


June 25, 2025

TO: Members of the Board of Trustees

FROM: Dr. Radenka Maric 

RE: Naming Recommendation for the Rob & P.J. Brewer & Family
Women's Ice Hockey Assistant Coach's Office

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board of Trustees authorize the naming of the Women's Ice Hockey Assistant Coach's Office in the Toscano Family Ice Forum located on the Storrs campus the "Rob & P.J. Brewer & Family Women's Ice Hockey Assistant Coach's Office."

BACKGROUND:

The Toscano Family Ice Forum, a state-of-the-art 2,600-seat ice hockey arena is the home of UConn men's and women's ice hockey teams. The arena opened in January 2023. The facility includes full Division I training and support for the women's and men's ice hockey teams; team lounges, dry locker area and locker rooms with video displays; locker rooms for visiting teams; training space with a hydrotherapy area; strength and conditioning room; and other areas such as coaches' offices, a press box, and a large center-hung display scoreboard with perimeter ribbon boards designed to create an outstanding experience for fans.

Robert Brewer, now retired, had been the Vice President of Middle Market Industry Solutions since 2013. He received his bachelor's degree in economics from the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences in 1983 and a master's degree in economics from Trinity College in 1992. Mr. Brewer made his first gift to UConn in 2011. His wife, Patricia, was an Account Executive Officer at Travelers since 1991.

Mr. Brewer's gift is consistent with the University's *Named Gift Guidelines*.

On June 11, 2025, the Institutional Advancement Committee recommended approval to the full Board.