Acquisition of Property by Deed – University of North Carolina at Charlotte

ISSUE OVERVIEW
The University of the North Carolina System institutions are required to request authority from the University of North Carolina Board of Governors to proceed with certain acquisitions and dispositions of real property.

The University of North Carolina at Charlotte Board of Trustees requests authorization to acquire the Student Outdoor Venue and Tailgating Park located at 9375 Robert D. Snyder Road, Charlotte, NC. On February 16, 2022, the UNC Charlotte Board of Trustees approved a nominal-rate, two-year ground lease to the Foundation for UNC Charlotte of approximately 5.11 acres located on the university’s millennial campus for the purpose of constructing and gifting back an outdoor event venue and park. The project includes an outdoor covered pavilion, a 4,050-square-foot associated support building and additional site improvements. The support building includes restrooms, IT closet, game-day security operations room, audiovisual control room, housekeeping, storage, and first aid station. The site improvements include infrastructure, lighting, landscaping, fencing, paved walkways, and a service access road. Construction was completed August 2023, and the North Carolina State Construction Office reviewed and inspected the project. The project was funded from donations and the estimated value is $9.014 million.

Event revenues and fees will be the primary funding source for operating and maintaining the project with secondary funding, if needed, from athletic events fees. The project will be managed by the UNC Charlotte Division of Student Affairs.

RECOMMENDATION
It is recommended that the Board of Governors approve the request. This item requires approval by the Council of State.
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION

*ACQUISITION OF REAL PROPERTY

Institution or Agency:  UNC Charlotte          Date:   Nov 29, 2023

The Department of Administration is requested, as provided by GS §146-22 et seq., to acquire the real property herein described by purchase, lease, rental, or other (specify).  (gift) Deed

This Property is needed for the following reasons and purposes: (Attach additional pages if needed.)

In accordance with the terms & conditions of the ground-lease to support a donor restricted-funded capital project to construct a Student Outdoor Event Venue and Tailgating Park on Millennial-campus-designated state land, UNC Charlotte requests authorization to acquire the resultant project improvements.

Name and Address of Present Owner:   Beth D. Crigler, President
Foundation for the Univ. of NC at Charlotte
8724 University City Blvd
POC: Richard LaLiberte, Property Officer
rlaliber@uncc.edu

Description of Property:  (Attach additional pages if needed.)

Project improvements include, but are not limited to a (metal-roof-structured) covered pavilion with an associated 4,050 SF venue "support building." Support building improvements include: restrooms, IT closet, game-day security-operations room, Audio-visual control room, Mechanical & Electrical rooms, housekeeping and first-aid stations.
Overall site improvements include: infrastructure (stormwater, water, sewer, fiber, electric transformers & control panels and irrigation); and, related site improvements (lighting, security cameras, WIFI, landscaping, fencing, entrance gates, traffic-control bollards, paved walkways, fire hydrants and service access road).

Estimated value:    $9,014,000     Rental price (if applicable):   NA

Funds for the acquisition of this property are available in our budget under Code:      , Item:      , Other:  Donor funds were used for the construction of the facilities

In the event the above described real property is not acquired, is there other real property available, owned by the State or otherwise, that you believe would, if acquired, fulfill the requirements of your agency?  If so, give details.    none

(Complete if Agency has a Governing Board.) Action recommending the above request was taken by the Governing Board of Trustees and is recorded in the minutes thereof on  Feb 16, 2022 (date).

Signature:  
Title:   Dr. Richard P. Amon
Vice Chancellor for Business Affairs
11/29/2023   11:08 AM EST

*The term “real property” includes timber rights, mineral rights, etc. (GS §146-64)
Paved walkways, Lighting & Landscaping

Electrical Infrastructure & Breaker-control Panels

Electrical Infrastructure & Storm water controls

Service & Access Road

Tailgate Park
Paved walkways, Lighting & Landscaping

Tailgate Park

Security Cameras & Wi-Fi