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TO: Dr. Monty Sullivan

LCTCS President

THROUGH: Joseph F. Marin Chief Operations Officer

FROM: Anthony Brown

Director of Operations, Risk and Emergency Management

DATE: October 1, 2019

SUBJECT: Acceptance of Property on Behalf of Nunez Community College from

the J & A Meraux, Inc.

FOR BOARD ACTION

Recommendation: Staff recommends that the Board authorize the President and Chancellor of Nunez Community College to negotiate and execute all documents necessary to accept the donation of property located at 3700 Paris Road from J & A Meraux, Inc. as a portion of the match requirement for the proposed Act 360 project. The transfer of this property must be recorded with the local Clerk of Courts and the State Land Office.

Background: Through Act 360 funding, the LCTCS Facilities Corporation proposes to construct a Student Services Center on the current campus of Nunez Community College. To meet a portion of the match requirement, J & A Meraux, Inc. has agreed to donate property adjacent to the Administration Building. A bank formerly occupied this approximately ½-acre site but it has been demolished and all that remains is the slab, driveways, and parking areas.

Nunez seeks to provide a centralized student services facility where students can take advantage of the numerous resources and services created to help them progress during their time at the college. The facility will include both general and specific services and support programs ranging from the registrar, admissions, financial aid counseling, the testing center, counseling services, transfer services, veterans resource center, bookstore, student success orientations, and SGA services.

Fiscal Impact: The property proposed for transfer has an appraised value of \$488,500.

History of Prior Actions: N/A

Benefits to the System: The acquisition of this property will assist with the match requirement for the proposed 360 project for Nunez Community College.

Approved for Recommendation to the Board

Dr. Monty Sullivan, President

