



**PURDUE UNIVERSITY NORTHWEST**

College of Engineering and Sciences

July 25, 2022

To: Thomas L. Keon, Chancellor

From: Kenneth Holford, Provost and Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs  
Dietmar Rempfer, Interim Dean, College of Engineering and Sciences

Subject: Request for Approval of Named Professorship for Dr. Veera Ganeswar Gude

During the Spring 2022 semester, the College of Engineering and Sciences (CES) at Purdue Northwest followed the process to have Professor of Civil Engineering, Dr. Veera Ganeswar Gude, nominated for recognition as the **NiSource-Meyer Charitable Foundation Professor**.

Following University procedure, the College solicited six letters from well-known scholars in the field (attached) and sought the recommendation of the CES Promotion and Tenure Committee (also attached). For your information and review, I have also provided a full and condensed version of his CV.

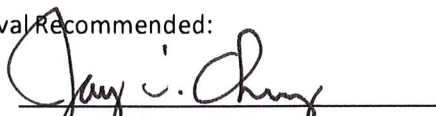
Based on the recommendation of the CES Promotion and Tenure Committee and letters of evaluation by scholars in the field, we are requesting your approval of Named Professorship for Dr. Veera Ganeswar Gude.

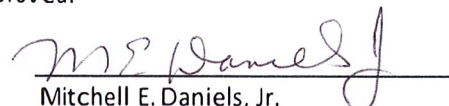
Thank you for your consideration

Approved: 

Thomas L. Keon  
Chancellor

Date: 8/22/22

Approval Recommended:   
Jay F. Alridge  
Provost and Executive Vice President  
for Academic Affairs and Diversity

Approved:   
Mitchell E. Daniels, Jr.  
President