



Office of the President

SOUTHWESTERN
ADVENTIST UNIVERSITY

January 3, 2023

Economic Development Type A Board
City of Joshua
101 S Main St,
Joshua TX, 76058

Type A Board,

Southwestern Adventist University is proud to serve the Johnson County community as a provider of quality Christian Higher Education. Our mission is to inspire Knowledge, Faith, and Service. With our mission in mind, the university is providing this letter of intent to inform the board that Southwestern Adventist University is actively exploring the establishment of a Dinosaur Museum in the City of Joshua. The university's administration and Dr. Jared Wood, museum director, walked the property identified as a potential location with Economic Development Director, Molly Martin. The university's administration is in support of developing this project. The university currently houses a Dinosaur Science Museum on our campus, and we believe this project would complement our campus museum and field research paleontology project known as the "Dino Dig".

Please note that approval for a project of this scope is contingent on a vote from the university's Board of Trustees. Prior to the Board of Trustee meeting in March of 2023, the university will work with Molly Martin to develop a proposal presentation. We will remain in communication with Molly regarding appropriate processes and approvals.

We look forward to working with the City of Joshua to realize the vision of a Dinosaur Museum that will be a beacon of research and discovery for Johnson County.

Sincerely,

Ana Patterson
President