

9.005 Naming of Buildings and Facilities

The naming of any building, road, bridge, park, recreational complex, other similar facility or educational site, as defined in Board regulation 8.009, (collectively referred to as a "University Facility") of a state university for individuals or groups who have made significant contributions to the university or the state of Florida is the prerogative and privilege of the State University System of Florida and is vested in the Board of Governors. The Board of Governors hereby delegates such approval authority to each university board of trustees provided that the board of trustees establishes procedures for the naming of such University Facilities to include the following elements:

- (a) The naming of any University Facility must be approved by the board of trustees as a noticed, non-consent agenda item.

- (b) Non-gift related honorary naming of a University Facility should be reserved for individuals who have made significant contributions to the university or to the state of Florida or to the fields of education, government, science or human betterment and who are of recognized accomplishment and character. Honorary naming of a University Facility is not allowed for any active board member or employee of the Board of Governors or any active employee, student, or trustee of the university.

- (c) Gift-related naming of a University Facility requires a donation which makes a significant contribution to the cost of the University Facility, or for an existing facility, significant improvements, both as established by the board of trustees' policy. The limitations set forth in paragraph (b) are not applicable to gift-related naming of a University Facility.

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