PRIVATE SUPPORT FOR UC DAVIS TOPS $100 MILLION

THROUGH THE HELP OF MORE THAN 46,000 DONORS, including alumni, parents, students, patients, organizations and other friends, UC Davis raised nearly $101.2 million in gifts, pledges and private grants during the 2006–07 fiscal year. This represents a nearly 25 percent increase from the $81.5 million raised the year before and is the fifth consecutive year that philanthropic support has grown.

“We couldn’t be happier or prouder that UC Davis has received this strong vote of confidence from private supporters,” said Chancellor Larry Vanderhoef. “They are partners in our commitment to provide an outstanding, affordable education to our students and to find solutions to society’s most pressing problems.”

Gifts and philanthropic grants provided a wide range of support for students, faculty and programs. Forty-eight percent of the philanthropic total was directed toward research. Student support—including scholarships and fellowships—received 12 percent, while department/faculty support received 9 percent. Campus improvement and other program support received the remaining 31 percent.

Each of UC Davis’ four colleges and five professional schools received private support, with the health system recording the highest amount at $34.6 million, followed by the School of Veterinary Medicine at $18.1 million, and the College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences at $15.8 million.

More than 18,000 donors supported the UC Davis Annual Fund in 2006–07, giving a record $1.9 million. The chancellor allocates Annual Fund gifts to areas of greatest need and opportunity, including student and faculty support.

UC Davis receives about 21 percent of its total budget from the state, and receives additional support from a variety of funding sources, such as patient care fees from the medical center, student fees and tuition, and donors.
The following is a sampling of gifts from the more than 46,000 donors who supported UC Davis in fiscal year 2006-07.

**SUPPORT FOR ART**
Art department graduate Freemond E. “Pete” Gadberry ’67 bequeathed $1 million toward student support in the art program. The gift is the largest ever for the Division of Humanities, Arts and Cultural Studies in the College of Letters and Science. Gadberry’s legacy will provide support for decades to come for our best students in the UC Davis art program, which is ranked among the top 15 in the country.

**ALUMNUS GIFT FOR SCHOOL OF LAW BUILDING EXPANSION**
Joseph E. Bernstein ’70, J.D. ’74 gave $250,000 to the King Hall Building Expansion and Renovation Project. The groundbreaking for the project occurred September 29, 2007. The expansion will relieve overcrowding and help ensure that UC Davis remains one of the best law schools in the nation.

**LAND FOR NEW MEDICAL FACILITY**
Fifteen acres of Rocklin land valued at $8.17 million were donated to UC Davis by River South Holdings, LLC, a development company composed of five Sacramento region partners. It was the largest gift of the year to UC Davis, and has far-reaching benefits for the Health System and the many residents it serves throughout the region and beyond.

**LEARNING FARMING FIRSTHAND**
Bixby Ranch Corporation provided significant additional support for experiential learning opportunities for undergraduate students studying agriculture. In addition to the $5 million contributed this year, in 2008 the corporation will direct major additional support to the program, which was founded in 1948 by Fred Bixby.

**UC DAVIS PHILANTHROPY BY THE NUMBERS 2006–07**

**SOURCE OF GIFTS (IN MILLIONS)**
- Corporations: $32.76 (33%)
- Individuals (non-alumni): $31.79 (31%)
- Foundations: $13.4 (13%)
- Campus organizations: $7.08 (7%)
- Other organizations: $15.45 (15%)
- Alumni: $7.08 (7%)

**PURPOSE OF GIFTS (IN MILLIONS)**
- Research: $49.03 (48%)
- Student support: $12.15 (12%)
- Department support: $7.99 (8%)
- Instruction: $1.02 (1%)
- Unrestricted: $1.89 (2%)
- Other: $11.94 (12%)
- Campus improvement: $17.16 (17%)

Total: $101.18
(Capital and other non-operating expenditures not included)