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MARTIN UNIVERSITY RECEIVES USA FUNDS GRANT

INDIANAPOLIS – Martin University has been awarded a \$225,000 grant from USA Funds to bolster its communications strategy and further enhance its student success center, which offers all levels of student academic support, improving retention, graduation and career readiness.

“We are deeply grateful for the support of USA Funds and the confidence they have expressed in us by awarding the University this grant,” said Dr. Eugene G. White, President. “This contribution will significantly enhance our ability to help students become successful graduates, as well as communicate Martin’s mission through increased marketing and branding.”

“Consistent with our focus on Completion With a Purpose, promoting success in college and career, USA Funds’ contribution will help this unique institution in our organization’s hometown of Indianapolis enhance its recruitment, retention and graduation of lower-income, minority and adult learners, and other students underrepresented in higher education to prepare them for rewarding careers and fulfilling lives,” said Carol D’Amico, USA Funds executive vice president, National Engagement and Philanthropy.

USA Funds is a nonprofit corporation that supports Completion With a PurposeSM, building a more purposeful path for America’s students to and through college and on to rewarding careers and successful lives. USA Funds pursues its nonprofit mission through philanthropic activities and partnerships, policy research, and programs and services that enhance preparation for, access to and success in higher education. Learn more at www.usafunds.org.

Martin University is a private, not-for-profit, liberal arts institution founded in 1977 by Rev. Father Boniface Hardin and Sister Jane Schilling. Martin is Indiana’s only Predominately Black Institution (PBI) of higher education. It is steeped in a history of service and open to a diverse population of students from all walks of life. Martin University’s mission is to provide excellence in educating and developing traditional and non-traditional students in an inclusive, supportive and healthy collegiate environment.