

Arkansas State University
Board of Trustees
May 13, 2002

The Arkansas State University Board of Trustees met by telephone conference call on Monday, May 13, 2002, in the conference room of the President=s Office on the Jonesboro campus. Mr. Richard Bell, Chair of the Board of Trustees, called the meeting to order at 2:10 p.m. A roll call revealed the presence of the following Board members: Congressman John Paul Hammerschmidt, Vice Chair; Mr. Mike Medlock, Secretary; Ms. Florine Bingham, and Colonel Dallas Wood. President Leslie Wyatt joined the meeting by telephone, while members of the ASU staff and the local media attended in person.

Mr. Bell presented Resolution 02-26 to authorize ASU-Mountain Home to name the main corridor of its Community Development Center the ASenator Dale Bumpers Great Hall.@

Upon motion by Congressman Hammerschmidt, second by Mr, Medlock, Resolution 02-26, was approved.

Ayes: Bell, Hammerschmidt, Medlock, Bingham, and Wood

Nays: None

Upon motion by Ms. Bingham, second by Mr. Medlock, the Board adjourned at 2:14 p.m.

Ayes: Bell, Hammerschmidt, Medlock, Bingham, and Wood

Nays: None

Absent: Wood

Mike Medlock, Secretary

Richard Bell, Chair

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Resolution 02-26
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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

ACTION ITEM: Arkansas State University-Mountain Home requests approval to name the main corridor of its Community Development Center the ΔSenator Dale Bumpers Great Hall@ to honor Senator Dale Bumpers and to acknowledge a major gift from Jim and Jill Gaston.

ISSUE: The Board of Trustees must approve all names given to buildings and areas on the Arkansas State University campuses.

BACKGROUND:

Arkansas State University-Mountain Home is preparing to build a Community Development Center. The Center will contain an auditorium, a banquet hall, a cultural arts center, the BIWD (Business, Industry, and Workforce Development) program, the adult education program, and the center for advanced studies. Jim and Jill Gaston propose to contract with the ASU Foundation to give \$100,000 in stocks to the ASU Foundation at this time, and to pledge to give \$100,000 in stocks or cash within 24 months of the first gift to secure this naming opportunity in honor of their friend, Senator Dale Bumpers.

RECOMMENDATION/RESOLUTION:

Be it resolved that Arkansas State University-Mountain Home be authorized to name the main corridor of its Community Development Center the ΔSenator Dale Bumpers Great Hall.@

Mike Medlock, Secretary

Richard Bell, Chair