

OHIO BOARD OF REGENTS

Agenda Item: 3.4 Consideration of Name Change of Muskingum Area Technical College to Zane State College

**RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, the Muskingum Area Technical College Board of Trustees adopted a motion on November 20, 2003, to change the name of Muskingum Area Technical College to Zane State College; and

WHEREAS, the desire to change the college's name resulted from an image study which found that a name change to a "state college" would establish the college as a recognized and creditable institution of higher learning in Ohio; and

WHEREAS, the name change is not intended to signify a change in the college's mission; and

WHEREAS, the college intends to continue to meet the educational needs of the residents of the region; and

WHEREAS, the college seeks to more clearly communicate the availability of its high quality, accessible and affordable education; and

WHEREAS, the college desires to give honorable recognition to the late Ebenezer Zane, historical founder of the area and one of the first officials to survey the region for the federal government:

NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED: Upon the recommendation of the Chancellor and with the concurrence of the Program Effectiveness, Research and Technology Committee of the Ohio Board of Regents, the name of Muskingum Area Technical College shall be approved for change to Zane State College.