



## **RESOLUTION FOR ACCEPTANCE AND APPROVAL OF THE REVISIONS TO THE INDIANA CAMPUS LONG-RANGE FACILITIES MASTER PLAN**

Following, for your consideration and approval, is a resolution for endorsement of the proposed revisions to the March 2017 update to the Indiana Campus Long-Range Facilities Master Plan (formerly named the IUP Long-Range Campus Facilities Master Plan).

As submitted on January 31, 2024, by SmithGroup, under a professional design contract and following review and agreement by IUP's administration, the design firm has incorporated changes and updates to the master plan and has made necessary revisions to the plan recommendations and phasing, as shown in Exhibit A, Executive Summary.

# Indiana University of Pennsylvania

INDIANA, PENNSYLVANIA



## **RESOLUTION FOR ACCEPTANCE AND APPROVAL OF THE REVISIONS TO THE INDIANA CAMPUS LONG-RANGE FACILITIES MASTER PLAN**

**WHEREAS**, Indiana University of Pennsylvania accepted and previously approved the total concept of the Indiana Campus Long-Range Facilities Master Plan (formerly named the IUP Long-Range Campus Facilities Master Plan), as submitted by SmithGroup JJR, LLC, on December 16, 2010;

**WHEREAS**, the university accepted and previously approved revisions to the Indiana Campus Long-Range Facilities Master Plan, as submitted by SmithGroup JJR, LLC, on December 15, 2011; on December 4, 2014; and again on March 23, 2017;

**WHEREAS**, SmithGroup (formerly SmithGroup JJR, LLC), under a contract for revision of the Indiana Campus Long-Range Facilities Master Plan, has incorporated all necessary changes and updates to the long-range plan and has made necessary revisions to the plan and its phasing;

**WHEREAS**, the planning process has included input from the university community and from representatives of adjacent municipalities and organizations;

**WHEREAS**, the revisions to the long-range plan have been reviewed and agreed upon by the IUP administration;

**WHEREAS**, the IUP administration has submitted these revisions to the IUP Council of Trustees as documented in the 2024 IUP Long-Range Facilities Master Plan Update, dated January 31, 2024, emphasizing the following plan goals:

1. IUP's Academic Future—To enrich the academic environment through strategic programming moves and building renovations and to plan for a college of osteopathic medicine.
2. Reducing Campus Footprint—To identify opportunities to increase efficiency and optimal utilization of existing space across campus.
3. Campus Community—To improve facilities for housing, dining, student organizations, recreation, and athletics.

4. Moving around Campus—To provide safe pedestrian routes and a green space network across campus.
5. Student Success and Well-Being—To elevate the student experience by creating a one-stop precinct for a student welcome center and for admissions, student success, and life design facilities.
6. Campus and the Borough—To create welcoming campus edges and to explore partnerships and alumni/donor engagement opportunities.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the IUP Council of Trustees accepts and approves the proposed revisions to the Indiana Campus Long-Range Facilities Master Plan goals and themes, as given.

Approved this 31st day of January, 2024.

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**Samuel H. Smith, Chair**  
**IUP Council of Trustees**