

Board Meeting
January 18, 2018

NAME THE MARCHING ILLINI PRACTICE FIELD TOWER, URBANA

Action: Name the Marching Illini Practice Field Tower

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 Marching Illini Practice Field Tower as the Ronald and Paula Filler Instructional Tower, in recognition of the generosity of the Fillers for their substantial contribution for the construction of this new facility which will enhance the marching band program for the University of Illinois.

Mr. Filler, an alumnus of the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, and his wife, Paula, have consistently exhibited a high level of philanthropy to the University. Over the years, they have provided numerous scholarships for students in a wide array of curricula, and have supported various University programs in addition to their generous contribution toward the construction of the instructional tower for the Marching Illini.

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.