Office of the President December 17, 2013

Members, Board of Trustees:

## REPAIR/UPGRADE/EXPAND CENTRAL PLANTS (CUP BOILER FEED WATER SYSTEM)

<u>Recommendation</u>: that the Board of Trustees approve the initiation of the Repair/Upgrade/Expand Central Plants (CUP Boiler Feed Water System) capital project.

<u>Background</u>: The Central Utility Plant (CUP) on Press Avenue, Lexington KY, houses three gas boilers that furnish steam to the campus system. The current feed water system was installed when the plant was initially opened and does not have the capacity to support the plant feed water requirements when all three boilers are on-line. This project will replace the existing feed water system with an enhanced higher capacity feed water system.

The scope of this project is \$1,000,000 and has been authorized by the 2012 Session of the Kentucky General Assembly as part of a \$62,000,000 infrastructure pool for educational and general facilities. The project will be financed with agency funds.

Action taken:	✓ Approved	☐ Disapproved	☐ Other —	