

OHIO BOARD OF REGENTS

Agenda Item 3.16 Consideration of distribution and release of FY 2007 Family Practice and Primary Care appropriations from Amended Substitute House Bill 66 of the 126<sup>th</sup> General Assembly.

**RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, the state's biennial budget directs the Ohio Board of Regents to distribute higher education appropriations in accordance with various requirements; and

WHEREAS, in this action the Board is requested to consider releasing the remaining distribution of \$4,845,470 in FY 2007 Family Practice and \$2,245,688 in FY 2007 Primary Care appropriations; and

WHEREAS, the Family Practice line item was created to support family practice residencies and instructional costs in the departments of family medicine within each Ohio medical college, both public and private; and

WHEREAS, the Primary Care line item was created to support medical student education and clinical training in primary care specialties of internal medicine and pediatrics; and

WHEREAS, the Family Practice and Primary Care appropriations are distributed based on the number of medical school graduates who pursue family practice and primary care residencies as wells as those graduates who establish family and general medicine practices in Ohio.

NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED: upon the recommendation of the Chancellor and with the concurrence of the Resources & Systems Efficiency Committee of the Ohio Board of Regents, that the distribution of Family Practice and Primary Care appropriations for FY 2007, as described in the attached table and made a part hereof, is hereby approved.