

Board Meeting
January 18, 2018

NAME MAIN ENTRANCE RECONSTRUCTION, ALLERTON PARK AND
RETREAT CENTER, URBANA

Action: Name Main Entrance Reconstruction, Allerton Park and Retreat Center

Funding: No New Funding Required

The Chancellor, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, and Vice President, University of Illinois recommends approval of the naming of the Allerton Park and Retreat Center main entrance drive as the David J. and Debra C. Rathje Allerton Mansion Grand Drive, in recognition of their generosity. Through their donation of \$1.0 million, David and Debra Rathje will provide an expanded roadway to the mansion with a circular drive creating greater guest convenience, enhanced pedestrian and persons with disabilities access and improved arrival aesthetics for the main entry of the Allerton Park and Retreat Center mansion.

As stipulated in the donor agreement, the new entrance drive is to be named in recognition of the donors. The Rathje family has been visiting and enjoying Allerton Park and Retreat Center for more than 60 years, and has generously donated the funds to implement this phase of the 2015 Allerton Park and Retreat Center Master Plan.

The Board action recommended in this item complies in all material respects with applicable State and federal laws, University of Illinois *Statutes, The*

General Rules Concerning University Organization and Procedure, and Board of Trustees policies and directives.

The President of the University concurs.