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<u>15-076</u> <u>DELEGATE AUTHORITY TO PRESIDENT TO NEGOTIATE</u>

LEASE FOR SOUTHEAST CAMPUS CHILDCARE CENTER

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REPORT: The Childcare facility in the former German American Society

property (GAS) will be completed in late Spring 2015 with an anticipated opening in Fall 2015. The College desires to

explore viable childcare service delivery models, and enter into a lease with a service provider that best meets the College's desired criteria for licensing, service delivery, hours, and fees. College purchasing policies require that any lease that may

exceed \$150,000 receive board approval.

As service provider tenants are identified, the College would like to engage in negotiations for a lease, and determine lease rates, hours of operation, and other considerations, with the assistance of College Counsel, and is requesting that the Board delegate authority to the President or his designee to negotiate

the lease agreement.

RECOMMENDATION: That the Board delegate authority to the President or his

designee to negotiate the lease agreement for the Southeast Campus childcare facility, subject to the prior concurrence of

College Counsel.