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Office of the President September 20, 2005

Members, Board of Trustees:

GIFTS TO THE KEVIN HEIDRICH/TEAM 7 ENDOWMENT FOR ALS PATIENT SERVICES

Recommendation: that the Board of Trustees accept gifts of \$164,287 from multiple donors to add to the existing Kevin Heidrich/Team 7 Endowment for Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS) Patient Services in the College of Medicine's Division of Neurology and submit these gifts of \$164,287 for matching funds from Kentucky's Endowment Match Program. Council on Postsecondary Education guidelines require that the Board of Trustees acknowledge its responsibility for UK's participation in the program and for all university endowment funds.

<u>Background</u>: The gifts are being made in honor and memory of Mr. Kevin Heidrich, who died in July 2005 as a result of amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS or Lou Gehrig's disease). The Team 7 Fighting ALS organization, founded by friends and family of Mr. Heidrich, raises funds to support ALS patient services, education, and research.

Action taken:	☑ Approved	☐ Disapproved	□ Other_