



Item: CG: A-1b

## COMMUNITY AND GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE

Date: Tuesday, February 14, 2023

SUBJECT: APPROVE NAMING OF UNIVERSITY ELEMENTS

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### PROPOSED COMMITTEE ACTION

Recommend that the BoT approves naming a lab within the ADHUS/FAU High School Complex. The lab will be named the "Swisher Family Innovation Center."

### BACKGROUND INFORMATION

#### Donation:

Michael Swisher and Wincie Lau-Swisher are donating One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) to name a lab in the ADHUS/FAU High School Complex.

#### 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 and within the discretion of the Assistant Dean of PK-12 Educational Programs.

#### Donor's Background:

Michael D. Swisher is a professional pilot and serves as president for Quality Aircraft Sales, Inc. where he has been employed since 2015. Prior to Quality Aircraft, he served as a pilot for Presidential Aviation, Inc. and Windsor Jet Management, both Florida companies.

Wincie R. Lau-Swisher, M.D. serves as a critical care doctor for Baptist Health South Florida. From 2014 to 2017, she completed her residency through Florida Atlantic University's Charles E. Schmidt College of Medicine, and from 2017 to 2019 she completed her fellowship at Orlando Health Critical Care Medicine. Lau-Swisher earned her M.D. from Ross University in 2014 and her undergraduate degree from College of the Holy Cross in 2004.

The couple married in 2012, and have four boys, two of whom attend A.D. Henderson . The family resides in Boca Raton, Florida.

### **FISCAL IMPLICATIONS**

Cost of signage and installation: TBD upon completion of construction of the ADHUS/FAU High School Complex.

### **IMPLEMENTATION PLAN/DATE**

Installation of signage: TBD upon completion of construction of the ADHUS/FAU High School Complex.

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