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Office of the President December 1, 2009

Members, Board of Trustees:

## **RENOVATE 4-H CAMPS**

<u>Recommendation</u>: that the Board of Trustees approve the initiation of the "Renovate 4-H Camps" capital project.

<u>Background</u>: The College of Agriculture Cooperative Extension Service and 4-H Youth Development operate 4-H Camping Centers in Nicholas, Pulaski, Laurel, and Hopkins counties. The Centers provide camping facilities and programs for youth ages 9 to 14.

These facilities have been in use since the mid-1960's and are in need of repair and modernization. The proposed project will renovate existing cabins by upgrading utility infrastructure, improving finishes, and installing energy efficient heating and air conditioning systems. The project also will include replacement of existing bunks and mattresses in all the camps. Additionally, a new cabin will be built that will house 28 campers and 4-H staff.

The scope of the project is \$2 million and will be funded with state bonds authorized by the 2008 Kentucky General Assembly.

Action taken:

Approved Disapproved

 $\Box$  Other —