



Item: CG: A-1b

COMMUNITY AND GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Date: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2020

SUBJECT: APPROVE NAMING OF UNIVERSITY ELEMENTS

PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION

Recommend that BoT approves the naming of an Athletics Administrative Office within the Schmidt Family Complex for Academic and Athletic Excellence the "Maizey More-Englehart Administrative Office".

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Donation:

Daniel More is donating Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000) for a recognition opportunity by naming an Athletics Administrative Office within the Schmidt Family Complex for Academic and Athletic Excellence.

Gift Purpose:

The gift will support the planning, financing, constructing, equipping and administering of the Schmidt Family Complex for Academic and Athletic Excellence. In its continued pursuit of excellence, Florida Atlantic University constructed this complex at the heart of its Boca Raton campus to allow student-athletes to excel in the classroom and on the field, as well as to benefit students in all academic programs.

This initiative exemplifies FAU's drive to enhance its stature and visibility nationally and internationally.

The Schmidt Family Complex for Academic and Athletic Excellence plays a central role to elevate FAU's academic standing and will benefit students in all academic programs, including those not associated with athletic programs.

Donor's Background:

Daniel J. More attended Vanderbilt University and was an avid and successful tennis player. Mr. More went on to have a career as a Sports Agent. He has a passion for supporting athletics, the youth and his local synagogue.

Daniel J. More is the sole owner of More Sports Management Group, LLC, a company he started in 2006 in Boca Raton, Florida. Mr. More is the son of Mordecai M. More (d. 2005) and Diane B. More of Boca Raton and Chicago. Mordecai More was an attorney for more than 50 years and a veteran of WWII serving in the Army Air Corp. Daniel J. More has one sibling, Donna More Englehart. He resides in Boca Raton.

Daniel J. More and other members of his family have made a number of similar contributions in support of FAU and especially the Department of Athletics.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

Cost of signage and installation - TBD

IMPLEMENTATION PLAN/DATE

Installation of signage: TBD

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