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ROLL CALL

# APPROVE PROJECT BUDGET FOR ROOSEVELT ROAD BUILDING ELECTRICAL INFRASTRUCTURE UPGRADE PROJECT, CHICAGO

Action: Approve Project Budget for Roosevelt Road Building Electrical

Infrastructure Upgrade

Funding: Institutional Funds, UIC Repair & Renovation (R&R) Funds

The Roosevelt Road Building (RRB) located at 728 Roosevelt Road, Chicago, is required to upgrade their electrical infrastructure to ensure the mission critical functions of the university’s systems stay functionally uninterrupted. The building houses an enterprise data center for the University of Illinois System along with other programs such as ROTC and the College of Engineering Makerspace.

The project team, including users, facilities, and project management worked with IMEG Engineers to complete an early assessment of system performance and scope of work required. This project will retrofit and selectively replace the main building electrical infrastructure including but not limited to switchboards, automatic transfer switches (ATS), uninterruptable power supply (UPS), panel boards, and associated wiring.

To ensure that campus systems stay in operation at all times and to mitigate against any loss or damage, an emergency purchase totaling $2,053,252 is being requested for the project.

In order for the project to proceed, the Interim Chancellor, University of Illinois Chicago, and Vice President, University of Illinois System with the concurrence of the appropriate administrative officers recommends that the RRB Electrical Infrastructure Upgrade project be approved with a total project budget of $2,481,300.

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.

Funds for the project are available from institutional funds and campus Repair & Renovation Funds.

The President of the University of Illinois System concurs.