VII. STANDING COMMITTEES

B. Finance, Audit and Facilities Committee

Clarification of Naming the Field at the University of Washington Husky Ballpark as "Chaffey Field"

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

It is the recommendation of the administration, the Finance, Audit and Facilities Committee, and the Names Committee that the Board of Regents approve the request to name the field at Husky Ballpark as "Chaffey Field." This approval will supersede and clarify the action taken by the Board of Regents on July 16, 2009.

BACKGROUND:

This naming request was approved by the Board of Regents on July 16, 2009. At that time, ICA intended that the naming of "Chaffey Field" was to be for the field at Husky Ballpark, not for the entire facility. As presented to the Board of Regents, the recommended action was that "the University of Washington Baseball Park be named 'Chaffey Field,'" while in the background section the request concluded with, "the Athletic Department is prepared to honor Mr. Chaffey's commitment to Husky baseball by naming the field at Husky Ballpark 'Chaffey Field' (emphasis supplied)."

It was the intention of the ICA that the field at Husky Ballpark be named Chaffey Field in honor of Herb Chaffey's significant contributions to Husky Baseball.

The University Names Committee has reviewed this request for clarification and, with the concurrence of Interim President Phyllis Wise, has granted approval.

Attachments

- 1. October 20, 2010 Letter of Approval from Names Committee to Interim President Wise, with concurrence of Interim President Wise
- 2. December 15, 2010 Letter from Names Committee to Scott Woodward

October 20, 2010

Phyllis Wise Interim President Office of the President University of Washington 301 Gerberding Hall, Box 351230

Dear President Wise:

The University Names Committee has reviewed the proposal from Director of Athletics Scott Woodward recommending that the field at Husky Ballpark be named "Chaffey Field" to honor Herb Chaffey's significant contributions to Husky Baseball.

This request supersedes and clarifies the action taken by the Board of Regents on July 16, 2009.

The University Names Committee has approved the 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

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Concurrence:

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December 15, 2010

Scott Woodward Director of Athletics Graves Hall, Box 354070 University of Washington

Dear Scott,

I am pleased to inform you that President Wise has concurred with the University Names Committee recommendation for approval of your request to name the field at Husky ballpark "Chaffey Field." This decision supersedes and clarifies the action taken by the Board of Regents on July 16, 2009.

As you know, the Board of Regents approves the naming of exterior space (UW Handbook, Vol. 4, Chap. 10, Sect. 1.). Typically, requests for regental approval would issue from the nominating office. We invite you to review the full instructions at http://www.washington.edu/regents/meetings/saf.html.

If I can be of any further assistance, please consider me at your service.

Sincerely,

Daniel S. Friedman, PhD, FAIA

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