## OWG 10 Unmet Regional Needs Approved Recommendations

- 1. Recommends that upon the launch of the new ASU, the President/Provost commission the Carl Vinson Center for Government or any other suitable consulting firm to conduct a needs assessment for undergraduate and graduate programs and engage with USG Office of Academic Affairs initiatives around High Demand Careers and regional needs.
- 2. Recommends that The Provost (permanent) should engage the campus and communities in academic master planning to identify and guide the new university in terms of new degree academic programs.
- 3. Recommends that The Office of Fiscal Affairs work collaboratively with the Office of Academic Affairs to determine the financial costs for new academic degree programs which accounts for future SACSCOC approvals, substantive changes, and onsite visits, etc. especially in light of possible addition of new doctoral degree programs.