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An Important Message to Our Readers

VoegelinView faces a potentially serious situation which you, our readers, may influence in a favorable way.

We have learned that the University of Missouri's new President, Timothy M. Wolfe, is contemplating shutting down the University of Missouri Press as a cost-saving measure.



The University of Missouri Press publishes the 34 volumes of The Collected Works of Eric Voegelin together with another 60 or so volumes related to Voegelin under the title Eric Voegelin Institute Series in Political **Philosophy**. All these voumes are available to *VoegelinView* and our

readers through the courtesy of the Missouri Press. Without the permissions to publish these works, *VoegelinView* would cease to exist in its present form.



Many of our contributors and staff are published by the Missouri Press. The closing of the Press would impose a professional hardship on these scholars.

We think the best we can do is to send short and respectful emails to President Wolfe, encouraging the continuation of the Press. We understand that new efficiencies and technologies may need to be introduced. If you would take a moment to send an email to his office, expressing your hope and concerns, it might be sufficient to sustain the Press at this difficult time. We can be sure President Wolfe will carefully weigh both the financial and non-material considerations.

More information about the President's Office may be had here: http://www.umsystem.edu /president

President Wolfe's email address is: umpresident@umsystem.edu

Please send a brief message to President Wolfe. Apparently a decision could come at any time in the next week or two. We will keep you informed. Thank you.

> Fritz Wagner Executive Editor

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