To: Miceli, Matt; Klibert, Jeff

From: Office of Research Services and Sponsored Programs

Initial Approval Date: 11/13/2017

Expiration Date: 10/31/2018

Subject: Status of Application for Approval to Utilize Human Subjects in Research –
Expedited Review

After a review of your proposed research project numbered **H18124** and titled **"Health Risk and Positive Psychological Resources"** it appears that (1) the research subjects are at minimal risk, (2) appropriate safeguards are planned, and (3) the research activities involve only procedures which are allowable. You are authorized to enroll up to a maximum of __800__ subjects.

Therefore, as authorized in the Federal Policy for the Protection of Human Subjects, I am pleased to notify you that the Institutional Review Board has approved your proposed research. **Description: The purpose of this study is to examine the predictive capacity of positive psychological resources to buffer the effects of stress on different behavioral outcomes.**

If at the end of this approval period there have been no changes to the research protocol; you may request an extension of the approval period. In the interim, please provide the IRB with any information concerning any significant adverse event, **whether or not it is believed to be related to the study**, within five working days of the event. In addition, if a change or modification of the approved methodology becomes necessary, you must notify the IRB Coordinator **prior** to initiating any such changes or modifications. At that time, an amended application for IRB approval may be submitted. Upon completion of your data collection, you are required to complete a *Research Study Termination* form to notify the IRB Coordinator, so your file may be closed.

Sincerely,

Eleanor Haynes
Compliance Officer