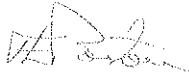


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November 30, 2011

**MEMORANDUM**

**To:** Trustee Finance Committee

**From:** Fred L. Poston 

**Subject:** Fund Functioning as an Endowment  
Hal and Jean Glassen Fish and Wildlife Disease Ecology and  
Conservation Medicine Endowment

**RECOMMENDATION**

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trustee Finance Committee recommends that the Board of Trustees establish a fund functioning as an endowment entitled Hal and Jean Glassen Fish and Wildlife Disease Ecology and Conservation Medicine Endowment.

**BACKGROUND**

The initial \$160,000 funding to establish the Hal and Jean Glassen Fish and Wildlife Disease Ecology and Conservation Medicine Endowment will be transferred from the Glassen Disease Ecology and Conservation Medicine restricted gift account and additional gifts can be added. Consistent with the purpose of the underlying gifts, the spending policy distributions will be used to provide fellowships to graduate students enrolled in the Fish and Wildlife Disease Ecology and Conservation Medicine Specialization and pursuing graduate-level research related to the goals of this specialization. Available funds may also be used for other purposes related to disease ecology and conservation medicine as agreed upon by the MSU Departments of Fisheries and Wildlife and Large Animal Clinical Sciences. Provost Kim A. Wilcox has approved this recommendation from Dr. Douglas D. Buhler, Interim Dean of the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources and Dr. Christopher M. Brown, Dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine.

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