FUTURE ACTION ITEM #2
WSU Pullman, Plant Sciences Building
Research Education Complex Bldg. 5 (REC5)
Design Approval
(Stacy Pearson/Olivia Yang)

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS

SUBJECT: WSU Pullman, Plant Sciences Building - Research Education Complex Bldg. 5 (REC5), Design Approval

PROPOSED: That the Board of Regents approve the WSU Pullman, Plant Sciences Building - Research Education Complex Bldg. 5 (REC5), Design Approval.

SUBMITTED BY: Stacy Pearson, Vice President for Finance and Administration

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The Plant Sciences Building (REC5) advances the development of the Research and Education Complex east of Stadium Way, which houses research laboratories engaged in the advancement of science and technology in the areas of plant biochemistry, plant pathology, horticulture and crops and soils sciences.

As the next building in the Research and Educational Complex, this new building would become an integral part of the series of interconnected facilities that encourage interdisciplinary collaboration among the institution’s leading scientists, representing the College of Agriculture, Human and Natural Resource Science, the College of Veterinary Medicine, and the College of Arts and Sciences. This new facility would allow more programs from these departments to be relocated from antiquated structures around campus. A new, modern facility is needed to enhance WSU’s capacity to support and attract new scientists and students, and retain members of the highly productive faculty active in these units.

The proposed location of this new building is consistent with the WSU-Pullman Master Plan and would contribute to the development of the Graduate and Research area of the Master Plan east of Stadium Way.

ATTACHMENTS: The Aerial Site is appended as Attachment A
The Design Presentation is appended as Attachment B
Attachment A

Aerial Site Map
ATTACHMENT B

PLANT SCIENCES BUILDING

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WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY
VIEW EAST TO MAIN ENTRY
VIEW FROM SOUTHWEST