



*RESOLUTION HONORING*

**R. STEVE BOWDEN**

*MEMBER, THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS*

*THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA*

**WHEREAS, R. STEVE BOWDEN**, has been a valued member of the Board of Governors of the University of North Carolina since 2003; and

**WHEREAS**, He served with distinction on two of the board's standing committees, the Committee on Budget and Finance from 2003 until 2007, serving as its secretary from 2005 until 2006 and its chairman from 2006 until 2007; and the Committee on University Governance from 2007 until 2011, serving as its vice chairman from 2008 until 2010 and as its chairman from 2010 until 2011; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Bowden provided strong leadership to numerous special committees of the board, including the Committee on the University Award in 2005 and 2008; the Committee on the O. Max Gardner Award in 2006 and 2009; the Committee on the Award for Excellence in Public Service in 2007; the 2010 Presidential Search Committee; and numerous other special committees; and

**WHEREAS**, This distinguished attorney, Mr. Bowden served North Carolina A&T State University as a member of its Board of Trustees from 1995 until 2003; and

**WHEREAS**, He has carried out his duties as a member of the Board of Governors with dignity and resolve, providing valued leadership and counsel throughout his service;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Governors of the University of North Carolina express its sincere gratitude to **R. STEVE BOWDEN**, for his dedicated and loyal service to the University and to the State of North Carolina.

*This the 10<sup>th</sup> day of June 2011*

Hannah D. Gage, *Chairman*

Estelle "Bunny" Sanders, *Secretary*