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BOARD OF TRUSTEES
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MEMORANDUM

To: Committee on Budget and Finance
From: Daniel Bollman *Daniel J. Bollman*
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Subject: **Authorization to Plan**
Football Complex Renovation and Addition

RECOMMENDATION

The Trustee Committee on Budget and Finance recommends that the Board of Trustees authorize the Administration to plan for improvements to and expansion of Intercollegiate Athletics Football facilities.

RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of Michigan State University hereby authorizes the Administration to plan for the project entitled "Football Complex Renovation and Addition."

BACKGROUND

The football complex is the current home of the Michigan State football program and provides space for academic services for student athletes; training, practice, and treatment areas for the football team, as well as coach and staff offices that support the program. The original building was constructed in 1980 and has received several additions and renovations since that time. While it has served the program well continued investment is necessary to support the evolution of the football program including the competitive nature of the sport, and the need to have state of the art facilities in which to continue to deliver its program. The existing facility is undersized by approximately 40% in comparison to new and renovated facilities across the conference and the country. Recent gifts to intercollegiate athletics, including a pledge from Mat Ishbia, make it possible to address some of these needs.

Description of Project:

As planning begins, the project is anticipated to include renovated and new spaces for student athletes for wellness and recovery, student activities, improved strength and conditioning, and locker rooms; operational improvements including



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added equipment rooms and storage space, and a new marquee entry to the south of the building.

The football complex is located on the corner of Shaw Lane and Chestnut Road in the athletic and recreation district.

Communication Plan:

Input will continue to be solicited from the campus community during the planning phase.

Preliminary Project Cost Information

The planning for this project will incur costs for consultants, designers, and cost estimating. The source of funds for the project is expected to be from gifts to Intercollegiate Athletics.

cc: Board of Trustees, S. Stanley, T. Woodruff, N. Beauchamp, M. Woo, M. Zeig, B. Quinn, V. Gore, J. Gaboury, B. Kranz, M. McCabe, J. Mumma, L. Gremel, J. Rayis, L. Adams, K. Oosterhoff, C. Leese, L. Senecal, B. Beekman, A. Haller

