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**ACADEMIC PLANNING COMMITTEE  
RECOMMENDATION**

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Recommends that the College of Education and Human Services' Intent-To-Plan statement for a Bachelor of Arts in Early Childhood Education be approved.

**RATIONALE:**

Marshall University is required to express to the Chancellor of the WV Higher Education Policy Commission an Intent-To-Plan statement for a new baccalaureate program (Section 3.7 of WV Higher Education Policy Commission Series 11: *Submission of Proposals for New Academic Programs and the Discontinuance of Existing Programs*). The College of Education and Human Services has presented an Intent-To-Plan document for the program named above, which the Academic Planning Committee has reviewed. The Committee finds that the proposed program meets the requirements of WVHEPC Series 11; will provide qualified early educators to meet the requirement for early education opportunities mandated by the state; expands on an existing Marshall University program; and is the only program of its kind in the southern half of West Virginia.

**FACULTY SENATE CHAIR:**

APPROVED BY THE FACULTY SENATE: Larry Sticker DATE: 4/4/2007

DISAPPROVED BY THE FACULTY SENATE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT:**

APPROVED: [Signature] DATE: [Signature]

DISAPPROVED: [Signature] DATE: 4/6/07

**COMMENTS:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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