

**VII. STANDING COMMITTEES****B. Finance, Audit and Facilities Committee****Housing & Food Services–Use of Placeholder Names for New Buildings in Phase I of Housing Master Plan****RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

It is the recommendation of the administration, the Finance, Audit and Facilities Committee, and the University Names Committee that the Board of Regents approve the use of temporary, ‘placeholder’ names for the four new residential buildings that will be constructed in Phase I of the Housing Master Plan (HMP).

**BACKGROUND:**

Phase I of the HMP consists of the construction of four new buildings in the West Campus area—three residence halls and one apartment building. Housing & Food Services is exploring the possibility of donor participation and/or a special recognition, which could result in the formal naming of the buildings. Therefore, temporary names are being proposed for these facilities; these names would remain in place until permanent names are created.

The proposed temporary names are as follows:

- Site 31: Cedar Apartments
- Site 32: Elm Hall
- Site 33: Poplar Hall
- Site 35: Alder Hall

**REVIEW AND APPROVALS**

In accordance with University procedures, the University Names Committee, the Provost, and the President have reviewed and approved this request.

***Attachments***

1. Request to use placeholder names for new buildings in Phase 1 of Housing Master Plan
2. Rendering of Phase I building sites with proposed placeholder names
3. Letter of Approval from the University Names Committee



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ERIC S. GODFREY

Vice President & Vice Provost for Student Life

To: Dean Sandra Archibald

From: Eric S. Godfrey

Date: May 21, 2010

Re: Request to use placeholder names for new buildings in Phase I of Housing Master Plan

On behalf of the Department of Housing & Food Services, I am seeking approval from the University Names Committee to use temporary, 'placeholder' names for the four new buildings that will be constructed in Phase I of the Housing Master Plan (HMP). We are pursuing opportunities for donor funding for Phase I, which could result in the formal naming of the buildings; therefore, we have created temporary names for these facilities until such time as permanent names are created.

Please refer to the following page for a rendering of the four building sites. We are requesting to use the identifiers listed below as placeholder names. The names that have been chosen are all trees that are indigenous to the Pacific Northwest.

- Site 31: Cedar Apartments
- Site 32: Elm Hall
- Site 33: Poplar Hall
- Site 35: Alder Hall

When permanent names are determined for the four buildings, we will resubmit them to the Committee, meeting the criteria as outlined in the Facilities and Spaces Naming Policy.

Thank you for your consideration. I look forward to the opportunity to answer any questions you may have.

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ATTACHMENT 2

Rendering of Phase I Building Sites with Proposed Placeholder Names





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May 28, 2010

Mark A. Emmert  
President  
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University of Washington  
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Dear President Emmert:

The University Names Committee has reviewed a request from Eric Godfrey, Vice President and Vice Provost for Student Life, to name the new residence halls under construction on the West Campus. The intention of the Department of Housing and Food Services is to use temporary "placeholder" names while appropriate donors which could result in a formal naming are sought.


The following are the proposed placeholder names:

Site 31: Cedar Apartments  
Site 32: Elm Hall  
Site 33: Poplar Hall  
Site 35: Alder Hall.

The University Names Committee has reviewed and approved this proposal. On behalf of the committee, I respectfully ask that you grant this request.

Sincerely,

Sandra O. Archibald  
Dean and Professor  
Chair, Campus Names Committee

  
Concurrence \_\_\_\_\_ Date 06/07/2010  
Mark A. Emmert, President

cc: University Names Committee  
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