

## **BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

## AMENDING TRANSCRIPT WITHHOLDING POLICY

## **RESOLUTION 24-XX**

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees affirmed Wright State University's withholding practice at the September 2023 meeting and recommended changes be made at the December 2023 meeting; and

WHEREAS, the University does not withhold a student's official transcript for the purpose of employment; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 3345.027 of the Revised Code, the University has considered (1) the extent to which ending the practice will promote the state's postsecondary education attainment and workforce goals; (2) the collection rate on overdue balances resulting from the historical practice of transcript withholding; and (3) the extent to which ending the practice will help student who disenroll from the state institution complete an education at the same state institution, or another one; and

WHEREAS, the University endeavors to promote student first policies in an effort to promote lifelong learning and student success; therefore, be it

RESOLVED that beginning July 1, 2024, the University will not withhold the official transcript after providing financial counselling to students with an outstanding balance, including notification of the status of their student account balance, balance due, and options for resolving the balance due; and be it further

RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees directs the Secretary to transmit a copy of this resolution to the Chancellor of the Ohio Department of Higher Education.