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**UMASS ENERGY CONSERVATION, SUSTAINABILITY TO BE DISCUSSED**

The University's Faculty Senate will hear an address by Vice Chancellor for Administration and Finance Joyce Hatch regarding the campus's energy conservation and sustainability efforts at its Nov. 20 meeting. Hatch will be joined by Pat Daly, director of the Physical Plant, and Environmental Health and Safety Manager Craig Ruberti.

A question and discussion period will follow.

In other business, the General Education Council will present its annual report, including a discussion of its coordinated efforts with the campus's Joint Task Force on General Education.

The senate also will hear reports from the University's principal administrative officers, who will entertain questions from the audience.

The meeting is at 3:30 in Room 227 Herter Hall and is open to the public.

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