

# **Capital Project Plan**

2018-2020 Biennium and Beyond



# **Criteria and Process**

- Developed the plan within the context of "Our Path Forward" Estimated student growth and capital needs:
  - Projected five year growth is 2,500 3,500 students
  - Additional space needed is ~150,000 250,000 net square feet to accommodate the five year growth
- Evaluated the following:
  - Availability of surge space
  - Impact to students and research
  - College/program growth potential
  - Recent capital expenditures for colleges
- Conducted broad based discussions with deans, college leadership, and University leadership



# **Criteria and Process**

- Outcome: Development of a multi-year capital plan beyond the modernization funds of \$125 million
- Goal:
  - A guiding capital "mini-master plan" that can be used for the next few years
  - Alignment with campus master plan



# **Modernization Goals**

- Preserve and extend useful life of existing buildings
- Improve the utilization of space by providing a more flexible array of classrooms to serve our growing student population, especially in the STEM+H (science, technology, engineering, math, and health) disciplines
- Modernize the core of campus to help create a unified sense of place to enhance student success as measured by the state's new performance funding model
- Create better space to increase synergies among departments and faculty
- Preserve several historic structures to commemorate their contribution to UK's 150-year history while addressing the student learning needs of today
- Manage escalating repair and maintenance costs
- Upgrade existing infrastructure to improved, energy efficient systems that reduce operating costs and lower future maintenance expenses



# Recommended Modernization Projects

•	Scovell Hall	\$42M
•	Reynolds Warehouse #1	\$34M
•	Phase 2 of Chemistry Physics Building	\$26M
•	Phase 1 of W. P. Garrigus Building	\$10M
•	Phase 1 of White Hall Classroom Building	\$ 5M
•	Cooper House	\$4M
•	Enabling Projects	\$4M

#### Total \$125M









\*GSF = gross square feet NSF = net square feet

## Modernization Project Information

Project:	Scovell Hall - Modernization
Description:	Complete modernization of the existing building that will provide classrooms, offices, and other support space
Occupant:	College of Public Health
Square Feet:	67,645 GSF/40,000 NSF
Cost:	\$42M
Project:	Reynolds Warehouse #1 - Modernization
Description:	Will provide classrooms, offices, studios, and other support space for current and future programs in the College of Design
	Returns 60,000 NSF to campus academic service
Occupant:	College of Design
Square Feet:	91,500 GSF/60,000 NSF
Cost:	\$34M
Project:	Chemistry/Physics Building – Modernization Phase 2
Description:	Includes completing the exterior facade; creating new student space; and accommodating future floor renovations
Occupant:	College of Arts and Science and most undergraduate students
Cost:	\$26M



## **Modernization Project** Information

Project:	W. P. Garrigus Building– Modernization Phase 1
Description:	Building will undergo a systematic modernization, improving
	laboratory space for the Animal Science Program
Occupant:	College of Agriculture, Food and Environment
Square Feet:	Up to 17,000 GSF
Cost:	\$10M



Project:	White Hall Classroom Building – Modernization Phase 1
Description:	Improve public spaces including restrooms
Primary User:	Campus
Cost:	\$5M



Project:	Cooper House - Modernization
Description:	Will provide new office and program space
Occupant:	College of Agriculture, Food and Environment
Square Feet:	3,000 NSF
Cost:	\$4 <b>M</b>



# **Recommended Capital Projects**

#### Education & General Poultry Research Facility \$6M \$30M Parking Structure #5 Expansion ٠ Coldstream Office Building \$24M • **Dentistry Addition** \$8M • Digital Village III \$55M ٠ \$32.5M Barnhart & Still Building Multi-Disciplinary Science Building -٠ 5<sup>th</sup> Floor \$8M \$14M Peterson Service Building ٠ **Police Station** \$13.5M Patterson Office Tower - 18th Floor \$4M \$27.5M Teaching Pavilion Total \$222.5M

•	Resear	ch	
	•	Research Building #2 Phase 2	\$40M
	•	Vice President for Research	
		Designated Projects	\$30M
		Research Total	\$70M
•	Athlet	ics	
	•	Memorial Coliseum	\$35M
	•	Tennis	\$30M
	•	Baseball Expansion	\$5M
		Athletics Total	\$70M
•		Projects (site improvements	
	pedest	rian safety, utilities)	
	•	Library Drive Extension	
	•	Rose Street	
	•	Kirwan/Blanding	
		Civil Total	\$25M





# **Capital Project Information**

Project:	Poultry Research Facility
Description:	Required as a result of the recent real estate exchange with
	Lexington Fayette Urban County Government
Occupant:	College of Agriculture, Food and Environment
Cost:	\$6M



Project: Description:	Carking Structure #5 Expansion Will add 60% capacity of the existing structure (900-1000	
Occupant:	spaces) and will include street front retail Campus	
Cost:	\$30M	



Project:	Kirwan and Blanding Utilities Relocation
Description:	Phase 1 in the process to demolish Kirwan and Blanding
	Complex
Occupant:	Campus
Cost:	\$7.5M





## **Location of Vacated Space**





# **Major Proposed Projects**

Recommended Modernization Projects

- Scovell Hall
- Reynolds Warehouse #1
- Phase 2 of Chemistry Physics Building
- Phase 1 of W. P. Garrigus Building
- Phase 1 of White Hall Classroom Building
- Cooper House
- Enabling Projects

#### **Recommended Capital Projects**

- Poultry Research Facility
- Parking Structure #5 Expansion
- Coldstream Office Building
- Dentistry Addition
- Digital Village III
- Barnhart & Still Building
- Multi-Disciplinary Science Building 5<sup>th</sup> Floor
- Peterson Service Building 3<sup>rd</sup> floor
- Police Station
- Patterson Office Tower 18th Floor
- Teaching Pavilion
- Research
  - Research Building #2 Phase 2 and Vice President of Research Designated Projects
- Athletics
  - Memorial Coliseum, Tennis, and Baseball Expansion
- Civil Projects
  - Library Drive Extension, Rose Street, and Kirwan/Blanding



# **Total Project Cost Summary**

Project Type	Cost (in Millions)
Modernization	\$125
Capital Construction	\$222.5
Athletics	\$70
Research	\$40
Vice President for Research Designated	\$30
Civil	\$25
UK HealthCare*	TBD
Total	\$512.5

\* UK HealthCare is carefully evaluating their new course, including a study for the six health care colleges to determine their facility needs.



# **Debt Capacity & Affordability**

- As of June 30, 2018, UK has \$1.2 billion of debt outstanding
- The current debt structure is frontloaded with \$373 million, or 30%, amortizing over the next seven years
- As debt amortizes, additional capacity is made available
- Fiscal Year 2019 debt service as a percentage of the adjusted operating budget is 2.8%
- The Commonwealth generally limits debt to 20 years; however, exceptions have been made for recent selfsupporting projects



**Projected Debt Service (By Principal and Net Interest)** 



# Financial Position Assessment Observations

Based on a recent Kaufman Hall assessment, at the University's current Aa2/AA rating:

- Credit position is strengthening, supported by steady growth in enrollment and patient volumes
- Overall liquidity position has improved
- Leverage position is fairly modest
- Debt capacity appears to be a potential near term source of capital



# **Benefits of Proposed Plan**

- Creates ~150,000 ~200,000 square feet (Goal was 150,000 250,000)
- Accommodates more than 2,500 additional students (Goal was 2,500 3,500)
- Consolidates space for colleges and programs
- Creates space for new programs
- Impact to students:
  - Student collaborative spaces
  - High tech classrooms
  - Study spaces
- Renews facilities, reduces escalating repair and maintenance costs, improves energy efficiencies, and extends useful life of buildings
- Expands research, both wet-bench and computational
- Supports historic preservation
- Improves parking and pedestrian safety
- Facilitates surge space for future phases of modernization
- Aligns with campus master plan



### **Project Life Cycle**

### **Pre Project Planning**





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