Approved by the Board of Trustees

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ROLL CALL

# APPROVE DESIGN FOR SMALL ANIMAL CLINIC ONCOLOGY CENTER ADDITION, VETERINARY TEACHING HOSPITAL, URBANA

**Action:** Approve Design for Small Animal Clinic Oncology Center Addition, Veterinary Teaching Hospital

**Funding:** Institutional Funds Operating Budget and Gift Funds

In July 2021, the Board of Trustees approved the Small Animal Clinic (SAC) Oncology Center Addition, Veterinary Teaching Hospital project, to support the increasing demand for veterinary oncological services. The following year, in July 2022, the Board approved a professional services consultant for the required professional services. Subsequently, in May 2023, the Board approved the current budget of $21.3 million for this 23,227 square feet addition to the Small Animal Clinic.

The design of the Oncology Center includes basement mechanical spaces, first-floor examination and procedure rooms, client waiting spaces, and support spaces to accommodate staff, faculty, and students. The design also includes a second-floor level conference/meeting room and offices for faculty members associated with the center’s operation. A connection corridor to the existing SAC Teaching Hospital exists on the basement and first-floor levels. Animal clients and their human caregivers enter the new facility via a universally accessible entry linked to nearby patient parking. The new addition has been designed to blend well with the existing Teaching Hospital exterior and landscape.

In order for the project to proceed, it is necessary to approve the design. The design meets all campus building standards, including accessibility compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and applicable State and federal standards, and is within the approved project budget.

Accordingly, the chancellor, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, and vice president, University of Illinois System, with the concurrence of the appropriate administrative officers, recommends that the design be approved.

The Board action recommended in this item complies in all material respects with applicable State and federal laws, University of Illinois *Statues*, *The General Rules Concerning University Organization and Procedure*,andBoard of Trustees policies and directives.

Funds for this project are available from the institutional funds operating budget for the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign and gift funds.

The president of the University of Illinois System concurs.