BOARD OF REGENTS
COMMITTEE ON ADVANCEMENT
April 1, 2026
Meeting via Video and Conference Call

Minutes of the Closed Session

Regent Gonella called to order the meeting of the Advancement Committee of the University System of Maryland Board of Regents at 10:05 am, with participants joining by video conference and teleconference.

Regents participating in the session included: Mr. Gonella, Ms. Gooden, Mr. Mirani, Ms. Lewis, Mr. McMillen, and Ms. Speaks. Also participating were: Chancellor Perman, Mr. Minor, Dr. Wrynn, Dr. Masucci, Ms. Wilkerson, Ms. Horrigan, Assistant Attorney General Boyle, Mr. Harris, and Ms. Hossick.

1) Honorific naming request from the University of Maryland, College Park (action)

Regent Gonella introduced the item to name in perpetuity an outdoor gathering space connecting Stanley R. Zupnik Hall and the new Chemistry Building to Paint Branch Drive. This naming recognizes a transformative philanthropic commitment in support of the construction of a new academic facility that is central to the future of the University's engineering enterprise. The gift supports the continued development of the University's academic and research environment, particularly in areas aligned with STEM education and innovation.

Regent Gonella moved recommendation, seconded by Regent Lewis; approved.

Vote Count = Yeas: 6 Nays: 0 Abstentions: 0

Regent Gonella thanked everyone for joining. The closed session meeting was adjourned at 10:15 am.

Respectfully submitted,

Geoff J. Gonella