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VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Dear Donna:

I write to provide responsive documentation to your request for public records received August 1, 2011 (sent to Dr. Carol Tresolini) seeking "information about and copies of the percentage of the budget reduction of the state budget allocation that has been imposed on the centers and institutes below for the 2011-2012 fiscal year [18 named centers and institutes]."

The enclosed documentation is being provided to you in accordance with the North Carolina Public Records Act. Please note that there were no existing records responsive to your request. Under the Public Records Act a state agency is not required to create or compile a record in order to respond to a request for public records. Even though Dr. Tresolini was under no obligation to do so, she elected to create the enclosed documentation in order to provide you with the percentage information you are seeking.

Should you wish to discuss your inquiry further or if you have another public records request, you may reach me through the contact information provided above or via electronic mail at [regina\\_stabile@unc.edu](mailto:regina_stabile@unc.edu).

Sincerely,

Regina J. Stabile, J.D.  
Director, Institutional Records and Reporting Compliance

Enclosure

## Net Reductions

<u>Center</u>	<u>% of Cut</u>
Ackland Art Museum	11.11%
American Indian Center	3.80%
Carolina Center for Public Service	17.55%
Carolina Women's Center	32.85%
Center for Developmental Science	N/A (no state funds)
Center for Faculty Excellence	25.17%
Center for the Study of the American South	32.81%
Institute for the Environment	17.08%
Institute of African-American Research	39.32%
James B. Hunt, Jr. Institute for Educational Leadership and Policy	26.72%
Marine Sciences Program	6.88%
Morehead Planetarium and Science Center	16.50%
North Carolina Botanical Garden	10.32%
North Carolina Health Careers Access Program	5.14%
Sonja Haynes Stone Center for Black Culture and History	20.16%
TRiO Programs	8.40%
William and Ida Friday Center for Continuing Education	18.39%
World View	7.89%