

Acquisition of Property by Gift – Elizabeth City State University

The Board of Trustees of Elizabeth City State University requests the authority to accept, by gift, property from the City of Elizabeth City.

Adjacent to the Elizabeth City Coast Guard Air Station Regional Airport in Pasquotank County, approximately 15 acres in the Elizabeth City Aviation Research and Development Commerce Park would be donated to ECSU by the City of Elizabeth City. The site would be used by ECSU's Aviation Science program.

The 2007 and 2008 sessions of the General Assembly appropriated \$500,000 and \$1,500,000, respectively, to plan the ECSU School of Aviation Complex. The Board of Governor's 2009 capital budget included a request of \$15.5 million to construct the project.

It is recommended that the request of the Board of Trustees be approved and transmitted to the Council of State for final action.