

THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
REGENTS COMMUNICATION

ACTION REQUEST

Subject: Recommendations for Honorary Degrees

Action Requested: Approval of Recommendations

The Committee on Honorary Degrees has recommended that honorary degrees be awarded to the following individuals:

- **David Brooks**, New York Times Columnist and cultural commentator, *Doctor of Laws*
- **Robert Hass**, Pulitzer Prize-winning Poet and former U.S. Poet Laureate, *Doctor of Fine Arts*
- **Thomas Zurbuchen**, Acclaimed astrophysicist and educator, *Doctor of Science*

David Brooks, Robert Hass, and Thomas Zurbuchen would receive their honorary degrees at the Winter 2023 commencement.

We now submit these recommendations for your approval.

Respectfully submitted:



Santa J. Ono
President