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Office of the President
December 9, 2008

Members, Board of Trustees:

RENOVATE WILDCAT LODGE

Recommendation: that the Board of Trustees approve initiation of the Renovation of Wildcat Lodge capital project.

Background: This project will renovate Wildcat Lodge, a campus residential facility which houses the men's basketball players as well as other UK students. The facility is in need of general refurbishment of the interior finishes (carpet, walls, stairways, and general furnishings), interior lighting improvements in the common areas, and replacement of several non-functional exterior glass doors. The scope of this project is \$1.5 million and will be funded from private gifts. Contingent upon approval by the Board of Trustees, the university will request interim authorization for this project from the Council on Postsecondary Education at its January 16, 2009 meeting and the Capital Projects and Bond Oversight Committee at its January 20, 2009 meeting.

Action taken: Approved Disapproved Other _____