Office of the President April 24, 2007

Members, Board of Trustees:

## GIFTS TO THE GORDON L. HYDE, M.D. CHAIR IN VASCULAR SURGERY

Recommendation: that the Board of Trustees accept gifts of \$83,445 from multiple donors to add to the existing Gordon L. Hyde, M.D. Chair in Vascular Surgery in the College of Medicine's Department of Surgery and submit these gifts of \$83,445 for matching funds from Kentucky's Endowment Match Program. Council on Postsecondary Education guidelines require that the Board of Trustees acknowledge its responsibility for UK's participation in the program and for all university endowment funds.

<u>Background</u>: Dr. Hyde received his medical degree from the University of Michigan and spent his career providing superior care to patients and training medical students and residents as a professor of surgery and head of the vascular surgery program at the UK Medical Center and the Veterans Administration Medical Center. He retired in 1997 after 34 years of service to the university and serves as professor emeritus in the Department of Surgery. The endowed chair was initiated by former students and friends to honor Dr. Hyde.

Action taken:	✓ Approved	☐ Disapproved	☐ Other	