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# COMMUNITY AND GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

### Date: Monday, June 19, 2023

SUBJECT: APPROVE NAMING OF UNIVERSITY ELEMENTS

# **PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION**

Recommend that the BoT approves naming the Fitness Center in the new Athletic Complex within the ADHUS/FAU High School Complex the "Lam Family Fitness Center".

## **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

#### **Donation**:

Dung and Fernanda Lam are donating \$100,000 to name the Fitness Center in the new Athletic Complex within the ADHUS/FAU High School Complex the "Lam Family Fitness Center".

#### Gift Purpose:

The gift will be used to assist with the planning, financing, constructing, equipping and operation of the ADHUS/FAU High School Complex, under the direction of the Assistant Dean of PK-12 Educational Programs.

#### Donor's Background:

An entrepreneur in construction and real estate, Dung Lam is Managing Partner of Statewide Windows and Doors, Inc. of West Palm Beach, Florida and has other business interests.

Mr. Lam has been an officer at several other real estate and development companies: Peninsula Properties (from 2011), NAI Merin Hunter Codman (2012-2022), J.I. Kislak, Inc. (2008-

2010), RPC Holdings (2006-2008), and Swerdlow Group (2005-2006). Mr. Lam received an M.B.A. from the University of Maryland in 2001.

Fernanda Lam (née Batista) is licensed both as a real estate agent and as an esthetician. Presently, she is employed at Atlantic One Realty Group of Delray Beach, Florida. A native of Brazil, where she earned her undergraduate degree in hospitality, Ms. Lam speaks English, Spanish, and Portuguese fluently.

Mr. and Mrs. Lam reside in Boca Raton, Florida.

## FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

Cost of signage and installation – TBD

# IMPLEMENTATION PLAN/DATE

Installation of signage: TBD

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