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On behalf of Joan Medeiros, Chair, our Vice Chair, Jeffrey Karm welcomed all to the retreat noting he was filling in as Chair Medeiros was facing medical concerns. Trustee Karam and Board Liaison, Lucinda Poudrier-Aaronson, provided a brief overview of the retreat day including the Inn's facilities, food, and other logistics. At 8:59 a.m. the regular board meeting was called to order. Refer to the August 23

rd Board of Trustees meeting minutes prepared and submitted independent of the Retreat itinerary. The regular board meeting was adjourned at 10:09 a.m. Vice Chair Karam invited everyone to take a five-minute break and come back to resume the Retreat agenda.

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Once the icebreaker concluded, President Douglas asked Andrew Fisher, Vice President, Academic Affairs/Chief Academic Officer, to provide a NECHE (New England Commission on Higher Education) Update. This update included information about who and what NECHE is and what the organization does. The Trustees were each provided with a NECHE guide booklet and Dr. Fisher outlined the nine standards and reviewed the NECHE accreditation process (self-study, site visit and external review).

BRCC BoT The Retreat began with breakfast

To highlight the self-study process adopted by

Dr. Medeiros shared that