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JUNE 9, 2023

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Corporate Secretary

**TO:** Matt Folk, President and CEO, Purdue for Life Foundation  
Patrick Wolfe, Provost and Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs and Diversity  
Christopher Ruhl, Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer

**FROM:** April Headdy, Executive Director, President's Council

**DATE:** April 10, 2023

**RE:** Request approval to revisit and document the Kampen-Cosler North Course

On behalf of the Purdue for Life Foundation, I request approval to revisit and document in university records the naming of the Kampen-Cosler North Course as part of the Birck Boilermaker Golf Complex.

The Emerson Kampen Foundation pledged a cash gift of \$2 million in 1996 to name the North Course within the Birck Boilermaker Golf Complex. They completed payment of the gift in 1998.

In 1996, the Board of Trustees ratified naming components of the Birck Boilermaker Golf Complex and designated the North Course as Kampen Course but did not state these namings would live in perpetuity. The Kampen family upon agreeing to the recent name change from Kampen Course to the Kampen-Cosler North Course, asks the university to recognize their family foundation contributions from 1996.

The Kampen family on behalf of the Emerson Kampen Foundation, respectfully ask the University recognize and approve the North Course located within the Birck Boilermaker Golf Complex, be named the Kampen-Cosler North Course in perpetuity.

I request your approval to move this former naming forward to the Board of Trustees so that it can be officially documented in university records.

#### PURDUE NAMING COMMITTEE APPROVAL:

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