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The fans may be complaining about [Head Football Coach Todd] Monken and [AD McGillis]. With the God-awful last few seasons its really to be expected. What I don't think a lot of people realize is there is a mounting whisper campaign among the faculty that it is time for [USM President Rodney D.] Bennett to go. Southern Miss needs an academic with meaningful research and administrative experience to lead the school through its dark days. Bennett has neither. Since Bounds is on the job market many of us are hoping two goals will be accomplished -- we will be rid of Bounds who has done nothing but add to his administrative entourage and find a publically vetted president who can provide the leadership necessary to bring the University to real excellence.

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