

**Submitted by: Susan Burns, Vice President
Development and Alumni Affairs
President, Wayne State University Foundation**

KIM FAMILY ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Governors approve the establishment of the Kim Family Endowed Scholarship in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Department of Physics and Astronomy.

This fund is established to recognize scholastic achievement, encourage continued progress and provide assistance to students in financing their education in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences.

Background

Ron, Ann and Melissa Kim are creating the Kim Family Endowed Scholarship in memory of their parents, Dr. Yeong Wook Kim and Dr. Kathleen Joyce Kim.

This fund is established with a pledge of \$121,000. The initial payment of \$60,000 from Ron, Ann and Melissa Kim has been received by Wayne State University.

Endowment Amount

\$60,000

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**RONALD W. KIND ENDOWED SUPPORT FUND
(FUND FUNCTIONING AS AN ENDOWMENT)
FOR MECHANICAL ENGINEERING**

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Governors approve the establishment of the Ronald W. Kind Endowed Support Fund (Fund Functioning as an Endowment) for Mechanical Engineering in the College of Engineering.

This fund is established to support the Department of Mechanical Engineering's mission to be a leader in education and research by producing future leaders for industry, academia, government and society.

Background

Wayne State University alumnus Ronald Kind was born on April 11, 1929 and passed away on February 20, 2017. He earned a bachelor in mechanical engineering from Wayne State in 1956. Mr. Kind left an unrestricted bequest of \$95,000 to his alma mater.

It is the intention of the dean of the College of Engineering, Dr. Farshad Fotouhi, to further the college's mission to deliver mastery of engineering principles, advanced knowledge of the latest techniques in discipline, and the ability to innovate in a global economy by creating the Ronald W. Kind Endowed Support Fund for Mechanical Engineering.

This fund is established with a transfer of \$95,000 from the dean's discretionary fund, representing the full amount of Ronald Kind's gift to the college received on April 13, 2017.

Endowment Amount

\$95,000

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IDA ROSENBAUM KOST ENDOWED MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Governors approve the establishment of the Ida Rosenbaum Kost Endowed Memorial Scholarship in the School of Social Work.

This fund is established to recognize scholastic achievement, encourage continued progress and provide assistance to students in financing their education in the School of Social Work.

Background

Born in 1917 in Kansas City, Ida Rosenbaum was raised and educated in Detroit. She earned a bachelor's degree from Wayne University in 1939 and a master's degree from the University of Michigan. Highly respected in her profession, Mrs. Kost had a 25-year career as a clinical social worker at Jewish Family Services.

Mrs. Kost and her husband David retired to Florida in 1977. Living with vitality, she continued to serve as a social worker until age 89, seeing clients, starting a widows support group, and chairing a hearing impaired support group for many years. She also wrote a monthly column for a local paper, covering a wide range of topics of social relevance. Independent and open-minded, Mrs. Kost valued meaningful relationships, flexibility, kindness, Yiddishkayt and making a contribution to society.

The scholarship in her memory honors and celebrates Mrs. Kost's tenacity and love of life and her commitment to her profession by inspiring future social work students to follow in her impressive footsteps.

This fund is established with a gift of \$30,000 from D'Vorah Kost.

Endowment Amount

\$30,000

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**DENISE J. LEWIS ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP (REVISED)
(FUND FUNCTIONING AS AN ENDOWMENT)
IN THE LAW SCHOOL**

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Governors approve the establishment of the Denise J. Lewis Endowed Scholarship (Revised) (Fund Functioning as an Endowment) in the Law School.

This scholarship fund is established to recognize scholastic achievement, encourage continued progress and provide assistance to students in financing their education in the Law School.

Background

Denise J. Lewis is a graduate of the Detroit Public Schools. She earned a J.D., cum laude, from the University of Michigan Law School, an M.A. from Wayne State University, and a B.A., cum laude, from Columbia University. A partner in the law firm Honigman Miller Schwartz and Cohn LLP, she is the firm's Diversity Partner and serves on its Board of Directors. Ms. Lewis is the recipient of many prestigious awards, honors and recognition.

Ms. Lewis joined the Wayne State University Board of Governors in 1993. She served as vice chair in 1996 and as chair in 1997 and 1998. She currently serves as a member of the Wayne State University Foundation Board.

This scholarship fund was established by the president of the university in appreciation and recognition of all that Ms. Lewis accomplished on behalf of the university and its mission. She has since contributed generously to the fund to increase its impact on those in need and to further support the underserved in obtaining their academic aspirations and giving back to the communities in which they live and work.

The purpose of this revision is to honor Ms. Lewis' request to designate the scholarship for Law School students.

Endowment Amount

\$57,592.12

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**RALPH AND BARBARA RAYS ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP
(FUND FUNCTIONING AS AN ENDOWMENT)**

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Governors approve the establishment of the Ralph and Barbara Rays Endowed Scholarship (Fund Functioning as an Endowment).

This scholarship fund is established to recognize scholastic achievement, encourage continued progress and provide assistance to students in financing their education in the College of Education.

Background

Barbara Rays was born on June 7, 1931 and passed away on November 11, 2016 at the age of 85. She earned a master's degree in education from Wayne State University and worked as a teacher for the Detroit Public Schools for 14 years. During her life she stressed the importance of education to friends and family. Mrs. Rays also enjoyed the theatre. She volunteered as an usher at the university's Hilberry Theatre for many years.

Ralph Rays was born on November 20, 1926 and passed away on May 18, 2015 at the age of 88. He earned a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering from the General Motors Institute and worked as an engineer for General Motors and Ford Motor Company. In accord with his wife, Mr. Rays believed education was the path to a better life. He also volunteered as an usher at the university's Hilberry Theatre.

The fund is established with a transfer of \$50,000 of a \$1,125,000 estate gift of Ralph and Barbara Rays currently held in the President's Enhancement Fund. The president has approved this transfer.

Endowment Amount

\$50,000

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(FUND FUNCTIONING AS AN ENDOWMENT)**

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Governors approve the establishment of the Ralph and Barbara Rays Endowed Scholarship (Fund Functioning as an Endowment).

This scholarship fund is established to recognize scholastic achievement, encourage continued progress and provide assistance to students in financing their education in the Maggie Allesee Department of Theatre and Dance of the College of Fine, Performing and Communication Arts.

Background

Barbara Rays was born on June 7, 1931 and passed away on November 11, 2016 at the age of 85. She earned a master's degree in education from Wayne State University and worked as a teacher for the Detroit Public Schools for 14 years. During her life she stressed the importance of education to friends and family. Mrs. Rays also enjoyed the theatre. She volunteered as an usher at the university's Hilberry Theatre for many years.

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The fund is established with a transfer of \$50,000 of a \$1,125,000 estate gift of Ralph and Barbara Rays currently held in the President's Enhancement Fund. The president has approved this transfer.

Endowment Amount

\$50,000

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(FUND FUNCTIONING AS AN ENDOWMENT)**

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Governors approve the establishment of the Ralph and Barbara Rays Endowed Scholarship (Fund Functioning as an Endowment) in support of the Med Direct Program managed by the Office of the Provost.

This scholarship fund is established to recognize scholastic achievement, encourage continued progress and provide assistance to students in financing their education in the Med Direct Program.

Background

Barbara Rays was born on June 7, 1931 and passed away on November 11, 2016 at the age of 85. She earned a master's degree in education from Wayne State University and worked as a teacher for the Detroit Public Schools for 14 years. During her life she stressed the importance of education to friends and family. Mrs. Rays also enjoyed the theatre. She volunteered as an usher at the university's Hilberry Theatre for many years.

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The fund is established with a transfer of \$1,025,000 of a \$1,125,000 estate gift of Ralph and Barbara Rays currently held in the President's Enhancement Fund. The president has approved this transfer.

Endowment Amount

\$1,025,000

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DR. VIRGINIA HILL RICE ENDOWED DISTINGUISHED LECTURESHIP

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Governors approve the establishment of the Dr. Virginia Hill Rice Endowed Distinguished Lectureship in the College of Nursing.

The lectureship fund is established to provide for an annual lecture with a futurist view on nursing and/or health care.

Background

Virginia Hill Rice, Ph.D., R.N., CNS, FAAN is an Emerita Professor of Nursing at Wayne State University. She holds a doctorate in social psychology and received her master's degree as a Clinical Nurse Specialist in medical-surgical nursing from the College of Nursing in 1965.

Hired into the College of Nursing in 1982, she developed an extensive track record of nationally and internationally funded research. Dr. Hill has numerous publications and national and international presentations in stress and coping, patient teaching, and tobacco control. She produced two editions of the *Handbook of Stress, Coping, and Health: Implications for Nursing Research, Theory, and Practice*.

For her exemplary work, Dr. Rice has been recognized with a number of honors and awards. She retired from the university in 2015 and continues her community service with Crossroads of Michigan and the Holley Institute for the Deaf and Hearing Impaired that was co-founded by her husband, Dr. William Rice.

The lectureship fund is established with a four-year pledge of \$122,000 and an initial payment of \$30,500, \$5,500 of which has been deposited into the beneficiary account for immediate use.

Amount

\$122,000

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**DONALD E. SHELY, J.D., '55 AND ELIZABETH A. SHELY, M.D., '82
ENDOWED SUPPORT FUND FOR THE LEGAL ADVOCACY FOR
PEOPLE WITH CANCER CLINIC**

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Governors approve the establishment of the Donald E. Shely, J.D., '55 and Elizabeth A. Shely, M.D., '82 Endowed Support Fund for the Legal Advocacy for People with Cancer Clinic in the Law School.

The purpose of the fund is to support operations in the Legal Advocacy for People with Cancer Clinic at Wayne Law.

Background

A Livonia, Michigan native, Donald E. Shely, J.D., was among the top in his class at the Wayne State University Law School and a founding member of the *Law Review*. He was the first Wayne Law graduate to be hired by Dykema Gossett, where he created the litigation department, with an expertise in product liability. He twice served as president of the alumni association, and he initiated the first alumni giving campaign for the school. Mr. Shely was inducted into the American College of Trial Lawyers, the International Society of Barristers, the Order of the Coif and the American Board of Trial Advocates.

Elizabeth A. Shely, M.D., is a graduate of the Wayne State University School of Medicine. She has a deep appreciation for the wonderful medical education she received. A 20-year cancer survivor, Dr. Shely knows the financial and bureaucratic challenges that cancer patients experience and how important it is for cancer patients to focus their energy on healing. Dr. Shely created this fund to honor her father and to further the support for cancer patients so they can use their energy to focus on healing themselves.

The fund is established with a gift from Dr. Elizabeth A. Shely.

Endowment Amount

\$25,148.50

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**JAMES WILLIAMS ENDOWED SUPPORT FUND
(FUND FUNCTIONING AS AN ENDOWMENT)**

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of Governors approve the establishment of the James Williams Endowed Support Fund (Fund Functioning as an Endowment) in the College of Engineering.

This fund is established to support the Department of Mechanical Engineering's mission to be a leader in education and research by producing future leaders for industry, academia, government and society.

Background

The endowment is being established with an unrestricted bequest received on January 19, 2017 from the estate of James Williams, who earned a bachelor's in mechanical engineering from Wayne State University. Mr. Williams was born on May 13, 1946 and passed away on September 23, 2010, leaving a generous gift of \$103,443 to his alma mater.

It is the intention of the dean of the College of Engineering to further the college's mission to deliver mastery of engineering principles, advanced knowledge of the latest techniques in discipline, and the ability to innovate in a global economy by creating the James Williams Endowed Support Fund for Mechanical Engineering.

The fund is established with a transfer of \$100,000 from the dean's discretionary fund.

Endowment Amount

\$100,000