

September 16, 2019

#### MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Jim Murdaugh, Ph.D.

President

FROM: Heather Mitchell

Vice President for Institutional Advancement and Executive Director of the TCC

Foundation

**SUBJECT**: TCC Foundation – Gift Acceptance

### **Item Description**

The following is a request for the TCC District Board of Trustees to consider accepting items donated to TCC Foundation for use by the College.

## **Overview and Background**

Per TCC Policy 03-12, gifts of art, real property or equipment intended for use by the College or Foundation must be approved by the President prior to acceptance.

#### **Funding/Financial Implications**

Gifts must be presented to the TCC District Board of Trustees for a vote of acceptance by the College.

#### Past Actions by the Board

There are no Funding/Financial implications arising from naming of this space.

#### **Recommended Action**

Accept gift as presented.



# **MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Dr. Jim Murdaugh, President, Tallahassee Community College

**FROM:** Heather Mitchell, Vice President for Resource Development

**Executive Director, TCC Foundation** 

**DATE:** August 27, 2019

**RE:** Gift Acceptance – Donation of Art

The TCC Foundation has received a gift of art from Merlin Cohen. This is a Ralph Hurst piece – Animal Forms (also known as The Otters).



Title: Animal Forms (aka The Otters)

Artist: Ralph Hurst Date Created: 1995

Medium: Italian alabaster

Dimensions: H 28" x W 15" x D 10"

Fair Market Value: \$10,000

The TCCF policy requires an appraisal for all donated items. An appraisal was conducted by Ron Yrabedra at \$10,000.

I have conferred with TCC Ralph Hurst Gallery director Barbara Cohenour, and she has agreed that they would like to accept this item.

The Foundation would like to transfer this art piece to the College.