Residence hall rates.
  - 3. Meal plan rates.