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### ITEM 217-2007-R0325

# Request for Authorization to Perform Major Maintenance Repairs for the Paisley Court Student Apartments; Montana State University

#### **THAT**

Consistent with MCA 20-25-302, maintenance provisions of MCA 18-2-102, BOR Policy 901.6, and BOR Policy 1003.7, the Board of Regents authorizes Montana State University to spend up to \$3,500,000 to make improvements to the exterior envelope of the buildings in the Paisley Court complex.

## **EXPLANATION**

- 1. Paisley Court is an Auxiliary residential building that services MSU's family and graduate students with family-style apartments with 2–3-bedroom options.
- 2. The windows, siding, and related exterior systems at the Paisley Court student apartments have reached the end of their useable life.
- 3. MSU has proactively completed maintenance and repairs to extend the maximum life of the systems.
- 4. Following evaluation and recommendation by an architecture firm, MSU has confirmed the need to complete major maintenance replacement of the windows, siding, and other related systems.
- 5. New windows will improve occupant comfort and health while also improving the energy efficiency of the facilities.
- 6. It is necessary to replace all of these systems at the same time to ensure the most cost-effective construction and avoid rework that would be required if sequenced in separate phases.
- 7. The work will be paid for using physical plant funds from auxiliary revenue accounts.

## **ATTACHMENTS**

Attachment #1: Physical Plant 1003.7