

# **THE UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA AT BIRMINGHAM**

## **Resolution**

### **UAB Signature Authority**

BE IT RESOLVED by The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama that, effective February 2, 2024, Dr. Ray L. Watts as President of The University of Alabama at Birmingham; Dr. Janet Woodruff-Borden as Senior Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost of The University of Alabama at Birmingham; Dr. Brian D. Burnett, as Senior Vice President for Finance and Administration of The University of Alabama at Birmingham; Ms. Stephanie Mullins as UAB Chief Financial Officer and Associate Vice President for Financial Affairs of The University of Alabama at Birmingham; Mr. Bernard Mays, Jr. as Assistant Vice President/Controller; Mr. R. Andrew Hollis as Assistant Vice President for Financial Affairs and Dr. Shadi Martin, Chief International Officer are each authorized to act for and in the name of The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama in making application for and in negotiating and executing any and all contracts, agreements, instruments, reports or other documents as necessary in furtherance of the mission of The University of Alabama and the goals and objective of The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Dr. Christopher S. Brown as Vice President of Research of The University of Alabama at Birmingham; Ms. Gina Hedberg as Associate Vice President for Research and Executive Director of Sponsored Programs; Mr. Mike Matthews as Director of Research Technology and Communications; Mr. Jonathan Miller as Assistant Vice President for Research Regulatory Oversight; and Dr. Jason J. Nichols as Senior Associate Vice President, Research Administration are authorized to act for and in the name of The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama in making application for and negotiating and executing contract and grant agreements with any agency of local, state, national or foreign government, foundation, corporation or individual with regard to research and service activities and in furnishing necessary reports or other instruments in connection therewith.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Mr. Thomas I. Brannan as Vice President for Advancement and Strategic Initiatives of The University of Alabama at Birmingham is authorized to act for and in the name of the Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama in negotiating and executing gift agreements between the University and its donors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that, Ms. Stephanie Mullins is further authorized to designate in writing an appropriate number of staff in the Office of Financial Accounting & Review Services who are authorized to bind the University for the limited purpose of submitting official invoices, draws, and other financial information to federal agencies but only to the extent such authority is required by the regulations of the federal Office of Management and Budget.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that any two of the following four officials: Dr. Ray L. Watts, Dr. Brian D. Burnett, Ms. Stephanie Mullins, and Ms. Elizabeth S. Morgan, Assistant Vice President for Financial Affairs/Treasurer of The University of Alabama at Birmingham, be, and hereby are, authorized for and in the name of the said The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama, a corporation, to sell at public or private sale or exchange any or all shares of stock, bonds, corporation, or government which may now or hereafter stand in the name of The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama for The University of Alabama at Birmingham or in its name and in the name of others, and to receive and receipt for the purchase price of property received in exchange, and in the name of The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama to sign any transfers, assignments, or powers of attorney that may be necessary to make the transfer or exchange and to deliver the same or exchanged, to the transferee or his agents.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all previous resolutions granting any of the foregoing powers or authority to any persons be, and hereby are, rescinded effective February 2, 2024.