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**MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Faculty, Staff, and Students

**FROM:** Ontario S. Wooden, Ph.D.  
Provost and Senior VP for Academic Affairs

**DATE:** February 23, 2021

**RE:** **Strategic Planning Open Forums**

Thank you for your ongoing support in the development of the 2021-2026 Strategic Plan. When adopted, the campus-wide plan will serve as a guiding compass for the University for many years. Your input in this process is essential and valued since it will help shape who we aspire to be, long into the future.

On Thursday, February 25 and Friday, February 26, 2021, our consultants, SmithGroup, will return to campus to provide an update on our planning progress. Please plan to attend one of three Open Forums where you will be able to engage the consultants and share any additional insights you may have. Please see the dates and times for the Open Forums below.

- Open Forum No. 1: Thursday, February 25 from 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon in the School of Agriculture and Applied Sciences Auditorium.
- Open Forum No. 2: Thursday, February 25 from 1:00 to 2:30 p.m. in the School of Nursing Auditorium (Natchez Campus).
- Open Forum No. 3: Friday, February 26 from 8:30 to 10:00 a.m. in the School of Agriculture and Applied Sciences Auditorium.

Please RSVP to Ms. Patricia Keys at [pkeys@alcorn.edu](mailto:pkeys@alcorn.edu) or call 601-877-6140.

Thank you for your continued support of our strategic planning efforts and visit our website <https://www.alcorn.edu/academics/strategic-plan> for updates regarding the development of the Strategic Plan.