

**BOARD OF REGENTS**  
EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

SECTION: 5

DATE:

June 15, 2010

**RECOMMENDATION**

**EXTENSION OF ATHLETIC COACH EMPLOYMENT AGREEMENT**

**ACTION REQUESTED**

It is recommended that the Board of Regents approve the Athletic Coach Employment Agreement Extension, for AnnMarie Gilbert, Head Women's Basketball Coach, to June 1, 2014.

**STAFF SUMMARY**

Coach Gilbert's employment agreement with the University commenced in March 2007. The agreement was for a three year term with automatic one year extensions annually in March unless notification was provided by the University that no extension would be granted.

In recognition of the outstanding results achieved by Eastern's Women's Basketball team under Coach Gilbert's leadership, it is recommended that Coach Gilbert's employment agreement, which presently covers the next three years, be extended to a four year term through June 2014. The agreement discontinues the practice of providing automatic one year extensions annually in June.

**FISCAL IMPLICATIONS**

The salary is part of University's 2009-10 and 2010-11 budgets as approved by the Board of Regents.

**ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION**

The proposed Board action has been reviewed and is recommended for Board approval.

**ORIGINAL LANGUAGE**

2.0 TERM

2.1 Employee's appointment as Head Women's Basketball Coach shall commence on March 21, 2007 and continue for a period of 3 years, until March 21, 2010, unless sooner terminated as provided for herein. Further, unless sooner terminated as provided for herein, on March 21, and on each March 21 thereafter during the contract term, one (1) year shall be added to the remaining term of the Agreement unless University provides employee with written notice prior to March 21 of the contract year that there will be no one (1) year extension.

**NEW PROPOSED LANGUAGE**

2.0 TERM

2.1 Employee's appointment as Head Women's Basketball Coach shall be extended to June 1, 2014, unless sooner terminated as provided for herein.

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