# UCONN HEALTH

June 25, 2025

TO: Members of the Board of Trustees

FROM: Andrew C. Agwunobi, MD, MBA Executive Vice President for Health Affairs and CEO of UConn Health

Jeffrey P. Geoghegan, CPA

Executive Vice President for Finance and Chief Financial Officer

RE: Project Budget for the UConn Health Main Liquid Oxygen Tank Replacement (Final: \$925,000)

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

That the Board of Trustees approve the Final Budget in the amount of \$925,000 for the UConn Health Main Liquid Oxygen Tank Replacement project.

### **RESOLUTION:**

"Be it resolved that the Board of Trustees approve the use of \$925,000 from General Obligation DM Bond funds for the Main Liquid Oxygen Tank Replacement project and approve the request for a waiver of the three-stage budget approval process to allow construction to proceed after bids received have been evaluated for conformance with the project scope and budget."

### BACKGROUND:

A new vendor has been contracted to provide the liquid oxygen tank system which serves UConn Health John Dempsey Hospital and associated clinics recently expired. In order to maintain Farmington as part of our Seven World-Class Campuses, One Flagship University and improve the Wellness of People and Planet; the existing liquid oxygen tank system will be replaced with a new 6,000 gallon system. Currently, oxygen is being supplied to the hospital via a temporary system which is a patient safety concern.

The Final Budget is attached for your consideration. The Final Budget is based on actual bids received. This Final Budget was approved by the UConn Health Board of Directors at their meeting on June 9, 2025.

Attachments

## **CAPITAL PROJECT BUDGET REPORTING FORM**

## **TYPE BUDGET: FINAL**

#### PROJECT NAME: UCONN HEALTH - MAIN LIQUID OXYGEN TANK REPLACEMENT

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES	PROPOSED FINAL 6/25/2025	
CONSTRUCTION DESIGN SERVICES TELECOMMUNICATIONS	\$	750,000 65,000
FURNITURE, FIXTURES AND EQUIPMENT CONSTRUCTION ADMINISTRATION OTHER AE SERVICES (including Project Management)		- - 5,000
ART RELOCATION ENVIRONMENTAL INSURANCE AND LEGAL		- - -
MISCELLANEOUS SUBTOTAL	\$	5,000 825,000
PROJECT CONTINGENCY		100,000
TOTAL BUDGETED EXPENDITURES	\$	925,000
SOURCE(S) OF FUNDING*		
FY 23 GO BOND FUNDS	\$	925,000
TOTAL BUDGETED FUNDING	\$	925,000
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## UCONN HEALTH/IMPROVEMENTS Main Liquid Oxygen Tank Replacement Project Budget (Final) June 25, 2025

