THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION ACTION REQUEST

Subject: Vacant land located at 2201 W. Grand River, Detroit, Michigan

<u>Action</u>

Requested: Authorization to Purchase Real Estate

Background:

An opportunity to acquire property across the street from the future University of Michigan Center for Innovation (UMCI) is available through the purchase of 2.297 acres of vacant land located at 2201 W. Grand River, Detroit, Michigan. The property has no known historical significance.

We are acquiring this strategically located land to support the future needs of the University of Michigan Center for Innovation. A purchase price of \$9,500,000 has been established with a closing date yet to be determined, all subject to approval by the Board of Regents.

We recommend that the University of Michigan acquire the land at 2201 W. Grand River, Detroit, Michigan at the negotiated price of \$9,500,000, subject to the university satisfying itself with the environmental condition of the site and otherwise completing due diligence. Bond proceeds will be used to complete the purchase.

Respectfully submitted,

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