



January 11, 2016

## MEMORANDUM

**TO:** District Board of Trustees

**FROM:** Jim Murdaugh, President 

**SUBJECT:** TCC Foundation Update

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### Item Description

The following is request for a naming opportunity.

### Overview and Background

The Foundation would like to request your approval to name the Veteran's Success Center to honor two of our most committed donors – Richard and Karen Moore.

### Past Actions by the Board

The District Board of Trustees receives a Foundation Update at every Board meeting.

### Funding/Financial Implications

There are no Funding/Financial Implications arising from this item.

### Staff Resource

Heather Mitchell

### Recommended Action

This item requires a vote.



## Memorandum

**TO:** Dr. Jim Murdaugh, President, Tallahassee Community College  
**FROM:** Heather Mitchell, Vice President for Resource Development  
Executive Director, TCC Foundation  
**DATE:** December 17, 2015  
**RE:** Naming Opportunity – Veterans Success Center

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The Foundation would like to request your approval to name the Veterans Success Center to honor two of our most committed donors – Richard and Karen Moore.

Richard served in the United States Air Force from 1979 to 1985. He and his wife Karen have been long-time supporters of not only the Foundation, but also of the College. They have funded the following scholarships for TCC Students:

- New Start Scholarship
- Tallahassee Chamber of Commerce Scholarship

They have also created two scholarships of their own.

- The Dream Big Scholarship was created in June 2014 to honor the memory of Karen's grandmother, Pearl Lamb Batchelor. Karen and Richard have chosen to endow this scholarship in honor of the College's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. The intent of this scholarship is to provide financial assistance to a student that has completed their GED and wishes to take classes at TCC.
- The Richard and Karen Moore Scholarship was endowed in 2008 and is awarded annually to a student entering a business or education major.

Richard and Karen have also made a significant contribution to the **TCC. WE RISE.** Comprehensive Campaign. We would like to honor their gift with this naming opportunity. We have consulted with them and suggest the following to the President of Tallahassee Community College and the TCC District Board of Trustees for the name:

**Richard W. and Karen B. Moore Veterans Success Center**