

ACTION ITEM #2

Facilities Names Recommendation – WSU Tri Cities Energy Solutions Engineering Laboratory (Roger Patterson)

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS

SUBJECT: Facilities Names Recommendation – WSU Tri Cities Energy Solutions Engineering Laboratory

PROPOSED: That the Board of Regents approve the recommendation to name a new building on the WSU Tri Cities Campus - Energy Solutions Engineering Laboratory.

SUBMITTED BY: Roger Patterson, Vice President for Business and Finance

SUPPORTING INFORMATION: On January 28, 2011, the Board of Regents authorized WSU to negotiate a facility donation with Energy Solutions, whereby Energy Solutions would build an engineering test facility on the WSU Tri-Cities campus as a gift in place to WSU. The facility is nearing completion and the WSU Tri-Cities Chancellor has submitted a naming request to the Facilities Names Committee, chaired by Roger Patterson. The Committee concurred unanimously with the request to name the building “Energy Solutions Engineering Laboratory”.