



From the CHANCELLOR AND BOARD CHAIR

December 2, 2024

Dear Horned Frogs,

The Texas Christian University Board of Trustees' strategic stewardship of TCU includes the prioritization of leadership succession and long-range planning for the future. Today, we are pleased to share important and exciting news regarding TCU's plans for leadership continuity into 2025 and beyond.

Background

Leadership transition planning is among the Board of Trustees' most significant duties. During the April 2020 Meeting of the Board of Trustees, Chair Mark Johnson shared a proposed timeline involving the transition of the Chancellor position to a revised role, allowing the Chancellor to focus on fundraising strategies and external responsibilities, and the hiring of a President to focus on TCU's operational demands and strategic planning. The timeline was placed on hold during the pandemic and recommenced in 2022 with the formation of an Advisory Search Committee. The search for the new leadership position of President took place during the Fall 2022 semester. In December 2022, Daniel W. Pullin was announced as TCU President; an Investiture was held in November 2023 to commemorate this significant milestone in TCU history.

Spring 2025 Transition

The leadership succession plan will continue its years-long progress at the Spring 2025 Meeting of the Board of Trustees. At that time, Trustees will ratify their decision on two succession resolutions:

- Establishing the title of Chancellor Emeritus for Dr. Victor J. Boschini, Jr., effective June 1, 2025. Dr. Boschini will continue to office in The Harrison and work on behalf of TCU, fulfilling his duties of friend-raising, fundraising and as the chief enrollment officer. As is tradition for many TCU leaders, Dr. Boschini will continue to teach students in the classroom.
- The recommendation that President Daniel W. Pullin will become the 11th Chancellor of Texas Christian University, effective June 1, 2025. Once the President becomes Chancellor, the position of President will not be replaced.

With our new strategic plan, **LEAD ON: Values in Action**, Texas Christian University is poised to reach new heights in the years ahead. Our strong foundation from 151 years of remarkable leadership gives us the potential to strive toward ambitious goals as we advance our mission. During this season of reflection and gratitude, we are grateful to all the leaders who have come before us, for we are the benefactors of their ceaseless dedication to the Horned Frog community.

We are equally grateful for the outstanding guidance of President Pullin and our present-day TCU leaders, who will continue to lead our university into the future and ensure the continuity of our commitment to excellence, as well as the incredible community of TCU students, faculty, staff, alumni and stakeholders who make TCU such a wonderful place to learn, to grow and to thrive.

Texas Christian University is an inspiring, engaging, values-centered leader in higher education, and we are thrilled to see our university's legacy continue and strengthen into the bright years ahead.

Sincerely yours,

Kit T. Moncrief, Chair of the TCU Board of Trustees
Victor J. Boschini, 10th Chancellor

